HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

National Consumers League Health Advisory Council

Since its founding in 1899, the National Consumers League's (NCL) mission has been to protect and promote social and economic justice for consumers and workers in the United States and abroad. NCL's mission is three-pronged: research, education, and advocacy.

NCL's Health Advisory Council (HAC) is a membership-based council that brings together organizations working in the healthcare arena, including patient and consumer advocacy groups, health professionals, organizations, health plans, life science companies, research institutions, government agencies, and others.

The mission of the Health Advisory Council is to convene a diverse membership to share perspectives and insights, identify common interests and areas for possible collaboration and partnership, and lay a foundation of support for NCL's work in health-related consumer education and advocacy. In addition to informing and advocating on important public health issues such as access to quality affordable healthcare, medication adherence, safe and appropriate disposal of medicines, and helping consumers to navigate the healthcare system, the HAC maintains ongoing conversations with members through informative newsletters and collaborative events.

Why partner with us?

We are the nation's oldest consumer advocacy organization.

We offer year-round opportunities to connect with NCL and the broad range of health policy stakeholders.

We are committed to making America healthier:
- by promoting health literacy and patient-provider communication.
- by advocating for quality, affordable, and more equitable healthcare.

We offer opportunities to leverage NCL's superpower – a direct line to consumers and other stakeholders within the healthcare space, including patients, caregivers, and practitioners.

Not only does membership in the NCL Health Advisory Council allow organizations to build their networks and amplify their work, it also connects organizations directly to consumers.