

Central Valley Chapter

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Engaging with your legislators is an effective way to advocate for long-term care. Building relationships with the elected officials who represent your chapter helps raise awareness of the issues, challenges, and successes affecting the long-term care sector. This guide outlines ways to connect with legislators and strengthen your advocacy efforts.

What counties are in my chapter?

Fresno, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, and Tulare counties.

What companies have facilities in the Central Valley Chapter?

The following companies have facilities in the Central Coast Chapter:

Aspen	HumanGood
Bayshire	Loyd's Liberty Homes
Brius	Madison Creek Partners LLC
CA Dept of VA	Mennonite Bretherin Homes Inc
CA Home for the Aged	NewGen Administrative Services
Cambridge Healthcare Services	Noia Residential Services Inc
Chowchilla Memorial Healthcare District	PACS Group Inc
Community Medical Centers	Reliant Management Group
Ensign Services	Sierra View Homes Inc
Generations Healthcare	

What legislators represent the Central Valley Chapter?

Assembly	Senate	Congress
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula (Terms Out – 2026) District Cities: Fowler, Fresno, Orange Cove, Parlier, Sanger, Selma.	Senator Anna Caballero (Terms Out – 2026) District Cities: Fresno, Madera, Merced, Salinas.	Representative Tom McClintock (CA – 5) District Cities: Atascadero, Goleta, Lompoc, Ojai, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, Ventura. Representative Adam Gray (CA – 13) District Cities: Atascadero, Goleta, Lompoc, Ojai, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, Ventura. Representative Vince Fong (CA – 20) District Cities: Atascadero, Goleta, Lompoc, Ojai, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, Ventura. Representative Jim Costa (CA – 21) District Cities: Dinuba, Exeter, Fresno, Reedley, Sanger, Selma, Visalia Representative David Valadao (CA – 22) District Cities: Bakersfield, Delano, Hanford, Porterville, Tulare

Do any of these legislators hold important positions in the legislature? If so, what are those positions?

Asm. Arambula serves on the Assembly Aging & Long-Term Care Committee and the Assembly Appropriations Committee, both of which are vital in regulating, financing, and governing both Skilled Nursing Facilities and ICF/DD Homes.

Sen. Caballero serves on the Assembly Health Committee, the Assembly Judiciary Committee, and is the Chair of the Assembly Agriculture Committee. As Chair, she is tasked with running a committee hearing, deciding what and when bills are heard in committee, and more.

What interactions has CAHF had with Assemblymember Arambula and Senator Caballero?

Although both legislators term out and retire at the end of the current legislative session, CAHF has worked to ensure they know about LTC in their districts and have met with members during their tenure in the legislature.

Asm. Arambula has toured Manning Gardens Care Center and Cedar Crest Nursing during his tenure as Assemblymember. Additionally, CAHF members have met with both Asm. Arambula and his staff during Spring Advocacy in 2024, 2025, and 2026.

Although Sen. Caballero terms out this year, she is not going far as she is running for State Treasurer. Sen. Caballero and her staff have toured the following facilities:

- Merced Health Care Center
- La Sierra Care Center
- Merced Behavioral Center

In addition to the tours, CAHF members met with Sen. Caballero's staff during Spring Advocacy in 2024.

How can the chapter get more involved with the legislators who represent the chapter?

There are many opportunities to reach out to the legislators representing your chapter. Here are a few ideas to get started:

- Follow legislators on social media
 - Know about their upcoming constituent events
 - Follow their legislation
 - Foster a relationship with your legislator online
- Invite legislators to chapter meetings
 - Connect them with providers and suppliers in their district
 - Share key legislative updates
- Host a facility tour
 - Showcase resident care and services
 - Introduce legislators to residents and staff
 - Highlight the impact of long-term care in their community
- Celebrate resident and staff milestones
 - Notify district offices about milestone birthdays and staff anniversaries
 - Invite legislators or staff to participate in recognition events

What is the best way to connect with the legislators who represent my chapter?

The best way to invite your legislator to an event would be to send an email with all of the pertinent details of your request (What is the event? When is the event? What is expected of the legislator?). If you don't have a contact for

a legislative office, the best thing to do is to call the district office and ask where to send an invitation for an event in their district. However, if you would rather work with CAHF to send an invitation, let [Maddie Robbie](#), Government Affairs Specialist, know and she can help coordinate the logistics.