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**Community Board 8 Health, Seniors,
and Social Services Committee meeting**

Thursday, October 16th, 2025, 6:30pm – 8:30pm

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Senior Program Officer, Supportive Services

Agenda

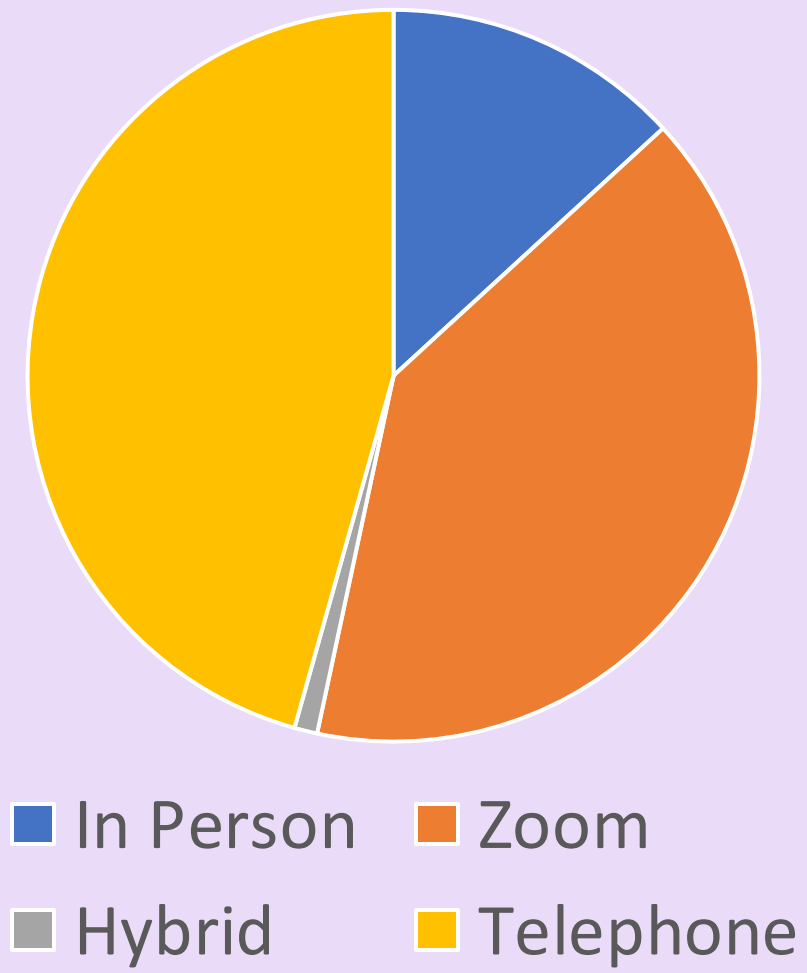
- Who is DOROT
- Importance of social connection
- Our programs and participation from your district



Older Adult Participation
Details:

Of the 6,697 Older Adults
who participated
88,787 times:

Group Program Sessions

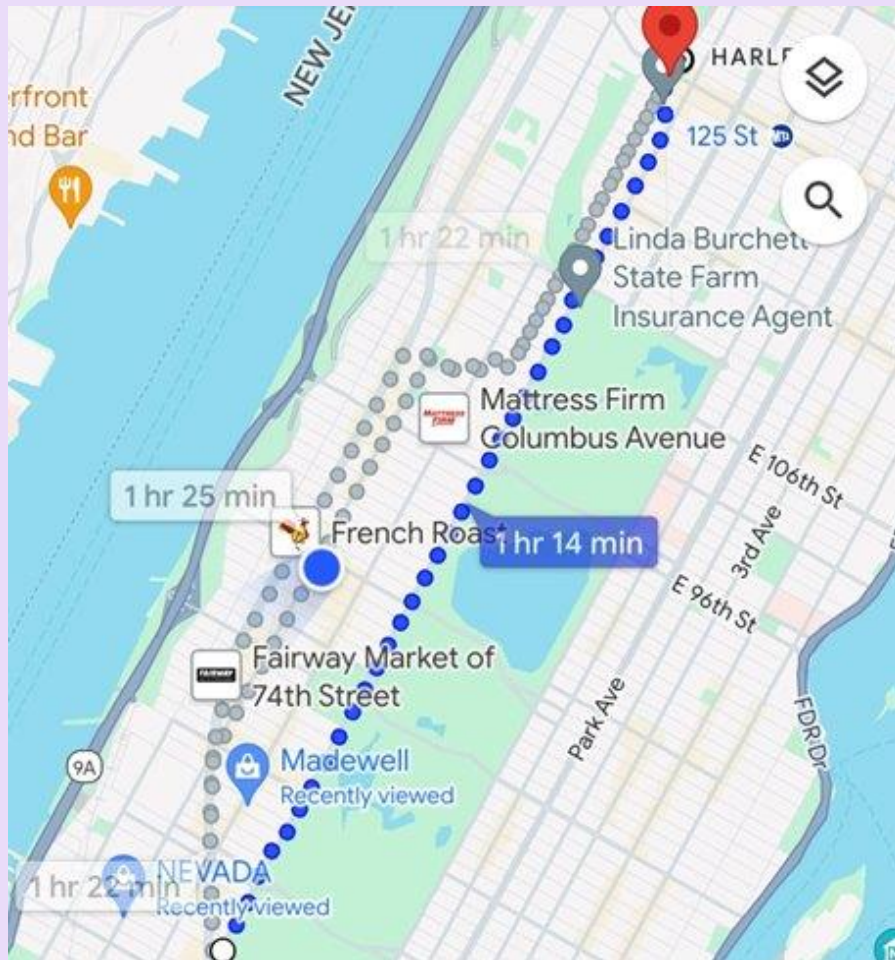


Snapshot of Volunteer Participation

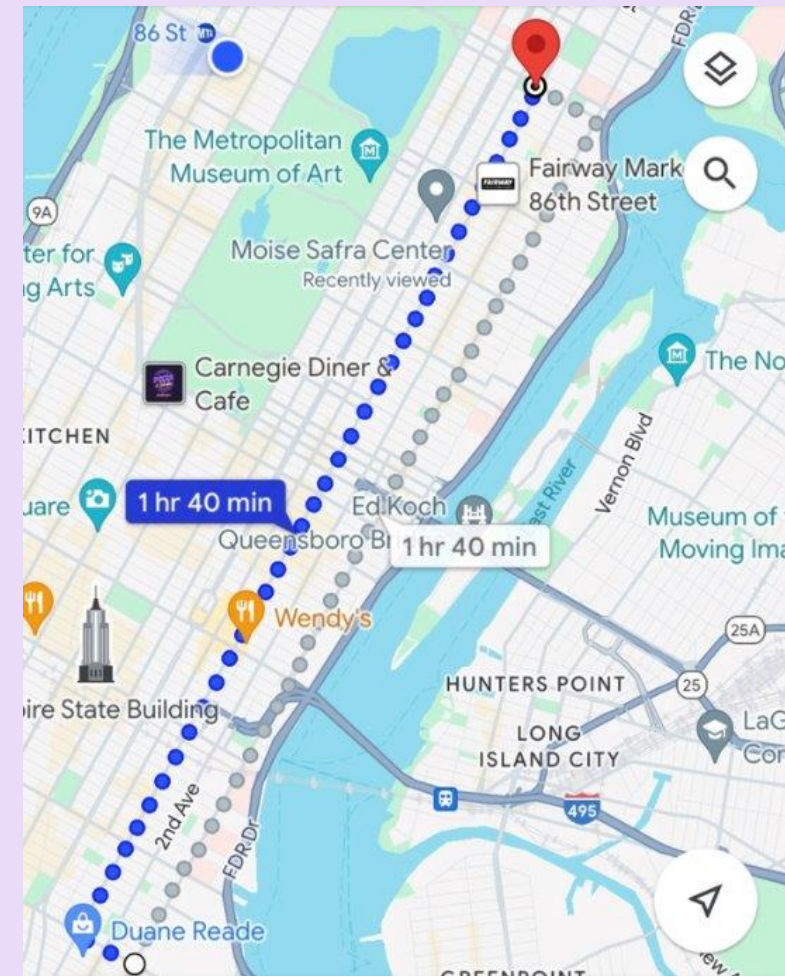
- Volunteers engaged: **8,215**
- Total volunteer hours: **49,225**



Connect at home programs: available to most Community Board 8 older adult constituents



West side: 59th to 125th



East Side: 14th to 96th

Friendly Visiting



-Visits in the homes of older adults
that build new friendships

-We have already matched
39 older adults in Community
Board 8

10021: 8

10028: 12

10065: 7

10075: 3

10128: 9

Seasonal & Holiday Package Deliveries



-Older adults receive a package
and friendly visit

-Held x5 a year

From your district last year:

-199 older adults received a
package 539 times

Response Team



-Request-based volunteer connections

-Playing cards, birthday visits, walking in the neighborhood, reading mail, and more!

Last year in Community Board 8:
-69 older adults connected for 225 visits

Tech Coaching

In Home



At DOROT



47 older adults in your district participated in 286 tech coaching sessions last year

Visits by DOROT social workers



Lifelong Learning

-In person

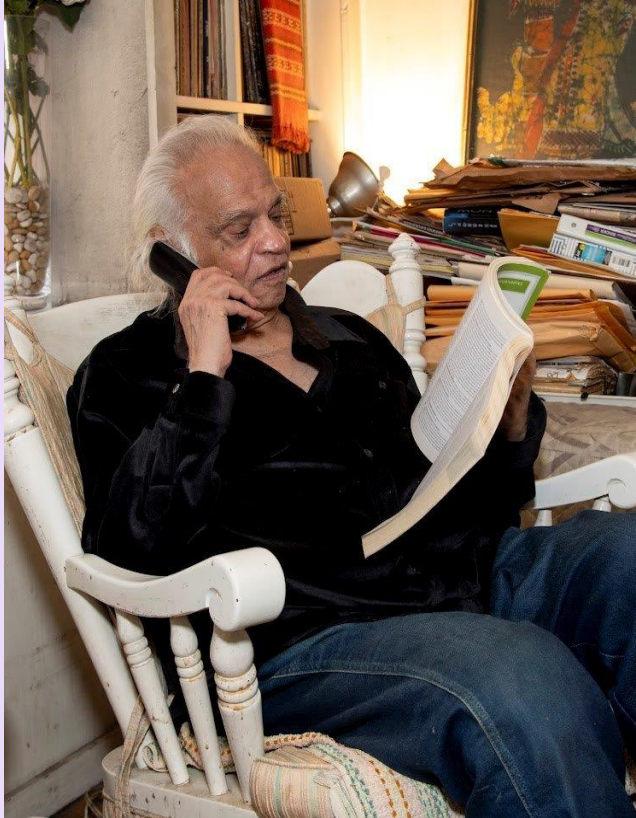


-On Zoom



Phone Programs

University Without Walls



-32 older adults connected 462 times

Caring Calls



-28 older adults connected with
volunteers 655 times

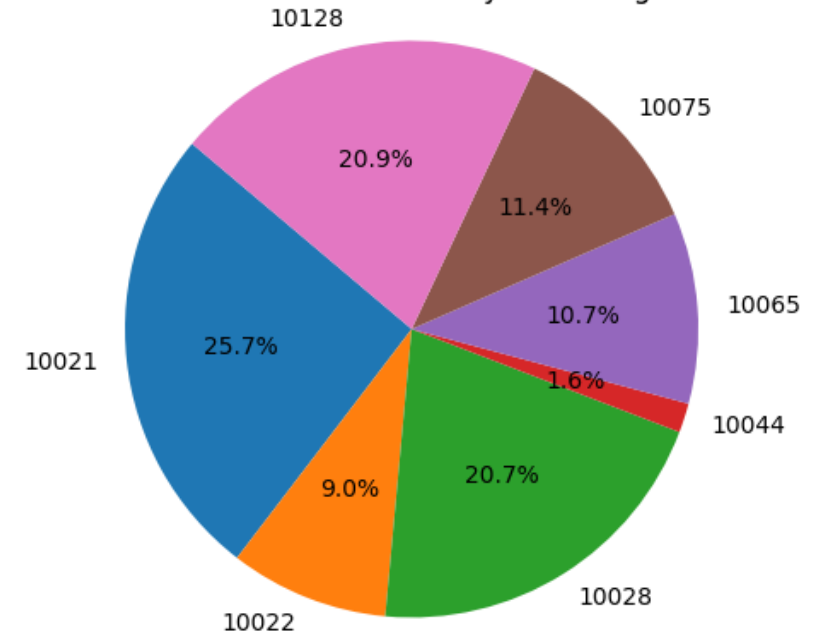
Community Board 8 Summary

- 997 individuals participated in a program at DOROT last fiscal year.

541 participated as older adults

456 participated as volunteers

ZIP Code Distribution by Percentage



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Thank You!

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