

San Diego 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 the San Diego chapter?

Imperial and San Diego counties.

What companies have facilities in the San Diego Chapter?

AETAS Health Svcs LLC	Generations Healthcare
ARC Imperial Valley	HumanGood
Aspen Skilled Healthcare Inc	Links Healthcare Group
Bayshire Senior Communities	Madison Creek Partners LLC
BrightSpring Health Services	Mariner Health Care Inc
Brius	NewGen Administrative Services
California Department of Veterans Affairs	PACS Group Inc
Cambridge Healthcare Svcs	Palomar Medical Ctr Escondido
County of San Diego	Progressive Health Care Ctrs
Elmcroft Senior Lvg	Promising Futures Inc
Ensign	Rady Children's Hospital-San Diego
Friendship Developmental Svcs	Razavi Corp
Front Porch	St Paul's Senior Services
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What legislators represent the San Diego Chapter?

Assembly	Senate	Congress
Assemblymember David Alvarez (Terms Out – 2034) District Cities: Chula Vista, Coronado, Imperial Beach, National City, San Diego.	Senator Catherine Blakespear (Terms Out – 2034) District Cities: Carlsbad, Encinitas, Oceanside, San Clemente, San Marcos, Solana Beach, Vista.	Representative Raul Ruiz (CA – 25) District Cities: Calexico, Coachella, El Centro, Hemet, Indio.
Assemblymember Tasha Boerner (Terms Out – 2030) District Cities: Carlsbad, Coronado, Encinitas, Oceanside, San Diego, San Marcos, Solana Beach, Vista.	Senator Brian Jones (Terms Out – 2026) District Cities: Carlsbad, El Cajon, Encinitas, Escondido, Poway, San Diego, San Marcos, Santee, Vista.	Representative Darrell Issa (CA – 48) District Cities: Corona, Lake Elsinore, Palm Desert, Palm Springs, Rancho Mirage.
Assemblymember Laurie Davies (Terms Out – 2032) District Cities: Carlsbad, Dana Point, Oceanside,	Senator Steve Padilla (Terms Out – 2034)	Representative Mike Levin (CA – 49) District Cities: Carlsbad, Encinitas, Oceanside, San Clemente, Vista.
		Representative Scott Peters (CA – 50) District Cities: Coronado, Escondido, Poway, San Diego, San Marcos.
		Representative Sara Jacobs (CA – 51)

San Clemente, San Juan Capistrano, Vista. Assemblymember Carl DeMaio (Terms Out – 2036) District Cities: Chula Vista, El Cajon, Escondido, La Mesa, Poway, San Diego, Santee. Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez (Terms Out – 2036) District Cities: Blythe, Brawley, Calexico, Coachella, El Centro, Hemet, Indio, La Quinta, Menifee, Temecula. Assemblymember Darshana Patel (Terms Out – 2036) District Cities: Carlsbad, Escondido, Oceanside, Poway, San Diego, San Marcos, Vista. Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins (Terms Out – 2036) District Cities: El Cajon, La Mesa, National City, San Diego, Spring Valley. Assemblymember Chris Ward (Terms Out – 2032) District Cities: El Cajon, La Mesa, San Diego, Santee.	District Cities: Chula Vista, Coronado, El Centro, Imperial Beach, National City, San Diego. Senator Akilah Weber Pierson (Terms Out – 2032) District Cities: Coronado, El Cajon, La Mesa, National City, San Diego, Santee.	District Cities: El Cajon, La Mesa, Lemon Grove, San Diego. Representative Juan Vargas (CA – 52) District Cities: Chula Vista, Imperial Beach, National City, San Diego.
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Do any of these legislators hold important positions in the legislature? If so, what are those positions?

Sen. Weber Pierson is the Chair of the Senate Health Committee. As Chair, she is tasked with leading Senate hearings on all aspects of health insurance, behavioral health, public health, health facilities, health care workforce, and related institutions.

What interactions has CAHF had with these legislators?

CAHF members have met with Sen. Weber Pierson at Spring Advocacy in 2024, 2025, and 2026. Sen. Weber Pierson has toured Country Manor La Mesa Healthcare Center and has attended several CAHF PAC Dinners since 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.

