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AAA Advocacy Worksheet			Section 12-Advocacy	
Review Section:	Requirement Reference	Additional Information	Requirement	Finding
Advocacy-01	PM 5.2.1.F.(5).		_____The plan establishes an advisory council consisting of older individuals who are participants or who are eligible to participate in programs assisted under this Act, family caregivers of such individuals, service providers, representatives of the business community, local elected officials, providers of veterans' health care (if appropriate), and the general public, to continuously advise the AAA on all matter relating to the development of the area plan, the administration of the plan, and operations conducted under the plan.	
Advocacy-02	PM 5.2.1.F.(8)		_____ If there is a significant population of older individuals who are Indians in the PSA, the plan conducts outreach activities to identify and inform such individuals of the availability of assistance under this act.	
Advocacy-03	PM 5.2.1.F.(2)		_____The plan serves as the advocate and focal point for older individuals within the community by monitoring, evaluating, and commenting upon all policies, programs, hearings, levies, and community actions which affect older individuals.	
Advocacy-04	PM 5.2.1.F.(1)		_____The plan takes into account, in connection with matters of general policy arising in the development and administration of the area plan, the views of recipients of services under such plan.	
Advocacy-05	PM 5.2.1.F.(6)		_____The plan establishes effective and efficient procedures for coordination of entities conducting programs that receive assistance under this Act, and entities conducting other Federal programs for older individuals at the local level.	
Advocacy-06	PM 5.2.1.F.(7)		_____In coordination with the State agency responsible for mental health services, the plan increases public awareness of mental health disorders, removes barriers to diagnosis and treatment, and coordinates mental health services provided with funds expended by the AAA with mental health services provided by community health centers and by other public agencies and nonprofit private organizations.	