

Everybody Belongs. Everybody Serves.

Let's End Ableism at Church

August 11 and 12, 2022, 11am-2pm EDT

Join pastors, worship leaders, youth and children's ministry leaders, disability advocates, denominational leaders and more at this virtual event hosted by Disability Concerns RCA and CRC. This event will be closed captioned (CC) and have ASL (American Sign Language), Spanish, and Korean interpreters. There is no cost for attending.

Register at bit.ly/ableismatchurch



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What is ableism?

Definitions of ableism are complex and layered:

- Attitudes, actions, and/or circumstances that devalue people because they have a disability or are perceived as having a disability.
 - Intentional or unintentional discrimination or oppression of disabled individuals.
 - Anything that positions a person without a disability over a person with a disability, solely based on disability or differences in ability.
 - Attitudes, actions, or systems that consider a person with a disability as inferior.
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August 11: What is ableism?



**Jasmine Duckworth
and Chantal Huinink**

August 12: How can churches overcome ableism?



**Melinda Baber
and Lynn Swedberg**

Daily schedule

11:00	Welcome, prayer, meditation
11:20	Keynote address
12:05	Breakout session
12:30	Break
12:40	Guest panels session
1:05	Panel Q&A
1:45	Closing remarks

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