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Resource Network

# **SE Ohio Aging and Disability Resource Network Meeting**

***September 15, 2011***



# Introductions & Announcements

# Progress Report

- New posts on the AAA8/SE Ohio ADRN web page

(<http://www.areaagency8.org/services/ADRN>)

- “Point of Contact” agency referral listing
- SE Ohio ADRN Memorandum of Understanding posted on AAA8 website

**The 5th Annual**



# Choices Expo

**Living Healthy, Wealthy & Wise**

**Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2011**

**8 am-2 pm**

**Comfort Inn Pike Street, Marietta, OH**

**Promoting personal choice and independence  
for older adults & people with disabilities.**



**The Marietta Times**



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# Information, Referral and Awareness

- AAA8 will be sending two members of their screening staff to AIRS (Association of Information & Referral Specialists) training in November, 2011.

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Welcome to the Network of Care for Seniors & People with Disabilities, provided by the SE Ohio Aging & Disabilities Resource Network. The Network of Care serves the counties of Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Noble, Perry and Washington. The project is part of a broad effort by our community partners to improve and better coordinate long-term supports and services locally.

This comprehensive, Internet based resource is for senior and people with disabilities, as well as their caregivers and service providers.

**Nationwide News**

[Bidding Program Irks OH Seniors](#)  
February 18, 2011

[Elder Abuse on Rise in Mass.](#)  
February 18, 2011  
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[New CO Clinic 'Really Awesome'](#)  
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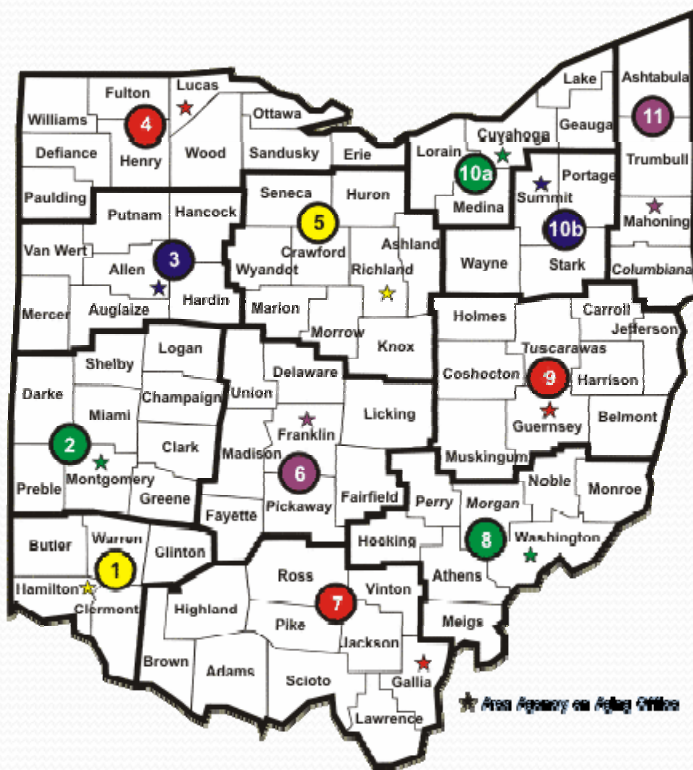




# SE Ohio ADRN Network of Care

Development of a decision making tool that helps support decisions about LTC by older adults and people with disabilities.

# The Southern Ohio Care Transitions Project



## Applicant

Buckeye Hills-AAA8, Marietta, Ohio

## Community-Based Organization Subcontractors

Central Ohio AAA6—PSA 6, Columbus, Ohio

AAA7—Rio Grande, Ohio

## Acute Care Facility Partners

Fairfield Medical Center, Lancaster, Ohio

Adena Health System, Chillicothe, Ohio

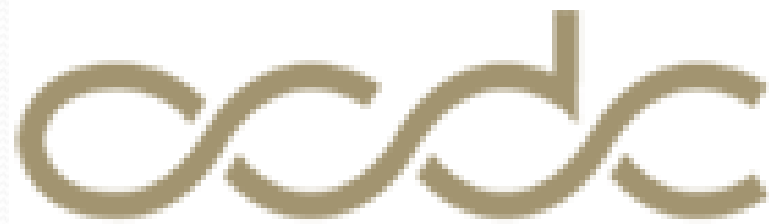
Memorial Health System, Marietta, Ohio

Southern Ohio Medical Center, Portsmouth, Ohio



# Cooperatives

The cooperative model offers the ability to enhance access to long-term care services by older adults and people with disabilities AND provide benefits to the community stakeholders who provide long-term care services.



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<http://ocdc.osu.edu/>

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Identify the group's general purposes/project(s)

*Mission: To facilitate access to services regardless of age or disability.*

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Identify start-up members and interim board/officers/leaders



# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Answer basic bylaw questions



# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Complete membership application



## Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Determine if group likely meets basic cooperative success conditions:
  - Identified common needs
  - Identified critical needs
  - Have a likely acceptable mission/purpose for all members
  - Identified a likely sustainable business plan

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

Name the cooperative:

- Check availability on Secretary of State website
- File Initial Articles of Incorporation - Form 532

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- File for tax ID number (Bank will help you set up)
- Set up checking account under your new tax ID number

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Start basic operations

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Apply for OCDC seed implementation grant; if needed (must be a formed cooperative)

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Complete by-laws
- Complete business plan
- Complete operational budgets

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Determine training/staffing needs and solutions

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Form your permanent board and conduct basic board training

# Cooperative Start-Up Process Options

- Continue operations supported by continued strategic planning



Questions?

Comments?

Concerns?



# Next SE Ohio ADRN Meeting:

October 13, 2011

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



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