



UNITED STATES COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

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Dear Friends of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights:

This month marks the 27th anniversary of the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the world's first comprehensive civil rights law that prohibits discrimination against people with disabilities. Thanks to the ADA, people with disabilities are ensured equal opportunity, self-sufficiency, integration, and full participation in society. As the Commission marks this milestone, it is proud to hear from two leaders at the forefront of advancing disability rights regarding the history of the ADA and the work that remains to ensure people with disabilities can fully live and prosper in America.

Please join the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights on **Friday, July 14**, in Washington, DC, for the following presentation:

**Reflecting on 27 Years of the ADA:
Past, Present, and Future**

Rebecca Cokley
Former Executive Director
National Council on Disability

John Wodatch
Disability rights attorney

The presentation will occur immediately following our monthly Commissioners' business meeting, and beginning at approximately 11:00 am EST.

The Commission is located in the National Place Building, 1331 Pennsylvania Av. NW, Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20425. The building entrance is on F St. NW between 13th and 14th Streets NW. If attending in person, we ask that you RSVP by email to publicaffairs@usccr.gov.

There will also be a call-in line for individuals who desire to listen to the presentations:

1-888-504-7958; Conference ID 7907062

Hearing-impaired individuals who will attend in person and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact Pamela Dunston at (202) 376-8105 or at signlanguage@usccr.gov no later than July 11.

We look forward to your joining us on July 14!