



**Service Planning Packet ▪ Updated June 2011**

Prepared by Area Agency on Aging  
*(This information is provided as a guideline to  
community services, is not all inclusive and  
is subject to errors and omissions.)*

**If your organization has changes to the information included,  
please contact 1-800-331-2644.**

P.O. Box 370, Reno OH 45773 ▪ (740) 373-6400  
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[www.areaagency8.org](http://www.areaagency8.org)

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*Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Noble, Perry and Washington Counties*

## SERVICE PLANNING PACKET

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Meigs County

### ADULT DAY CARE

Daybreak \_\_\_\_\_ 740-596-2303  
31055 Industrial Park Dr. Unit 2, McArthur, OH 45651

Twin Maples Adult Day Care \_\_\_\_\_ 740-596-5955  
31054 St. Rt. 93(close to Meigs Co.)  
McArthur, Oh 45651

### ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES

Meigs County Department of Job and Family Services \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2117  
175 Race St., Middleport, OH 45760 800-992-2608

[www.ohiohopes.org](http://www.ohiohopes.org)- resource directory for older victims of crime & abuse

### ALCOHOL & DRUG SERVICES SEE MENTAL HEALTH SECTION

### ALZHEIMERS

Alzheimer's Association \_\_\_\_\_ 304-865-6775  
1218 Market St, Parkersburg, WV 26101 800-491-2717

Partners in Care Respite Program(Meigs County Council on Aging)\_740-992-2161  
112 E Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769 (BETH SHAVER)  
Offers Respite Monday – Friday 9am to 1pm

### ASSISTED LIVING AND/OR BOARD & CARE

Darst Adult Group Home \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-5023  
33164 Children's Home Road, Pomeroy, OH 45769

Holzer Assisted Living \_\_\_\_\_ 740-441-9633  
300 Brick Wood Dr, Gallipolis, oh 45631 close to Meigs Co

### SOUTHEAST OHIO BREAST & CERVICAL CANCER PROJECT

PLEASE CONTACT \_\_\_ 800-236-6253 TO FIND PARTICIPATING PROVIDERS IN  
MEIGS CO.

MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FREE A MAMMOGRAM IF 50 YEARS OR OLDER, LIMITED  
INCOME, AND HAVE NO HEALTH INSURANCE. MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR A FREE PAP  
TEST IF 40 YEARS OR OLDER ON LIMITED INCOME AND HAVE NO HEALTH  
INSURANCE\*\*\*\* **This program may now have waitlists due to funding**

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The Area Agency on Aging cannot promise that the contacts named above will find you eligible or give you the service you need or make promises regarding the extent and quality of the services they provide. If the above listed cannot help you, if you are not satisfied with the service or if you need additional help, please contact us again at **1-800-331-2644**. The Area Agency on Aging periodically updates this form, but it is not intended to be all inclusive. Please check your local phone directory for further contacts

## **CANCER SUPPORTS**

American Cancer Society \_\_\_\_\_ 888-227-6446  
138 Marietta Road, Suite D, Chillicothe, Ohio 45601

American Cancer Society Patient Navigator Program provides assistance and support to patients, survivors, families, and caregivers. Facilitates access to American Cancer Society information and services, as well as provides access to additional community-based resources. Provides support and practical assistance in navigating required systems, such as financial, health care, and social systems. Provides information and education about the cancer journey. Assists in identifying strategies that help to ensure a better quality of life. Contact Person s Kimberly Painter 888-227-6446 ext 8068

ACS National Cancer Information Center \_\_\_\_\_ 800-227-2345  
Offers a program called Road to Recovery- this is a program that provides free rides to treatment for people with cancer Also can assess info. At [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)

## **CAREGIVER PROGRAMS/SUPPORTS**

Caregiver Advocacy Program \_\_\_\_\_ 800-331-2644  
Grant program ran by The Area Agency on Aging( may have a waitlist)

Family Support/Caregiver Support Group \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
Meigs Co Council on Aging, 112 E Memorial Dr, Pomeroy OH 45769  
1<sup>st</sup> Friday of month at 1Pm Contact: Cathy McDaniel

## **CLINICS**

Holzer Clinic Meigs Branch \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-0060  
88 E Memorial Dr Pomeroy, OH 45769 M-F 8:30am to 4:30pm & urgent care  
7 days a week 11am to 9pm

Free Medical Clinic Mobile Unit-offers free medical care to consumers ages 18- 64 years old, must have no health insurance and meet income guidelines and be a resident of Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Morgan, Perry or Washington County. The Mobile unit is currently available in the following locations: Stewart, Albany, Pomeroy, Nelsonville, Glouster, and Athens. For more information or to schedule an appointment call 1-800-844-2654 or 740-593-2432

Pleasant Valley Hospital Middleport Clinic \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6434  
788 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave Middleport, OH 45760  
Will bill Medicaid and has sliding fee scale for income eligible

## **CLOTHING ASSISTANCE**

Goodwill Industries Retail Store of Gallipolis \_\_\_\_\_ 740-441-0336  
252 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.Gallipolis, Oh 45631  
Retail store with low prices on new and used items. Open to general public.

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**CLOTHING ASSISTANCE**

Meigs Cooperative Parish\_\_\_\_\_740-992-7400

311 Condor St. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Provides adults, children of low income households with food. Assist burn out families with household needs as available. Operates 2 clothing stores in Racine and Pomeroy that offer clothing at minimal cost.

**COMMUNITY ACTION**

Galia- Meigs Community Action Agency Main Office\_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6629

8010 N SR 7 Cheshire, OH, 45620 PO Box 272

HEAP, Home Weatherization Assistance Program, job and employment training, FEMA, Down Payment Assistance, CHIP

**CONGREGATE DINING**

Meigs County Senior Center\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2161

112 E. Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

**COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES**

Meigs County Department of Job and Family services\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2117 or

175 Race St. Middleport, Oh 45760 800-992-2608

Prevention-Retention-Contingency(PRC), Ohio Works First, Social Services, Food Stamps, Transportation.

**DENTAL CARE**

Meigs Co. Health Dept. Appalachian Dental Clinic\_\_\_\_\_740-992-3455

509 S 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. Middleport, OH 45760 Hrs: Mon10-6PM & T-F 8:30-4:30PM

As well as the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat of the month from 8:30am to 12pm. Clinic accepts self pay, sliding Fee schedule, individual payment arrangements, insurance and Medicaid. Clinic offers Services ranging from cleaning to dentures to partials.

**DIABETES**

Support Group\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2161

Meigs CO. Council on Aging 112 E Memorial Dr, Pomeroy, oh 45769

Meets on odd Months on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 10:15am

**DIALYSIS**

HealthFirst Care Center(O'blesness Memorial Hospital Castrop Center)\_740-594-7979

Athens OH, 45701

Holzer Medical Center\_\_\_\_\_740-446-5000

100 Jackson Pike, Gallipolis Oh 45731 Current Availability is 1<sup>st</sup> shift staring between 5 & 6am for 4 hours or 3<sup>rd</sup> shift between 2:30 & 3:30pm for 4 hours(This may change)

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

American Red Cross\_\_\_\_\_614-251-1443

995 E. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43205

## **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

Lutheran Social Services of Southeast Ohio\_\_\_\_\_740-732-6700

Disaster response services are provided in 23 counties for flooding, tornado and house fires. Outreach services provided and home repairs for elderly and low income home owners. Also have a distribution site at 810 Main St, Caldwell, oh 43724 for appliances, furniture, clothing etc

Meigs Cooperative Parish\_\_\_\_\_740-992-7400

311 Condor St. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Provides adults, children of low income households with food. Assist burn out families with household needs.

Meigs Co. Emergency Management Agency\_\_\_\_\_740-992-4541

117 Memorial Dr Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Planning and resources for major incidents

Meigs Co. Emergency Service\_\_\_\_\_740-992-6617

119 Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Offers emergency medical services, emergency management planning and response. Hazmat planning and response, emergency communications to general public.

The Salvation Army\_\_\_\_\_740-593-7082

1 Townsend Place, Athens, Ohio 45701 Robin **Carsey**

Gallia –Meigs Community Action \_\_\_\_\_740-992-6629

8010 North SR 7 Cheshire, OH 45620

Saving Ohio Seniors(SOS)\_\_\_\_\_866-368-1100

A non profit organization that helps elderly and handicapped citizens, Must be on a fixed Income and be a resident. Helps with food, utilities, medications, medical equipment. And Household appliances such as stove air conditioner

## **EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS**

ADT Security Services\_\_\_\_\_800-568-1216OPTION 3 EXT 4629

32100 US Hwy. 19 North Pearl Harbor FL 34684

Alert One Services, Inc\_\_\_\_\_800-693-5433

8235 Old Troy Pike #125 Huber Heights, Oh 45424

Appalachian Community Visiting Nurse Association, Hospice, & Health Services

30 Herrold Ave. Athens, Ohio 45701\_\_\_\_\_740-594-8226 or 800-837-1112

Critical Signal Technologies\_\_\_\_\_888-557-4462

22600 Haggerty Rd Farmington, MI 48335

Guardian Medical Monitoring\_\_\_\_\_888-349-2400

18000 W. Eight Mile Rd Southfield, MI 48075

Holzer Extra Care\_\_\_\_\_800-920-8860

2881 Jackson Pike Gallipolis, OH 45631

## **EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS CONT**

Interim of Athens\_\_\_\_\_740-592-4901  
2099 East State St. Athens, Oh 45701

Interim Healthcare of SEOH\_\_\_\_\_740-373-3800  
1017 Pike St, Marietta, Oh 45750

Lifeline(Phillips)\_\_\_\_\_800-543-3546/  
111 Lawrence St Framingham , MA 01712 800-368-2925

Medscope American Corporation\_\_\_\_\_800-645-2060  
259 Lancaster Ave. Suite 101 Wynnewood, PA 19096

Rural Metro of Northern, Ohio\_\_\_\_\_216-749-1166  
5171 Canal Rd. Cuyahoga Heights, Oh 44125

Valued Relationships, Inc.\_\_\_\_\_800-860-4230  
330 Progress Rd West Carrollton, OH 45449

Walgreens Ready Response Medical Alert System\_\_\_\_\_800-552-5378

## **EPILEPSY SERVICES**

Tri-County Mental Health Services\_\_\_\_\_740-592-3091 ext 4693  
90 Hospital Dr. Athens, OH 45701 Counseling, coordination of medical services etc.

## **SOUTHEAST OHIO FARMER'S MARKET PROGRAM**

Area Agency on Aging\_\_\_\_\_800-331-2644  
Po Box 370 Reno, Oh 45773  
Must be 60 years or older, income eligible each person can receive 10 \$5 coupons  
At selected markets for produce program runs May 1<sup>st</sup> to Oct. 31st

## **FOOD PANTRY**

Hillside Baptist Church\_\_\_\_\_740-992-3739

Meigs Co. Council on Aging\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2161

Rejoicing Life Church\_\_\_\_\_740-992-6249

Faith Chapel Food Pantry\_\_\_\_\_740-992-5236

Rutland Care Closet\_\_\_\_\_740-742-2060

Calvary Pilgrim Pantry\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2952

First Baptist Church\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2755  
211 South 6<sup>th</sup> St Middleport, Oh  
Food bank and helps on utilities.

Bethel Worship Center\_\_\_\_\_740-667-6793  
Reedsville, Oh

**FOOD PANTRY**

Friends & Neighbors Community Food Center of Racine\_\_\_\_\_740-667-0684  
5<sup>th</sup> & Main St Municipal Building(Basement) Racine Oh

Commodity Supplemental Food Program\_\_\_\_\_800-385-6813  
Federal USDA food and nutrition program serving elderly persons in the county. Call for  
Site location in your county.

Emergency Food Voucher\_\_\_\_\_740-992-6629  
Gallia Meigs Community Action 8010 N SR 7 Cheshire Oh 45620

· see also SOS program under emergency section

**FOOTWEAR**

Foot Orthotics of Southeast\_\_\_\_\_740-452-6400  
311 Main St., Zanesville, OH 43701  
David Games is contact person. Provides diabetic shoes, orthopedic shoes and orthotics.

**FORMS ASSISTANCE**

Meigs County Council on Aging\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2161  
Mulberry Heights, Box 722, Pomeroy, OH 45769

Veterans Administration\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2820  
117 Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769

**GERIATRIC CARE MANAGEMENT**

Integrated Geriatric Care, PLLC\_\_\_\_\_304-428-1114 or 304-483-6882  
Paula Chidister is the contact

**GOLDEN BUCKEYE CARD-----866-301-6446****HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

Meigs County Health Department\_\_\_\_\_740-992-6626  
112 E Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

**HEALTH INSURANCE HOTLINE**

OSHIIP(Ohio Senior Health Insurance Program)\_\_\_\_\_800-686-1578

Medicare Help Line\_\_\_\_\_800-633-4227

MEDICAID\_\_\_\_\_800-324-8680

KePro(Medicare beneficiary hotline)\_\_\_\_\_800-589-7337

**HEARING IMPAIRED**

Hear USA foundation & hearing Aid Bank\_\_\_\_\_888-835-HEAR

Easter Seals\_\_\_\_\_800-221-6827

## HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
Mulberry Heights, PO Box 722, Pomeroy, OH 45769

Village Catering \_\_\_\_\_ 740-456-3663/  
3432 Rhodes Ave. New Boston, Oh 45662 800-416-0102

Mom's Meals \_\_\_\_\_ 866-204-6111 or 866-971-6667  
They are frozen meals that are delivered by UPS or FedEx/ prices vary per location

## HOME HEALTH/RESPITE AGENCIES

Acute Nursing Care, LLC \_\_\_\_\_ 888-306-5329  
1077 Central Ave, Zanesville, OH 43701

American Home Nursing \_\_\_\_\_ 740-947-1920  
14062 US RT. 23N, Suite A Waverly, OH 45690

Appalachian Community Visiting Nurse Association, Hospice, & Health Services  
30 Herrold Ave, Athens, OH 45769 \_\_\_\_\_ 740-594-8226 or 800-837-1112

Assurity Home Health Care Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ 888-384-9616  
107 South Ohio Ave, Wellston, Oh 45692

Cambridge Home Health \_\_\_\_\_ 800-313-5642  
213 Columbus Rd Suite 103 Athens, Oh 45701

Family Senior Care \_\_\_\_\_ 740-592 2444  
2101 East State St Suite B Athens, OH 45701

Fosterbridge \_\_\_\_\_ 866-594-1102  
129 North Plains Rd, The Plains, Oh 45780 740-797-1000

Holzer Home Health \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-1772  
113 E Memorial Dr Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Home Health Care of Southeast Ohio \_\_\_\_\_ 740-662-1222 or 866-368-1100  
401 Dutch Ridge Rd. Guysville, OH 43735

Interim of Athens \_\_\_\_\_ 740-592-4901  
2099 East State St. Athens, Oh 45701

Holzer Extra Care \_\_\_\_\_ 800-920-8860  
100 Jackson Pike, Gallipolis OH 45631

Medi Home Health & Private Care \_\_\_\_\_ 740-441-1779  
P.O. Box 987, Gallipolis, Oh 45631

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
112 East Memorial Dr, Pomeroy, Oh 45769

## HOME HEALTH/RESPIRE AGENCIES CONT.

Ohio Valley Home Health, Inc \_\_\_\_\_ 866-441-9263  
1480 Jackson Pike, Suite 2, Gallipolis Oh 45631

Pleasant Valley Home Health & Hospice \_\_\_\_\_ 304-675-7400  
1011 Viand Street, Point Pleasant, WV 25550 866-992-6916

Quality Of Life \_\_\_\_\_ 740-374-3310  
409 2<sup>nd</sup> St Marietta, oh 45750

Radcliff Health Care Services, LLC \_\_\_\_\_ 740-592-9800  
6478 Hudnell Rd. Athens. OH 45701

Remedial Health Care Services \_\_\_\_\_ 740-592-9800  
9707 SR 682 Athens. OH 45701

Twin Maples Health Care \_\_\_\_\_ 740-596-1022  
PO Box 310 McArthur, OH 45651 888-355-1022

Vinton County Health Department \_\_\_\_\_ 800-596-5233  
31927 State Route 93 McArthur OH 45651

## HOME MAINTENANCE/HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY PROVIDERS

Alloway Construction \_\_\_\_\_ 740-989-2934  
470 Holdren Ave. Little Hocking, Oh 45742

Area Agency on Aging/ Buckeye Hills-HVRDD \_\_\_\_\_ 800-331-2644  
Po Box 370, Reno, OH 45773 Housing Assistance Program does have several  
Guidelines for eligibility

Buffington Construction \_\_\_\_\_ 740-373-9598  
Reno, OH 45773

Discount Ramps (for automobiles) \_\_\_\_\_ 888-651-3431  
Provides new and used ramps at a discounted price with no shipping costs either

Gallia/Meigs Community Action Central Office \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6629  
8010 North State Route 7, PO Box 272, Cheshire, OH 45620

Home Sense Enterprises, LLC \_\_\_\_\_ 330-785-9999  
463 Locust St. Akron, OH 44307

[www.hud.gov/improvements](http://www.hud.gov/improvements)- addresses housing and home maintenance programs

Meigs County CHIP Program \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-9615

USDA Rural Housing Service \_\_\_\_\_ 740-373-7113 EXT 4  
21330sr 676 Suite A, Marietta, OH 45750  
Single family housing loans to purchase homes. Also do 1% loans/grants to repair homes.  
Community/Business programs, and multi-Family housing program for low and very low  
income rural families.

## **HOMEMAKER SERVICES**

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
Mulberry Heights, Box 722, Pomeroy, OH 45769

\*May contact any of the agencies listed under the Home Health Section for Homemaker

## **HOUSING SECTION**

### **HOUSING SAVE THE DREAM \_\_\_\_\_ 888-404-4674**

OHIO'S FORECLOSURE PREVENTION EFFORT OR VISIT WEBSITE  
[www.savethedream.ohio.gov](http://www.savethedream.ohio.gov) can help with housing counseling, legal assistance, mediation, foreclosure loans and grants and neighborhood stabilization

### **RHISCO(Rural Homeless Initiative of Southeast Central Ohio)**

Contact for Meigs county Grant information is Mary Jo Frank at 740-441-4455  
Woodland Centers (May have funds available to help with homelessness)

[www.hud.gov/improvements](http://www.hud.gov/improvements)- addresses housing and home maintenance programs

### **Meigs Co. Fair Housing \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7908**

117 E. Memorial Dr., Meigs Co. Annex Pomeroy, OH 45769

Serves adults, low income individuals/households, senior citizens; promotes equal opportunity housing for all Meigs Co. residents by helping to eliminate and correct discriminatory housing practices and creating awareness about housing rights.

Meigs Co. Metropolitan Housing Authority \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2733 or 888-767-3247

117 E. Memorial Dr., Meigs Co. Annex Pomeroy, Oh 45769

Serves adults, low income individuals/households with rental assistance. Administers HUD Section 8 Rental Assistance program.

Colonial Park Apartments \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6183

300 Mulberry Ave. Pomeroy, OH 45769 (37 units are low income.)

Cross Pointe Apartments \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-3055

1100 Powell St., Apt#205 Middleport, OH 45760 Low income for 62 or disabled

Elmwood Terrace Apartments \_\_\_\_\_ 740-949-2012

613 Elm St./Unit C5

Racine, OH 45771 (20 subsidized housing units, 2 units designated for handicapped.)

The Maples \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7022

100 East Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769

Pomeroy Cliffs, Ltd. \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7772

245 Union Ave. Pomeroy, OH 45769

All 30 units are subsidized and 2 units are designed for the handicapped.

Village Manor Apartments \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-5064

55 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. Middleport, OH 45760 (20 units are subsidized, 3 for handicapped.)

## HOUSING SECTION

Waters Edge Apartments, Ltd. \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6419  
2070 SR 124 Syracuse, OH 45779  
18 units are subsidized and available for elderly or handicapped/disabled.

**\*SEE ALSO [WWW.OHIOHOUSINGLOCATOR.ORG](http://WWW.OHIOHOUSINGLOCATOR.ORG)**

## HOSPICE

Appalachian Community Visiting Nurse Association, Hospice & Health Services  
30 Herrold Ave, Athens, OH 45701 \_\_\_\_\_ 740-594-8226 or 1-800-837-1112

Holzer Hospice \_\_\_\_\_ 740-446-5074 or 800-500-4850  
100 Jackson Pike, Gallipolis OH, 45631

Pleasant Valley Home Health & Hospice \_\_\_\_\_ 304-675-7400  
1011 Viand Street, Point Pleasant, WV 25550 866-992-6916

OHIO HOSPICE & PALLATIVE CARE.ORG \_\_\_\_\_ 800-776-9513

## INCOME TAX-AIDE PROGRAM- CONTACT AARP AT 888-227-7669

Or website [www.aarp.org](http://www.aarp.org) to find tax counselor near you for free counseling

## INCONTINENT GARMENTS AND/OR HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

ACTIVSYTLE INC \_\_\_\_\_ 800-651-6223 EXT 216  
3100 Pacific St N Minneapolis MN 55411

Access to Independence \_\_\_\_\_ 877-284-6446  
4960 S. Prospect St, Ravenna, OH 44266

Continuity of Care \_\_\_\_\_ 800-873-4663  
790 North Second Street, Middleport, Ohio 45760

Duraline Medical Products \_\_\_\_\_ 800-654-3376  
PO Box 67, Leipsic, Ohio 45856

Goodcare by CPCI \_\_\_\_\_ 740-385-6177 or  
PO Box 997, Logan, Ohio 43138 800-423-3615

Guardian Medical Monitoring \_\_\_\_\_ 888-349-2400  
18000 W. Eight Mile Rd Southfield, MI 48075

Home Care Delivered \_\_\_\_\_ 804-200-7300  
4144 A Innslake Dr. Glen Allen, VA 23060

Hoveround Corporation \_\_\_\_\_ 801-701-5781  
2151 Whitfield Industrial Way Sarasota, FL 34243

Lorraine Surgical Supply \_\_\_\_\_ 800-541-1416  
2080 W. 65<sup>th</sup> St Cleveland, OH 44102

## **INCONTINENT GARMENTS AND/OR HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT**

Marguis Mobility\_\_\_\_\_888-871-5759

4051 Whipple Ave NW Suite E, Canton OH 44718

Medical Supply Inc. (Incontinent Supply Specialists)\_\_\_\_\_800-777-6647

10 Poulson Ave.Essington, PA 19029

Medi Home Care\_\_\_\_\_800-428-2773

1001 Pike St Marietta OH 45750

North Star Pharmacy\_\_\_\_\_877-439-7683

1300 Clark St, Cambridge, Oh 43725

Rural Metro\_\_\_\_\_216-749-1166

5171 Canal Rd Cuyahoga, OH 44125

Valued Relationships, Inc. \_\_\_\_\_800-860-4230

330 Progress Rd West Carrollton, OH 45449

## **INFORMATION & REFERRAL**

Area Agency on Aging \_\_\_\_\_800-331-2644

PO Box 368, Reno, Ohio 45773 1400 Pike St. Marietta, OH 45750

Meigs County Council on Aging\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2161

Mulberry Heights, PO Box 722, Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

<http://medlineplus.gov/ose>

The Ohio Benefit Bank is a public-private partnership that provides community outreach and access to low and moderate income Ohioans for free tax preparation and public benefits. For more information please contact 1-800-648-1176 or [WWW.OBB.OHIO.GOV](http://WWW.OBB.OHIO.GOV)

[WWW.BenefitsCheckUp.org](http://WWW.BenefitsCheckUp.org)

[www.ohio.gov](http://www.ohio.gov)

[WWW.ConnectmeOhio.org](http://WWW.ConnectmeOhio.org)

[www.aging.ohio.gov](http://www.aging.ohio.gov)

[www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov)

[www.OhioHereToHeal.com](http://www.OhioHereToHeal.com)

Eldercare locator\_\_\_\_\_800-677-1116

[www.eldercare.gov](http://www.eldercare.gov)

[www.faircareohio.org](http://www.faircareohio.org) - gives consumers the opportunity to be linked to legislators to advocate for a balanced and fair long term care system

## **KINSHIP**

Meigs Co. Kinship Navigator\_\_\_\_\_740-992-2681 ext. 223

112 East Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769

Information and referral source for those who are raising their kin(grandchildren, nieces, nephews, children of family friends)

## **LEGAL ASSISTANCE/HOTLINES FOR OLDER AMERICANS**

Attorney General's Office \_\_\_\_\_ 800-642-2873  
101 East Town Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43715  
Robert Byrnes \_\_\_\_\_ 614-466-8459

Southeastern Ohio Legal Services \_\_\_\_\_ 800-686-3669  
490 Richland Avenue, Athens, OH 45701 740-594-3558

Pro-Seniors \_\_\_\_\_ 800-488-6070  
105 E. Fourth Street, Suite 1715, Cincinnati, OH 45202 www.proseniors.org

[www.ohpco.org](http://www.ohpco.org)- can download free living will and healthcare POA forms

[www.ServingSeniorsInc.com](http://www.ServingSeniorsInc.com) - can download certain legal forms for a fee such as financial durable POA, last will and testament, transfer on death deed etc.

[www.livingwills-freelegal.org](http://www.livingwills-freelegal.org)

<http://www.ohiobar.org/pub/lawfacts/index.asp>- this website contains law fact brochures on various Ohio laws such as, landlord/ tenant rights, guardianship etc.

[www.olrs.ohio.gov](http://www.olrs.ohio.gov)- offers legal information for individuals with disabilities

## **MASONIC SENIOR SERVICES OF OHIO**

**I-CARE** (Independence through Coordination Assistance Referral and Referral and Education) This program serves Masons, wives, widows and Eastern Star members to help them remain independent through coordination of community and governmental services, assistance with applications, making connections with service providers, solving problems, referrals to appropriate resources and education on related issues. Contact Deb Dunseath, LSW at 888-884-8096

## **MEIGS COUNTY CO-OP**

Can Assist with HME, wood, food, rides, and possible other needs.  
Contact persons are Bob Robison –Pastor of United Methodist Church  
At 740-992-7400 also may ask for Nancy Thoene if he is not available

## **MENTAL HEALTH AGENCIES**

Appalachian behavioral Healthcare \_\_\_\_\_ 800-372-8862 or 740-594-5000  
100 Hospital Dr Athens, OH 45701 40 bed mental health inpatient facility.

Woodland Centers, Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ 800-252-5554  
112 E Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769 Mental health & Drug & alcohol services

Health Recovery Services \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-5277  
138 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave Middleport, OH 45760  
Private non-profit dedicated to delivery of quality substance abuse and mental health services.

## **MENTAL HEALTH AGENCIES**

[www.ohio.networkofcare.org](http://www.ohio.networkofcare.org) this website connects people to information about mental and emotional wellness

Gallia-Jackson-Meigs Board of Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services  
53 Shawnee Lane Gallipolis, Oh 45631 \_\_\_\_\_ 740-446-3022  
Comprehensive mental health, drug and alcohol administrative agency responsible for general public; plans, funds, monitors and evaluates comprehensive mental health, drug and alcohol services. The Board contracts with providers in 3 counties.

## **MR/DD AGENCIES**

Meigs County Board of Developmental Disabilities \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6683  
[www.ffc.ohio.org](http://www.ffc.ohio.org) the foundation for the challenged has community living fund to makes grants available to individuals with developmental disabilities up to a \$1,000 can get help with wheelchair ramps, hand rails, home furnishings, home mobility devices, home safety devices rent & utility deposits

## **NURSING FACILITIES**

Overbrook Center \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6472  
333 Page Street, Middleport, OH 45760

Rocksprings Rehabilitation Center \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6606  
36759 Rocksprings Road, Pomeroy, OH 45769

Ohio Long Term Care Consumer Guide \_\_\_\_\_ 614-446-500  
50 W Broad St 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus OH 43125 [www.ltcoho.org](http://www.ltcoho.org)  
Provides information about assisted livings and nursing facilities to help consumers, Families, and professionals search for the appropriate facility to meet an Individual's needs

## **HOME CHOICE** \_\_\_\_\_ **888-221-1560**

This program is run by the Ohio Department of Job & Family Services it assists persons of any age with disabilities to move from long-term care facility settings back to the community. Funding can help assist with locating housing, setting up a household, connecting to services and goods necessary to live in the community such as healthcare, pharmaceutical, and personal assistance etc. C can be any age, but has to have lived in facility for at least 3 months, Medicaid eligible and has certain care needs for more information can call number above or call the Area Agency on Aging at 800-331-2644

## **OMBUDSMAN**

THE LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM \_\_\_\_\_ 800-331-2644  
PO BOX 370 RENO, OH 45773/ 1400 Pike St. Marietta, OH 45750  
Is a program designed to address the concerns about the quality of long-term care services. The ombudsman investigates complaints, negotiates solutions between consumers and long-term care services providers, advocates for the rights of consumers, and will provide appropriate information and referral.

## **PARISH NURSE**

Meigs Cooperative Parish \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7400 or 740-992-5836  
Lenora Leifheit, RN Condor Street Pomeroy, Oh  
[Parrishnurse@suddenlinkmail.com](mailto:Parrishnurse@suddenlinkmail.com)

**PAYEE PROGRAMS**

Woodland Centers \_\_\_\_\_ 800-252-5554  
112 East Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, Oh 45769

**PEST CONTROL**

Bed Bug Burners, LLC \_\_\_\_\_ 888-788-1906  
305 Adan Ave. SW, New Philadelphia, OH 44663

Eastern Burkholder Exterminators Inc \_\_\_\_\_ 740-423-6887  
406 Main St Belpre Oh 45714

Ohio Pest Control \_\_\_\_\_ 740-354-5995  
1011 Lincoln St, Portsmouth Oh 45662

**PRESCRIPTIONS**

Golden Buckeye Prescription Drug Savings Program \_\_\_\_\_ 866-301-6446

Medicare \_\_\_\_\_ 800-633-4273

Ohio’s Best RX \_\_\_\_\_ 866-923-7879

OSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ 800-686-1578  
Can help c navigate through medicare programs

PPA(Partnership for Prescription Assistance) \_\_\_\_\_ 888-477-2669  
Rx for Ohio \_\_\_\_\_ 877-794-6446

[www.needymeds.org](http://www.needymeds.org) free/discounted meds through pharmaceutical companies

Low income subsidy can be applied for to help Pay premiums and deductibles for Medicare Part D to get an application you can Contact Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 or [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov). or you May contact the Area Agency on Aging for further information at 800-331-2644

Meijer & Giant Eagle are offering free and discounted diabetes medications please contact them for more details

Together Rx Access.com \_\_\_\_\_ 800-444-4106

**PROJECT LIFESAVER**

Project Lifesaver is a program that uses radio technology to track individuals with Alzheimer’s or other cognitive impairments when they become lost. For more information Please contact the Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-331-2644

**REVERSE MORTGAGES**

AARP- [www.aarp.org/money/revmort](http://www.aarp.org/money/revmort) \_\_\_\_\_ 800-209-8085

National Center for Home Equity Conversion [www.reserve.org](http://www.reserve.org)

## **REVERSE MORTGAGES**

Reverse Mortgage Lenders Association Consumer web site [www.reservemortgage.org](http://www.reservemortgage.org)

Countrywide Bank reverse Mortgage Loan Consultant \_\_\_\_\_ 888-450-1494  
230 Washington Blvd, Suite C Belpre, OH 45714

## **RSVP \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161**

Meigs County 112 E. Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769 Must be 55 year of age, can volunteer at least a few hours every week and enjoy working with others to solve community problems.

## **SENIOR CENTERS**

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
112 E Memorial Dr Pomeroy, OH 45769

## **SENIOR COMPANION**

Holzer Senior Outreach \_\_\_\_\_ 800-920-8860  
Volunteers can visit one day a week for socialization

## **SHELTERS**

Good Works \_\_\_\_\_ 740-594-3333 or 800-736-3602  
Emergency shelter for rural homeless and transitional housing for adult men & women.

Meigs Co. Homeless Shelter for Men \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6214  
219 Union Ave. Pomeroy, Oh 45769 (can stay up to 45 days)  
Housing with cooking, laundry and bathing facilities available to homeless men.

Serenity House, Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ 740-446-6752 or 800-942-9577  
Serves adult women and children, and low income individuals by providing emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence & homeless women and children up to 30 days.

Meig CO-OP \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7400

## **SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE**

Social Security Administration \_\_\_\_\_ 800-772-1213  
743 E State St. Athens, OH 45701

## **STROKE SUPPORT GROUP**

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
112 E Memorial Dr Pomeroy, OH 45769 Meets at 1pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month

## **TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

AT&T Lifeline \_\_\_\_\_ 800-335-8721  
Provides telephone service discounts including: no security deposit, free installation or transfer of service, free call blocking for 900 and 976 numbers, free blocking of long distance service, payment arrangements of outstanding bills, and Monthly discounts of \$12.42. To qualify must have Medicaid, Food stamps SSI or HUD  
\*\* other companies offer lifeline program call local company or PUCO to see which if your company participates at 1-800-686-7826

## **TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

SAFELINK(FREE CELL PHONE) [www.safelinkwireless.com](http://www.safelinkwireless.com) 800-977-3768  
Must meet certain eligibility criteria to receive free cell phone w/ limited minutes

## **TELEPHONE REASSURANCE**

Holzer Senior Outreach \_\_\_\_\_ 800-920-8860  
100 Jackson Pike, Gallopolis, Oh 45631

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
Mulberry Heights, Box 722, Pomeroy, OH 45769

## **TRANSPORTATION**

ACS National Cancer Information Center \_\_\_\_\_ 800-227-2345  
Offers a program called Road to Recovery- this is a program that provides free rides to treatment for people with cancer Also can assess info. At [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)

Life Ambulance \_\_\_\_\_ 740-446-7930 or 866-971-5483

Southeast Ohio Transportation \_\_\_\_\_ 740-962-5345

Meigs County Department of Human Services \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2117  
Mulberry Heights Box 722 Pomeroy OH 45769

Meigs County Council on Aging \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2161  
112 East Memorial Drive, Pomeroy, OH 45769

Community Action \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6629  
8010 N SR 7 Cheshire, OH 45620 - will bill Medicaid for transportation

Trinity Transport Ambulette \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-7779  
412198 Enterprise Rd Pomeroy OH 45769

Carealot \_\_\_\_\_ 740-596-8408  
31051 Industrial Park Rd McArthur, Oh 45651

Project Wheels-Galia- Jackson-Meigs \_\_\_\_\_ 866-547-5119  
A free service provided to link people in Meigs co who are homeless, or at risk being homelessness, with housing resources and transportation services so they can obtain and/ or sustain housing and achieve economic self sufficiency

## **UTILITIES**

OHIO CONSUMERS COUNSEL \_\_\_\_\_ 877-742-5622  
77 S. High St., 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbus, OH 43266-0550

The Ohio Consumers Council (OCC) is a state agency committed to achieving reasonably priced, quality utility service for residential consumers of Ohio's investor owned electric, natural gas, telephone, and water utilities. OCC's free services: provides speakers, answers utility questions, investigates complaints, provides resource materials, assists with dispute resolution, assists in making payment arrangements, provides utility related legal assistance, and help restores service and avoid disconnection.

## UTILITIES

### **HEAP & E-HEAP** \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6629

Community Action Agency 8010 N SR 7 Cheshire, OH 45620

HEAP is available during the winter for season to help income eligible individuals with heating costs. E HEAP is available for individuals who have a shut off notice or been disconnected

### **PIPP PLUS – Percentage of Income Payment Plan** \_\_\_\_\_ 800-686-7826 or 877-742-5622

Can apply at Community Action Agency 8010 N SR 7 Cheshire, Oh 45620 740-992-6629

State program provides a reduction on monthly electric and/or gas payments by requiring regulated gas and electric companies to accept payments based on a % of a households income

\*\*\*see also SOS Program under emergency section

### **SUMMER COOLING PROGRAM** \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-6629

Community Action Agency 8010 N SR 7 Cheshire, OH 45620

Program provides assistance to qualified households with payment on electric Service. Qualifying households must be income eligible and over the age of 60 or have a current respiratory disease or breathing problem documented by a doctor. A limited number of air conditioners as available as well.

### **NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR PROGRAM** \_\_\_\_\_ 800-277-2177

AEP & Ohio Energy Fund has teamed up to help low income AEP customers who have difficulty paying their electric bill. Outstanding bill must at least be \$100.

COLUMBIA GAS of OHIO- – will offer assistance to those between 175-200% of poverty guidelines. Also may be eligible for an energy audit to make your home more energy efficient. For more information call Columbia gas at 1-877-644-6674

## **VETERANS ASSISTANCE ORGANIZATION**

Veterans Administration \_\_\_\_\_ 740-992-2820

117 Memorial Dr. Pomeroy, OH 45769

Serves veterans with transportation to VA medical centers, emergency financial assistance for veterans and families; assists veterans with applications

[www.myhealth.va.gov](http://www.myhealth.va.gov)- new Veteran Health website discover what the VA has for you and your family

## **INTRODUCTION TO THE VETERANS' AID AND ATTENDANCE IMPROVED PENSION**

The Veterans Administration offers Aid and Attendance as part of an "Improved Pension" Benefit that is largely unknown. This Improved Pension allows for Veterans and surviving spouses who require the regular attendance of another person to assist in eating, bathing, dressing, undressing, medication dosing, or taking care of the needs of nature to receive additional monetary benefits. It also includes individuals who are blind or a patient in a nursing home because of mental or physical incapacity. Assisted care in an Assisted Living facility also qualifies.

**This most important benefit is overlooked by many families with Veterans or surviving spouses who need additional monies to help care for ailing parents or loved ones. This is**

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A Pension Benefit" and IS NOT dependent upon service-related injuries for compensation. Aid and Attendance can help pay for care in the home, Nursing Home or Assisted Living facility. A Veteran is eligible for up to \$1,632 per month, while a surviving spouse is eligible for up to \$1,055 per month. A couple is eligible for up to \$1,949 per month\*.

### Qualifications:

- Was the veteran a 'Wartime Veteran?'
- Assets total (not including home and vehicles) is under \$80,000.00

### Suggested steps:

- Contact county Veteran's Service Office and set up an appointment to discuss eligibility for Aid and Attendance Benefit
- VA officer will be able to assist with filling out application

### Bring to VA appointment:

- Discharge Papers, marriage license (spouse had to be married at time of death)
- Income verification, assets verifications, any unreimbursed medical expenses

## SERVICES FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED

Athens Bureau Services for Visually Impaired(BSVI)\_\_\_\_\_800-248-4378  
86 Columbus Rd., Suite 103 Athens, Oh 45701  
**\*only for individuals who are returning to work**

SE OHIO SIGHT CENTER\_\_\_\_\_740-687-4785  
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Vision Resources and Services for Older Ohioans Directory website-  
[http://www.preventblindness.org/Ohio/Aging\\_eye/](http://www.preventblindness.org/Ohio/Aging_eye/).

## REDUCED COST EYE EXAMS AND EYE GLASSES CONTACT:

VISION USA(Ohio Optometric Association) note: someone in household must be  
Employed 1-800-766-4466 [www.OOA.org](http://www.OOA.org)

PREVENT BLINDNESS OHIO  
1-800-301-2020 [www.PreventBlindness.org/ohio](http://www.PreventBlindness.org/ohio)

OPTICIANS ASSOCIATION OF OHIO  
1-800-661-5367 [www.OAO.org](http://www.OAO.org)

EYECARE AMERICA (PROGRAM FOR SENIORS)  
1-800-222-3937 [www.EyeCareAmerica.org](http://www.EyeCareAmerica.org)

**REDUCED COST EYE EXAMS AND EYE GLASSES CONTACT:**

OHIO LIONS CLUB

1-614-539-5060 [www.OhioLions.org](http://www.OhioLions.org)

May provide you with free or reduced cost eye care, eyeglasses, or

Low vision aids

entitlements/benefits.