

Elder Care Resource List

Accreditation of Eldercare Facilities

Accreditation Commission for Health Care
919.786.1214

Community Health Accreditation Program
800.669.1656x242

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations
630.792.5000

National Association for Home Care
202.547.7424
www.nahc.org

National Association of State Units on Aging
202.898.2578

Nursing Home Compare Database, service of Medicare
www.medicare.gov
800.633.4227

NursingHomeReports.com
800.571.1918

Alzheimer's

Alzheimer's Association
800.272.3900
www.alz.org

Alzheimer's Disease Education and Referral Center
800.438.4380
www.alzheimers.org

Area Agency on Aging

Area Agency on Aging in the blue pages of the phone directory under "Guide to Human Services"
www.n4a.org

Care Managers

American Association of Daily Money Managers

301.593.5462

www.aadmm.com

National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers

520.881.8008

www.caremanager.org

National Association of Social Workers

800.638.8799

www.socialworkers.org

Communication

Visiting with Elders, by Ruth Goodman and Baycrest Public Affairs

Toronto, Ontario, 2006

www.baycrest.org

Day Services

Homecare Online

www.nahc.org

National Adult Day Services Association

866.890.7357

www.ncoa.org/nadsa

Standards and Guidelines for Adult Day Care

In-home support services—the county Department of Human Services in the government listings in the blue pages of the phone directory.

Health Care

American Pharmaceutical Association

www.pharmacyandyou.org

American Stroke Association

www.strokeassociation.org

Mayo Clinic Resources Online

www.mayoclinic.com

Stroke Family Support Network

888.478.7653

Visiting Nurse Associations of America
800.426.2547
www.vnaa.org

Hospice

National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization
800.658.8898
www.nho.org
www.caringinfo.org

Hospice Link
800.331.1620
www.hospiceworld.org

Insurance

The National Insurance Consumer Help Line
800.942.4242

National Association of Insurance Commissioners
www.naic.org

Legal Assistance

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys
520.881.4005
www.naela.org

National Fraud Information Center
800.876.7060
www.fraud.org

Nolo Press
Self-help books on legal issues for caregivers and care recipients
800.728.3555
www.nolo.com

Partnership for Caring
Free state-specific sample forms for durable power of attorney for health care and living wills
800.989.9455
www.partnershipforcaring.org

Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels Association of America

703.548.5558

www.mowaa.org

Medicaid

Medicaid Services

www.cms.hhs.gov

Social Security

www.ssa.gov

Support Services

A Place for Mom

www.aplaceformom.com

About: Senior Living

Website with diverse resources and links regarding senior living topics

www.about.com Search Senior Living topic

Ageless Design

Home modification resources

www.agelessdesign.com

Agency on Aging

www.aoa.gov

The Assisted Living Federation of America

List of member facilities that can be searched by state, county, city

www.alfa.org

“Consumers”

703.691.8100

The American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging

202.783.2242

www.aahsa.org

CareScout/National Eldercare Referral Systems

800.571.1918

Children of Aging Parents

www.caps4caregivers.org

The Consumer Consortium on Assisted Living
703.533.8121
www.ccal.org

Eldercare Locator, U.S. Administration on Aging
800.677.1116
www.eldercare.gov

Family Caregiver Alliance
www.caregiver.org/factsheets/consumerproducts

Home Care Assistance
homecareassistance.com

National Alliance for Caregiving
www.caregiving.org

National Council on Aging
Free online service for eligibility for benefits for health care, financial assistance, and legal counseling
www.benefitscheckup.org

National Institute on Aging
800.222.2225
www.nia.nih.gov

Taxes

Tax Counseling for the Elderly, sponsored by the Internal Revenue Service
800.829.1040

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program
800.829.1040

Veteran's Services

Department of Veterans Affairs
800.827.1000
www.va.gov
"Compensation and Benefits" and "Facilities Locator"

Veterans Medical Services
877.222.VETS

Veterans Service Hotline

800.VFW.1899

www.vfw.org

