Elevating Home Care

Elevating Our Cooperative Future Together



What is Elevate Cooperative?

What will it do?

Why does it matter?

Why should I get involved?





At a very high level Elevate Cooperative...

- Is a cooperative of cooperatives—focused specifically on home care
- Development is being led by The ICA Group and an Advisory Board made up of home care cooperative leaders and developers
- Once launched, Elevate will be owned and governed by home care cooperatives
- Is imagined as offering a diverse scope of services and supports including-- training, financing, marketing, business development, advocacy and peer exchange
- Has not formally launched yet, but we have begun piloting offerings including Elevate Digital



Why do we need Elevate Cooperative?

- Home care cooperatives are stronger when they work together
- There is a common desire among home care cooperatives to work together and support each other
- The home care cooperative model itself does not solve all of the problems in home care, but it is a powerful vehicle to achieve short and long-term change
- Individual cooperatives cannot change the industry working alone
- The cooperative home care sector must grow in number and power to impact policy change
- Systems-level change in home care is needed to make home care jobs good jobs















Elevate Cooperative Advisory Board

- <u>Tatia Cooper</u>, President & CEO, Home Care Associates (HCA)
- Deborah Craig, Cooperative Developer, NWCDC
- Karen Kulp, Consultant, Former President & CEO of HCA
- Adria Powell, President & CEO, CHCA
- <u>Debra Schultz</u>, Finance Manager, Cooperative Care
- <u>Aquilina Soriana Versoza</u>, Executive Director, Pilipino Workers Center of Southern CA

What is your vision for Elevate?





