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# **NAVIGATOR & CAC NEWSLETTER**

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# **Georgia Access Entity Portal**

Entity Portal

The Georgia Access entity portal is the State-run portal available to assisters to manage, support and assist consumers in completing applications. Aside from submitting a paper application, the entity portal is the primary method for assisters to help consumers apply for coverage. To activate your Georgia Access entity portal profile, the following steps must occur: Each Navigator Grantee/CDO sets up an account for the organization and adds their affiliated assisters to the entity portal. Once the Navigator Grantee/ CDOs' profile has been reviewed and approved by Georgia Access, we will verify that assisters have completed the licensure and certification process. Individuals who have obtained their licensure will receive a link to view and edit their account. Please note that you will not be granted access to the entity portal until you have completed licensure and certification. Follow instructions in the activation email. Activation links expire after 24 hours. You are required to activate your portal profile to assist consumers in completing applications on the Georgia Access entity portal. For support regarding entity portal activation links, please contact the Georgia Access Contact Center at 1-888-312-4237 (TTY 711) Navigators@GeorgiaAccess.ga.gov or CDOs@GeorgiaAccess.ga.gov. 711) or email the Georgia Access team at

## Find Local Assistance Tool

The Find Local Assistance tool is for consumers to find assisters in their area. The tool can be found under the "Resources & Support" page of the Georgia Access website here. This tool shows information that Navigator Grantees and CDOs submitted as part of their entity portal setup, including hours of operation, location, and additional details. Consumers can search by zip code or organization name to find assistance in their area and reach out to assisters directly.

# **Upcoming Outreach Events**

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Open Enrollment Launch Event on November 1st at Liberty Plaza! It was great to meet many of you in-person. Our team is interested in learning more about the upcoming events your organization is participating in, so we have a better understanding of where our assisters are connecting with Georgians around the state. If you are planning an event, please notify in advance via email about the event you are facilitating or attending, before the event takes place. This is in addition to the monthly and quarterly events that each organization is expected to conduct as part of their program requirements. Please find Georgia Access upcoming events at https://georgiaaccess.gov/about-georgia- access/events/, we would like for our assisters to join events in their surrounding counties.

## Certification and Licensure

A reminder that Navigators and CACs are required to complete the Georgia Access certification training and obtain a State of Georgia license to be able to assist consumers applying for health coverage through Georgia Access. Each Navigator Grantee and CDO must have, at least one (1) certified assister in the upcoming weeks to avoid agreement termination. If you need further assistance, please contact us via email.

# Key Dates to Remember



## Resources

- Visit the Georgia Access website for information regarding the Georgia Access Navigator and CAC programs.
- Visit certification.georgiaaccess.gov to access the Georgia Access certification training and final assessment.
- For Georgia Licensure requirements and application process, Navigators and CACs are go to the OCI website https://oci.georgia.gov/agents-agency-licensing/navigators-and-georgia-access-specialists-cacs or call OCI licensing support at (404) 656-2070 or (800) 656-2298, toll-free
- Visit https://www.sircon.com/landingPages/states/georgia/content.jsp to applyfor a license, check the status of a license of application.
- Email questions to Navigators@GeorgiaAccess.ga.gov or CDOs@GeorgiaAccess.ga.gov
- Contact the Georgia Access Contact Center at 1-888-312-4237

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