



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.**

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www.areaagency8.org

A Program of Buckeye Hills-Hocking Valley Regional Development District
Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Noble, Perry and Washington Counties



Morgan County

ADULT DAY CARE

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

ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES

Morgan County Department of Job & Family Services _____ 740-962-3838
155 East Main St., McConnelsville, OH 43756 888-543-4292

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/
1216 Market St Parkersburg WV 26101 800-491-2717

Alzheimers Support Group _____ 740-962-3761

Alzheimer’s Respite Program _____ 800-331-2644
May have a waitlist due to funding

*SEE ALSO PROJECT LIFESAVER PROGRAM

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION _____ 800-358-0380

Helps pay for medications, provides transportation, loans crutches and wheelchairs

ASSISTED LIVING AND/OR BOARD & CARE HOMES

Riverside Country Care Center _____ 740-962-5303
856 S. Riverside Dr. McConnelsville, OH 43756- 15 available beds/rooms

Ohio Assisted Living Association _____ 614-481-1950
1335 Dublin Rd, Columbus OH 43215

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.

BRAIN INJURIES

Brain Injury Association/OHIO Region 15_____866-644-6242

RT 6 Box 58 Marietta Oh 45750

Non profit organization that supplies education, advocacy, support to those with brain injuries, or their families, Offers support groups, prevention/education/training & I&R

Bereavement Support Group

The Sharing Group Of Morgan County_____740-962-3941

This is a bereavement support group meets on 1st Wed of month at the Kate Love Simpson Library at 3pm. Contact person is Harriet Candy Huck

SOUTHEAST OHIO BREAST & CERVICAL CANCER PROJECT

PLEASE CONTACT___800-236-6253 TO FIND PARTICIPATING PROVIDERS IN MORGAN 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**

CANCER SUPPORT

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

James Cancer Hospital Information Hotline _____800-293-5066

American Cancer Society(Ohio Patient Service Center)_____888-227-6446
649 East Main St. Lancaster, OH 43130

-SEE PATIENT NAVIGATOR

CAREGIVER ADVOCACY PROGRAM_____800-331-2644

Grant program ran by the Area Agency on Aging(maybe a waiting list)

CLINIC

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

CLOTHING ASSISTANCE

Calvary Baptist Church_____740-962-4849

170 Church St. Mcconnelsville, OH 43756 open every Tuesday 930am to 11:30

CLOTHING ASSISTANCE

Jesus Loves You Thrift Shop _____ 740-962-2679
401 Front St. Malta, OH 43758 Gently used clothing at very low prices.

Pleasant City Food Pantry and Thrift Store _____ 740-685-0815
110 Mill St. Pleasant City, OH 43772 The store has clothing, household items & furniture.

Salvation Army _____ 740-452-8350
515 Putnam Zanesville, OH 43701

COMMUNITY ACTION _____ 740-962-3827

50 W. Third St. Malta, OH 43758

Social Service Agency – Includes the following programs: Head Start, HEAP, Family Health Services, Senior Community services, Transportation/Weatherization/Housing.

CONGREGATE DINING

McConnellville Manor _____ 740-962-6696
9th and Main Street, McConnellsville, OH 43756

Reicker Building _____ 740-962-6696
155 E. Main St., Reicker Bldg. Mcconnellsville, OH 43756

The Senior Nutrition Program provides hot, nutritious meals to senior citizens 60 years or older.

DENTAL SERVICES

Dental Clinic _____ 740374-6242
1207 Gilman Ave. Marietta, OH 45750 Services based on sliding fee scale

DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES

Morgan County Department of Job & Family Services _____ 740-962-4616
155 East Main St., McConnellsville, OH 43756 888-257-9159

DIALYSIS

Dialysis Specialists of Marietta _____ 740-376-0045
Acme St Washington Center, Marietta, Oh 45750 (Close to Morgan Co.)

Dialysis Services of Southeast OH Inc _____ 740-753-2398
1950 Mt St Mary’s Dr Nelsonville, Oh 45764 (Close to Morgan Co.)

EMERGENCY AID

American Red Cross-Muskingum Valley Chapter _____ 740-452-2731
P.O. Box 397 Lancaster Oh 43130 43702-0397

Morgan Co Community Action _____ 740-962-3827
50 W 3rd St Malta, OH 43758

Emergency services to very low income persons that formerly received general assistance.

EMERGENCY AID

Lutheran Social Services of Southeast Ohio _____ 740-732-6700
Disaster Response Services are provided for flooding, tornado, and house fires. Outreach services provided, and home repairs for elderly and low income home owners.

The Salvation Army _____ 740-454-8350
515 Putnam Ave. Zanesville, OH 43701
Emergency housing and emergency assistance with Columbia Gas, furniture, clothing etc.

The Salvation Army(Morgan Co United Ministries) _____ 740-962-2679
401 Front St. Malta, OH 43758
Emergency assistance; inquire at the Ministry Center, Jesus Loves You Thrift shop

Trinity United Methodist Church _____ 740-962-2285
98 N. 10th St. McConnelsville, Oh 43756 Emergency services

Morgan County Office of Emergency Management _____ 740-962-2424
60 South 4th St. McConnelsville, OH 43756 Helps with disaster relief

EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

Appalachian Community Visiting Nurse Association, Hospice & Health Services
30 Herrold Ave., Athens, Ohio 45701 _____ 800-837-1112 pr 740-594-8226

Alert One Services, Inc. _____ 800-693-5433
8235 Old Troy Pike #125 Huber Heights, Oh 45424

Critical Signal Technologies(CST) _____ 888-557-4462
22600 Haggerty Rd, Farmington, MI 48335

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

Interim Healthcare _____ 877-757-3700
1100 F Brandywine Blvd. Zanesville, OH 43701

Lifeline(Phillips) _____ 800-543-3546 ext.3050
111 Lawrence Street MS 28, Framingham, MA 01712

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

VRI _____ 800-860-4230
330 Progress Rd. West Carrolton, Oh 45449

EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

ADT Security Services _____ 800-568-1216
32100 US Hwy. 19 North Palm Harbor Fl 34684 Option 3/ ext. 4629

Walgreens Ready Response Medical Alert System _____ 800-552-5378

SOUTHEASTERN OHIO SENIOR 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 will receive up to 10 \$5 coupons for a total of \$50. Program runs from May 1st to Oct 31st

FOOD PANTRY

Bishopville Church of Christ _____ 740-797-3329

Calvary Baptist church _____ 740-962-4849

Manna Harvest Food Pantry _____ 740-962-2679

Morgan County United Ministries _____ 740-962-2679

401 Front St. Malta, Oh 43758 Food pantry and aid in emergency situations.

Pleasant City Food Pantry and Thrift Store _____ 740-685-0815
110 Mill St. Pleasant City, OH 43772

Supplies emergency groceries to those on assistance, who find themselves without food. Thrift store has clothing, household items, and furniture.

Salvation Army _____ 740-452-8350
515 Putnam St. Zanesville, Oh 43701 Emergency food pantry, hot meal program, housing

FOOTWEAR

Foot Orthotics of Southeast _____ 740-452-6400

311 Main St., Zanesville, OH 43701

David Games is contact person. Makes diabetic shoes, orthopedic shoes and orthotics.

FORMS ASSISTANCE

Morgan County Office on Aging _____ 740-962-5600

10 West Main Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

GERIATRIC CARE MANAGEMENT

Integrated Geriatric Care, PLLC _____ 304-428-1114 or 304-483-6882

Conducts in home assessments to evaluate safety issues, arrange and monitor in home Services, provide crisis intervention, and act as a liaison with families. Contact is Paula Chidester

GOLDEN BUCKEYE CARD _____ **866-301-6446**

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Morgan County Health Department_____740-962-4572
4275 N. SR 376 NW, McConnelsville, OH 43756

HEALTH INSURANCE HOTLINES

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 SERVICES

Hear USA Foundation & Hearing aid Bank_____888-835-HEAR

Easter Seals_____800-221-6827

HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Washington/Morgan Community Action_____740-373-3745
218 Putnam St. P.O. Box 144, Marietta,OH 45750

*Title/Grant program meals/ no longer accept private pay(MAY HAVE WAITLIST)

Southeastern Ohio Regional Food Center_____800-385-6813
1005 CIC Dr. Logan, Oh 43138(YORK TWP ONLY)

Village Catering_____800-416-0102
3432 Rhodes Ave. New Boston, OH 45662

Fransican Meals (Bonnie Merriman)_____740-962-2390

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 Nursing Care_____800-446-0211
1206 A Brandywine Blvd., Zanesville, OH 43701

American Nursing Care-Waverly_____800-897-5444
14062 US Rt. 23N Suite A, Waverly OH 45690

Appalachian Community Visiting Nurse Association, Hospice, & Health Services
30 Herrold Ave., Athens, OH 45701_____800-837-1112 or 740-594-8226

HOME HEALTH/RESPITE AGENCIES CONT.

Cambridge Home Health Care _____ 877-248-1121
3542 Maple Dr. Zanesville, OH 43701

Home Care Plus _____ 740-376-2697
200 Putnam St Suite 800, Marietta, OH 45750

Genesis Caregivers _____ 800-926-3089
2503 Maple Ave., Zanesville, OH 43702

Genesis Homecare _____ 740-342-4186
2503 Maple Ave Zaneville, Oh 43702 800-322-1317

Fosterbridge, Inc. _____ 740-797-1000
129 North Plains Rd. The Plains, Oh 45780

Marietta Home Health an Amedysis Partner _____ 740-373-8549/ 800-822-2165
210 N 7th St Suite 300, Marietta, OH 45750

Interim Healthcare of Zanesville _____ 877-757-3700
1100 F Brandywine Blvd.. Zanesville, OH 43701

Ohio HomeCare _____ 740-423-5901
1714 Washington Blvd. Suite B Belpre, Oh 45714

Gentiva Health Services _____ 800-750-7172
133 Rosemar Road, Suite 101 Parkersburg,WV 26104

Quality of Life _____ 740-374-8005
409 Second St. Marietta OH 45750

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

Summit Acres Home Care(Manchester Twp. Only) _____ 740-732-5712
39 Summit Court, Caldwell, Ohio 43724

TLC Home Health Care, Inc. _____ 888-732-4175
43 Kennedy Dr Caldwell, OH 43724

Valley Home Care Solutions _____ 740-732-5800
17895 Bond Ridge Rd, Caldwell, OH 43724

HOME MAINTENACE/HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY PROVIDERS & PROGRAMS

Alloway Construction _____ 740-989-2934
470 Holdren Rd Little Hocking, OH 45742

HOME MAINTENANCE/HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY PROVIDERS & PROGRAMS

Area Agency on Aging/Buckeye Hills HVRDD _____ 800-301-2644
Po Box 370, Reno, OH 45773 Housing Assistance Program. Must meet several eligibility
guidelines to receive grant funding for repairs.

Buffington Construction _____ 740-373-9598
P. O. Box 224, Reno, OH 45773 740-525-1008

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

www.hud.gov/improvements- addresses housing and home maintenance programs

USDA Rural Development _____ 740-373-7113 ext 4
21330 St Rt. 676 Suite A, Marietta, Ohio 45750

MORGAN COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION _____ 740-962-3827
50 West Third St. Malta, OH 45758 Chip Program, Weatherization, housing assistance
program

Morgan County Commissioners/OH Department of Development _____ 740-962-1322
Income guidelines one repair per consumer & can do septic repairs or replacements contact
is Shannon Wells or Tracy Kidd

Miracle Method of Columbus _____ 614-801-0006
6264 Seeds Rd, Grove City OH 43123 (bath tub and bath room only)

Lutheran Social Services of Southeast, Ohio _____ 740-732-6700
810 Main St Caldwell, OH Home repairs for the elderly and low income. Helps May-Sept
Light construction, painting, maintenance, yard work, wheelchair ramps

Valley Home Care Solutions _____ 740-732-5800
17895 Bond Ridge Rd Caldwell, Oh 43724

Woodrow Construction _____ 740-252-1978
6015 Buttermilk Rd. Blue Rock, Oh 43720

Discount Ramps (for automobiles) _____ 888-651-3431
Provide new and used ramps at a discounted price no shipping either.

HOMEMAKER SERVICE

-May contact any of the agencies listed under "Home Health Agencies" also for
homemaker services

Morgan County Office on Aging _____ 740-962-5600
10 West Main Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

HOSPICE

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

Genesis Hospice _____ 740-454-5365

Marietta Home Nursing Service & Hospice _____ 740-374-9100
210 N 7th St, Suite 400, Marietta, OH 45750

OHIO HOSPICE & PALLATIVE CARE.ORG _____ 800-776-9513

HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

www.hud.gov/improvements- addresses housing and home maintenance programs

SAVE THE DREAM _____ 888-404-4674

OHIO'S FORECLOSURE PREVENTION EFFORT OR VISIT WEBSITE

www.savethedream.ohio.gov can help with housing counseling, legal assistance,
mediation, foreclosure loans and grants and neighborhood stabilization

HOUSING –LOW INCOME

Assisted Housing Programs _____ 740-962-3827
50 Third St. Malta, OH 45758

Provides low cost housing to families with disabilities on behalf of the board of MR/DD

Morgan Metropolitan Housing Authority _____ 740-962-4930
4580 N. SR 376 NW Mcconnelsville, OH 43756 60 units of public housing

Clover Ridge _____ 740-962-2067
525 Pine Bark Lane, Mcconnelsville, OH 43756

McConnel Manor _____ 740-962-3199
9th & Main St. McConnelsville, OH 43756

Windsor Village _____ 740-559-2677
1208 Main St. Stockport OH

***SEE ALSO WWW.OHIOHOUSINGLOCATOR.ORG**

IDENTITY THEFT

Identity Theft Verification Passport Program_614-466-5610 or 877-837-4394
Program will help victims report identity theft to local authorities, help them
Inform creditors, and they will receive a card to establish they have been the
Victim of a crime. This program is run by the Ohio Attorney General's Office

INCOME TAX-AIDE PROGRAM- CONTACT AARP AT 888-227-7669
Or website www.aarp.org to find tax counselor near you for free counseling

INCONTINENT GARMENTS AND/OR HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

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

Braden Medical Services _____ 800-472-6998
44519 Marietta Rd, Caldwell, OH 43724

Good Care by Cardiopulmonary Care Inc. _____ 740-385-6177
PO Box 997, Logan, OH 43138

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

Duraline Medical Products(incontinence supplies only) _____ 800-654-3376
PO Box 67, Leipsic, Ohio 45856

Home Care Plus _____ 804-200-7300
4144 A Innslake Dr. Glen Allen, VA 23060

Guardian Medical Monitoring _____ 877-482-7326
18000 W. Eight Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48075

Hoveround _____ 800-701-5781
2151 Whitfield Industrial Way Sarasota, FL 34243

Lorraine Surgical Supply, Co. _____ 800-541-1416
2080 W. 65th St., Cleveland, OH 44102

Marquis Mobility _____ 888-871-5759
4051 Whipple Ave, Nw, Suite E Canton, Oh 44718

Medi-Home Care _____ 800-428-2773
1001 Pike St. Marietta, OH 45750

Medical Supply Inc.(Incontinent Supply Specialist) _____ 800-777-6647
10 Poulson Ave. Essington, PA 19029

Northside Oxygen & Medical Equipment _____ 800-624-2922
702 Wabash Ave. Zanesville, OH 43701

Northside Pharmacy _____ 877-439-7683
1300 Clark St, Cambridge, Oh 43725

INCONTINENT GARMENTS AND/OR HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Rural Metro _____ 216-749-1166
5171 Canal Road Cuyahoga Heights, Oh 44125

Shriver's Pharmacy _____ 740-962-2552
105 N Kennebec Ave, Mcconnelsville, OH 43756

Valued Relationships, Inc. _____ 800-860-4230
330 Progress Rd West Carrollton, OH 45449

ACTIVSTYLE INC _____ 800-651-6223 EXT 216
3100 Pacific St N Minneapolis, MN 55411

INFORMATION & REFERRAL

Buckeye Hills/Area Agency on Aging _____ 800-331-2644
P. O. Box 368, Reno, OH 45773

<http://medlineplus.gov/ose> or www.BenefitsCheckUp.Org

The Ohio Benefits Bank Is a Public-private partnership that provides community outreach
And access to low and moderate income Ohioans for free tax prep and public benefits
For more information please call 1-800-648-1176 or www.OBB.OHIO.GOV

www.ConnectMeOhio.org www.aging.ohio.gov

www.ohio.gov www.healthcare.gov

www.OhioHereToHelp.com

Eldercare locator _____ 800-677-1116
www.eldercare.gov

United Way _____ 740-454-2255
526 Putnam Ave. Zanesville OH Raises funds for community needs

Morgan County now has a 211 system

www.faircareohio.org - gives consumers the opportunity to be linked to legislators to
advocate for a balanced and fair long term care system

KINSHIP

Family Support Program-Kinship Care _____ 740-962-3827
Community Action 50 W Third St. Malta, OH 43758

The Family Support Coordinator will serve as a short-term family guide and advocate for
kinship caregivers to insure linkage to available services at the state and local level and
assist in accessing these services.

LEARNING CENTER _____ **740-962-2079**

Offers Benefit Bank assistance and offers computer classes for seniors but for a fee

LEGAL ASSISTANCE FOR OLDER AMERICANS

Ohio Attorney General's Office _____ 800 642-2873

101 E Town St., 5th floor, Columbus, Ohio 43715

*Robert Byrnes _____ 614-466-8459

Ohio State Legal Services _____ 800-686-3671/800-589-5888

Pro-Seniors _____ 800-488-6070

105 E. Fourth Street, Suite 1715, Cincinnati, OH 45202 www.proseniors.org

Southeastern Ohio Legal Services _____ 740-374-2629

427 Second Street, Marietta, OH 45750 800-837-2630

www.ohpco.org- can download free living will and healthcare POA forms

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.ohioabar.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- 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 Deanna Kinney, LSW at 866-557-0671

MENTAL HEALTH AGENCIES

Appalachian Behavioral Health Care _____ 740-594-5000

100 Hospital Dr. Athens, OH 45701 (Inpatient Psych. Hospital)

Behavioral Health Services _____ 740-459-4778/ 800-322-4762

Genesis Healthcare System 2951 Maple Ave Zanesville, Oh 43701

Provides services for psychiatric and substance abuse.

Cambridge Behavioral Hospital _____ 740-432-4906

66737 Old Twenty-One Rd. Cambridge, OH 43725 inpatient treatment for patients with Psychiatric and chemical dependency issues

MENTAL HEALTH AGENCIES

Morgan Counseling Center Six County, Inc. _____ 740-962-5204/800-344-5816
915 S. Riverside Dr. McConnelsville, OH 43756

Morgan Behavioral Health Choices _____ 740-962-6933
915 S. Riverside, Dr McConnelsville, OH 43756 mental health and chemical dependency

Genesis Recovery Center _____ 740-459-4778 or 800-322-4762
2951 Maple Ave. Zanesville, OH 43701
Focuses on substance abuse treatment.

Stanton Villa _____ 740-342-0616 or 800342-0616
227 N. Main St New Lexington, OH 43764-
Chemical dependency residential treatment for adult women.

www.ohio.networkofcare.org this website connects people to information about
mental and emotional wellness

MR/DD AGENCIES

Morgan County Board of Developmental Disabilities _____ 740-962-4200
900 S. Riverside Drive, McConnelsville, OH 43756

Advocacy and Protective Services, Inc. _____ 800-282-9363 or 614-262-9750
4110 N. High St., 1st Floor Columbus, OH 43214

Advocacy and Protective Services, Inc. _____ 740-685-8877
187 South 2nd St. Byesville, OH 43723

Mary Hammond Adult Activity Center, Inc. _____ 740-962-4010
900 S. Riverside Dr. McConnelsville, OH 43756

Private non-profit corporation that provides employment opportunities on site for Morgan
County persons with disabilities; contracts with Morgan County Board of MR/DD.

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

Genesis Health & Rehab of McConnelsville _____ 740-962-2122
4114 North SR 376, NW, McConnelsville, OH 43756

Riverside Country Care Center _____ 740-962-5303
856 South Riverside Drive, McConnelsville, OH 43756

NURSING FACILITIES

Ohio Long Term Care Consumer Guide _____ 614-466-5500

50 W broad St 9th Floor Columbus, Oh 43215 or www.LTCOHIO.ORG

Provides information about assisted livings and nursing facilities to help consumers, family members, & 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

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 service providers, advocates for the rights of the consumer, and will provide appropriate information and referral.

PATIENT NAVIGATOR

American Cancer Society Patient Navigator provides assistance and support to Patients, survivors, families, and caregivers. Facilitates 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. Please call 888-227-6446 ext 8051 Bonnie Burns

PAYEE PROGRAMS

Community Action _____ 740-962-3827

15 Third St. Malta, OH 43758 Program acts as payee for individuals mandated by SSA to have an independent third party manage their income.

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

PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAMS

Golden Buckeye Prescription Drug Savings Program _____ 800-301-6446

Medicare _____ 800-633-4273

Ohio's Best Rx _____ 866-923-7879
PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAMS

OSHIIP _____ 800-686-1578
Can help consumers navigate through Medicare programs

PPA(Partnership for Prescription Assistance) _____ 888-477-2669

Rx for OHIO _____ 877-794-6446

Together Rx Access.com _____ 800-444-4106

www.needymeds.org –free/discounted meds. available 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. 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

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 _____ 800-209-8085

National Center for Home Equity Conversion www.reserve.org

Reverse Mortgage Lenders Association Consumer web site www.reservemortgage.org

Countrywide Bank Reverse Mortgage Loan Consultant _____ 888-450-1494
230 Washington Blvd, Suite C Belpre, OH 45714

SENIOR CENTERS

Morgan County Office on Aging _____ 740-962-5600
10 West Main Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

SHELTER

Good Works, Inc. _____ 800-736-3602 or
740-594-3333

SOCIAL SECURITY

Social Security Administration _____ 740-452-7539/

TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

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

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 the lifeline assistance program you may contact your local company to see if available or contact PUCO at 800-686- 7826 to see who participates

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

CABL(Community Action Bus Line) 740-962-3827

Morgan County Office on Aging 740-962-5600
10 West Main Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

Morgan County Transit 740-962-9125
Offers in and out transportation

Southeast Ohio Transportation 740-962-5345
212 E Bone NE Ave, Mcconnelsville, Oh 435756
Agency offers a medical escort program that provides transportation to Morgan co Residents to out of county medical appts. Must be 60 years or older and funds Must be available. Also provides other transportation to Morgan co as well

UTILITES

HEAP& Emergency HEAP 740-962-3827
Community Action 15 3rd St. Malta, OH 43758

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

Ohio Consumers Counsel 877-742-5622
77 S High St 15th Floor Columbus Oh 43266

The Ohio Consumer's Counsel 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. The OCC's free services are the following: answers utility questions, investigates complaints, provide resource materials, assists in dispute resolution, assist in making payment arrangements, provide utility related legal assistance, and help restore service and avoid disconnection

UTILITIES

PIPP PLUS _____ 800-686-7826 or 877-742-5622

Also may apply at your local Community Action _740-962-3827

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 household income

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.

SUMMER COOLING PROGRAM _____ 740-962-3827

Community Action 15 3rd St. Malta, OH 43758

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.

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 ORGANIZATIONS

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 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

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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

VFW Post 4713 _____ 740-962-6961
235 Front St. Malta, OH 4375 Military funeral guard, provides hospital equipment at no charge; comradeship for veterans.

Morgan County Veterans Service Commission _____ 740-962-4181
55 S. Kennebec Ave. Mcconnelsville, OH 43756

www.myhealth.va.gov- new Veteran Health website discover what the VA has for you and your family

SERVICES FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED

Bureau of Services for the Visually Impaired _____ 800-248-4378
86 Columbus Road Suite., Athens, OH 45701 740-594-7411
*Only for individuals who are planning to go back to work

Free Bible Cassettes _____ 941-748-3031
Aurora Ministries offer the bible in 52 languages for individuals who have
A visual impairment or disability that enables them to be able to read

Vision Resources and Services for Older Ohioans Directory website-
http://www.preventblindness.org/Ohio/Aging_eye/.

REDUCED COST EYE EXAMS AND EYE GLASSES CONTACTS:

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

PREVENT BLINDNESS OHIO
1-800-301-2020 www.PreventBlindness.org/ohio

REDUCED COST EYE EXAMS AND EYE GLASSES CONTACTS:

OPTICIANS ASSOCIATION OF OHIO

1-800-661-5367 www.OAO.org

EYECARE AMERICA (PROGRAM FOR SENIORS)

1-800-222-3937 www.EyeCareAmerica.org

OHIO LIONS CLUB

1-614-539-5060 www.OhioLions.org

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

Low vision aids