

Connecticut Age Well Collaborative Community Leaders Fellowship: 2025–26 Requirements

MUNICIPAL SELECTION

- **SEPTEMBER 3 – 26: Municipal Application Period**
Interested municipalities apply online
- **SEPTEMBER 30 – NOVEMBER 1: Municipal Onboarding**
Selected towns commit to participation and select three Municipal Fellows
- **NOVEMBER 18, 10 – 11:30am: Municipal Fellow Orientation**
Municipal Fellows meet virtually to review the plan for the year

COMMUNITY FELLOW SELECTION

- **DECEMBER 1 – FEBRUARY 6: Community Fellow Application Period**
Residents of participating municipalities apply online or via paper application
- **FEBRUARY 17, 10 – 11am or FEBRUARY 19, 12 – 1pm: Applicant Meeting**
Applicants choose one virtual session about the program; camera required
- **FEBRUARY 24 – MARCH 13: Community Fellow Onboarding**
Selected Community Fellows receive welcome packets and accept or decline

CONNECTION & LEARNING

- **MARCH 23 – 24, 8:30am – 4pm: Kick-Off Workshop**
An in-person meeting to build community, connection, and foundations
- **MAY 12, 8:30am – 4pm: Project Design Workshop**
An in-person meeting to discuss resources, skills, and strategies
- **JUNE 9, 8:30am – 4pm: Project Implementation Workshop**
An in-person meeting to finalize workplans

PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

- **JULY 14, AUGUST 11 & SEPTEMBER 1: Project Check-In Calls**
Virtual check-ins to guide the project
- **SEPTEMBER 15, 1:30 – 4:30pm: Fellowship Summit**
A final, in-person convening for Fellows to showcase their work
- **SEPTEMBER 15, 5 – 6:30pm: Wellspring Awards**
Fellows receive recognition at our annual, in-person celebration
- **OCTOBER 7: Project Launch**
Fellows launch their projects on or around Ageism Awareness Day