



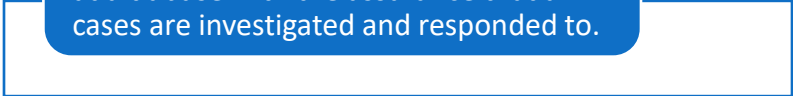
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CEJC's Goals for the California Master Plan on Aging

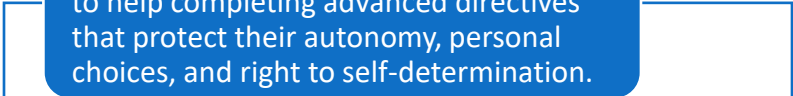
In June, 2019, Governor Newsom issued an Executive Order to develop a Master Plan for Aging to serve as a blueprint for state and local government, the private sector, and philanthropists to “build an age-friendly state so that all Californians can age with dignity and independence.”



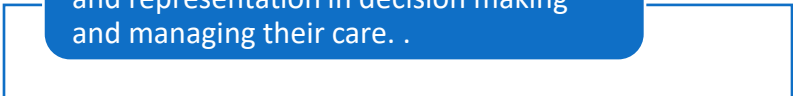
Provide a "No Wrong Door" approach for anyone reporting elder and dependent adult abuse with the assurance that all cases are investigated and responded to.



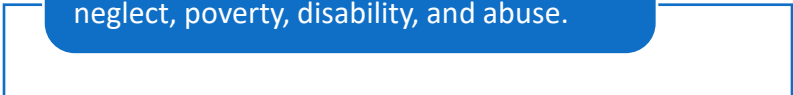
Ensure that all older adults have access to help completing advanced directives that protect their autonomy, personal choices, and right to self-determination.



Assure that individuals with dementia and cognitive impairments have supports and representation in decision making and managing their care. .



Sound policy that protects all aging Californians with particular focus on those who are at highest risk of homelessness, neglect, poverty, disability, and abuse.



Californians Rank Abuse Prevention a Top Priority

- An overwhelming majority of California voters (76.2%) support the plan with seven out of ten saying that the state should be held accountable for investing in and implementing it.
- 73.6% identified elder abuse prevention among their top priorities, with 34% ranking it first, more than any other single issue.

From We Stand With Seniors, a public awareness campaign co-founded by West Health and The SCAN Foundation.