







A Growing Senior Population in Central Texas Opportunities and Needs

Aging Services Council of Central Texas

Vision: Central Texas older adults have the opportunity to live healthy, safe, and meaningful lives in our communities.

Mission: The Aging Services Council of Central Texas is a strong, effective network of individuals and organizations who work together to ensure that older adults and caregivers have the information and services they need to support themselves and family members as they age.

We do this by

- Planning and innovation
- Advocacy and public awareness
- Education and professional development





We emphasize our competitive advantages of:

- Deep knowledge of aging issues at the federal, state and local level
- Broad reach of members representing the continuum of aging services in Central Texas
- A strong track record of experience and accomplishments that support the quality of life of older adults, their families and their caregivers.



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Accountable Aging Care Management

AGE of Central Texas

Alzheimer's Association Capital of Texas Chapter

Capital City Village

Capital Metro

The Care Communities

City of Austin Parks and Recreation Dept.

Coming of Age

Community Advancement Network

Drive a Senior

Family Eldercare

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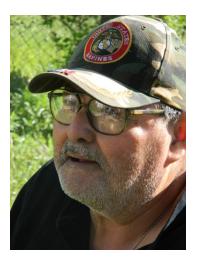
Jewish Family Service of Austin

Meals on Wheels and More
Rebekah Baines Johnson Center
St. David's Foundation
SAIVA
Seton Healthcare Family
Texas Seniors' Guide
TMF Health Quality Initiative
Travis County Health and Human Services and Veterans' Services
The WellMed Charitable Foundation Senior Community Center



Continuum of Supports for Health and Wellness

- Falls prevention classes
- Chronic disease management
- Adult Protective Services
- Medicare benefits counseling
- Support groups
- Home-delivered and congregate meals
- Friendly visitor and caller programs
- Volunteer and learning opportunities
- Senior Centers
- Individual and group counseling





Services and Supports for Aging in Place

- Paratransit service for people with disabilities
- Volunteer driver programs
- Home modification, repair and weatherization
- Bill-payer and guardianship assistance
- In-home help and personal attendant services
- Geriatric case management and care coordination
- Home delivered meal programs
- Affordable senior apartment communities
- Assisted living and Continuum of Care Retirement Communities (private pay)

Services and Supports for Caregivers

- Caregiver Resource Center
- Center-based and in-home respite programs
- Adult day care
- Caregiver education
- Support Groups





Collaborative Initiatives of the Aging Services Council

- Neighborhood Ambassador Program
- Professional Development
- Caregiver Outreach
- Caregiver Resource Guide
- Advance Care Planning
- Transportation access
- Cultural competency





2015 Priority Areas

- Advocacy/policy work
- Development of a speaker's bureau
- Transportation
- Advance Care Planning
- Cultural competency
- Support ADRC
 Implementation





Aging Services Council

- www.AgingServicesCouncil.org
- Meetings are first Thursday of even numbered months from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. at St. David's Foundation, 801 Barton Springs Road
- All interested in furthering ASC vision and mission are welcome



