

# Financial Security and Poverty Task Force 2021 Annual Report

## I. Task Force Description

The CCD Financial Security and Poverty Task Force works to promote public policy aimed at increasing the financial security of all individuals with disabilities and their families. Because of the disproportionate number of people with disabilities living in poverty, our task force also advocates for public policy that impacts people living in poverty, including the disproportionate number of people of color with disabilities living in poverty.

## II. Top 3 Issues the Task Force Worked On in 2021

- 1. ABLE Age Adjustment Act
- 2. Inclusion of Adult Dependents in Stimulus Check Payments
- 3. Student Loan Discharge for People with Disabilities

#### III. Top 3 Issues Identified for 2022

- 1. ABLE Age Adjustment Act
- 2. Student Loan Discharge for People with Disabilities
- 3. Other Financial Security Issues for People with Disabilities

# IV. Task Force Meetings

2nd Tuesday of the month at 12:00 PM eastern

### V. 2022 Co-Chairs

- Cyrus Huncharek, National Disability Rights Network (NDRN)
- Aaron Kaufman, The Jewish Federations of North America
- Bethany Lilly, The Arc of the United States

# VI. Task Force Webpage Link

http://www.c-c-d.org/rubriques.php?rub=taskforce.php&id\_task=24