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Lisa Nerenberg has been a leader in the field of elder abuse prevention for over 35 years. She is the Executive Director of the California Elder Justice Coalition, which was formed in 2012 to provide a voice from the field to policy makers. She was the founding director of the San Francisco Consortium for Elder Abuse Prevention, which piloted the nation's first elder abuse multidisciplinary team and other widely replicated services. She has presented at hundreds of professional forums, testified before Congressional committees, served on governmental advisory boards, and written extensively about elder abuse, undue influence, elder justice, public health approaches to elder abuse, and health disparities. Her book *Elder Justice, Ageism and Elder Abuse* (Springer, 2019) offers a framework for promoting individual rights and social justice in aging policy and programs. Her earlier book *Elder Abuse Prevention: Emerging Trends and Promising Strategies* (Springer 2008) describes what the public, government, agencies and advocates can do to prevent abuse, treat its effects and ensure justice.