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POISON CONTROL:
AGING PROVIDER:
RELATIVE, NEIGHBOR:
OTHER.

FIRE POLICE AMRIILANCE CALL 911

FINDING HELP FOR LONG DISTANCE LOVED ONES?

Call the Area Agency on Aging / ADRC at Central Midlands Council of Governments (803) 376-5390. Our Aging staff will find the Area Agency on Aging anywhere in the United States that can be your first link to a distant city or town's Aging Service Network.

Disclaimer:

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1.1 Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging Overview

This directory is designed to assist in identifying supportive services for you and your family need to maintain independence in the later years. Searching out this information for a parent, loved one, or for yourself can become a trying experience if you are not sure who to contact. We hope this directory will help.

The Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging / Aging & Disability Resource Center (AAA/ADRC) does not warrant any agency or organization listed, nor claims that they possess any particular level of competence or skill. Any exclusion of an agency offering services to the elderly is unintentional.

Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging is a special designation conferred by federal and state government that identifies the lead agency in the region responsible for planning and implementing community-based services for older people (60+). Local governments who appoint the governing board of elected officials and citizen members created Central Midlands that has been planning programs for seniors since 1975. Working with a professional planning staff and its Regional Aging and Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC), the Board carries out the Federal, State, and Local mandate of creating a sound service system to meet the region growing older population.

A majority of the aging services are funded by federal grants/funds through the 1965 Older Americans Act. This law required that planning and service districts be designated to plan and implement aging services.

The Lt. Governor's Office on Aging has divided the state into ten planning and service districts. Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging was designed in 1976.

The mission of the Area Agency on Aging is to plan programs and services for the growing population of older people in Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry and Richland Counties.

The agency contracts with local contractors for delivery of services. The Regional Aging and Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC), consisting of older individuals who are participants or who are eligible to participate in Older Americans Act programs, representatives of older persons, persons with disabilities and the general public, assists the Council of Governments in fulfilling the responsibilities of the Area Agency on Aging.

The Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging transitioned into the Central Midlands Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) on September 9, 2009. South Carolina initiated the establishment of ADRC's in 2003 with a commitment of three-year funding from the State Unit on Aging and expanding to five regions. In the 2009-2010 Fiscal year, the State unit on Aging committed three-year funding to the remaining five regions of South Carolina, including Central Midlands.

1.1 Central Midlands Area Agency on Aging Overview

The Central Midlands ADRC will serve as a highly visible and trusted agency serving the community as a place where people go for information, assistance and resources on the full range of support options. Long-term support includes a wide range of in-home, community-based, and institutional services and programs that are design to help seniors and individuals with disabilities.

1.2 Mission Statement

Central Midlands Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging /Aging and Disability Resource Center (AAA/ADRC) mission is to plan and oversee programs and services for the growing population of older people and people with disabilities in Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry and Richland counties.

1.3 Staff

Ben Mauldin, Executive Director

Reginald Simmons, Deputy Executive Director

Cindy Curtis, Director Area Agency on Aging

Crystal Cauble, Administrative Assistant Area Agency on Aging

Carol Boykin, Information / Referral and Assistance Specialist

Franicia Matthews, Information / Referral and Assistance Coordinator

Sheila Bell-Ford, I-CARE Coordinator

JaJuana Davis, I-CARE Program Assistant

Beck Baird, Family Caregiver Advocate

Jenny Andrews, Family Caregiver Advocate Coordinator

Anna Harmon, Director Regional Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

LaToya Buggs-Williams, Senior Ombudsman Investigator

Fretoria Williams, Ombudsman Volunteer Coord. / Info Support Specialist

Laurie Giarratano, Associate Ombudsman / Support Specialist

1.4 Regional Aging & Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC)

The Advisory Committee for Aging Program Planning of the Central Midlands Council of Governments does hereby set forth the following Bylaws to govern its operation.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Advisory Committee for Aging Program Planning of the Central Midlands Council of Governments does hereby set forth the following Bylaws to govern its operation.

The term "Council" is used to designate the Central Midlands Council of Governments. The term "Committee" is used to designate the Aging and Disability Advisory Committee.

To promote a positive experience of aging for older individuals, the disabled community and their families. The Central Midlands Council of Governments is the regional lead agency for advocating, planning, coordinating and developing resources to help localities provide a comprehensive range of social and health-related services within a statewide aging and disability network.

BYLAWS

CENTRAL MIDLANDS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
REGIONAL AGING AND DISABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE I

MEMBERSHIP

- 1-1 The membership shall consist of those individuals appointed by the Council for two-year terms. The term may be extended by mutual agreement upon completion of the term.
- 1-2 At least fifty percent (50%) of membership shall be of age 60 years or older. The membership shall be representative of the disability community.
- 1-3 Formula for Membership: Representatives shall consist of one (1) member for each three thousand (3,000) persons age 60+ within each county as identified by current census data. Minority elderly representation will equal the percentage of 60+ minority elderly in the CMCOG planning and service areas as indicated by the current census data.
- 1-4 Vacancies on the Committee shall be filled by the Council upon recommendations by the Committee. All prospective members will be required to submit an application.

ARTICLE II

RESPONSIBILITIES

- 2-1 The duties of the Committee are to:
- 2-1.1 Promote and encourage local communities to recognize the needs and promote the establishment of programs for older persons and disabled persons.
- 2-1.2 Establish priorities, based upon the needs of the local communities and the Region.

1.4 Regional Aging & Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC)

2-1.3 Develop and revise, on a yearly basis, regional comprehensive Aging and Disability Program plans based upon the needs and established priorities.

Make recommendations to the Council for approval or disapproval of applications from units of local governments, the Council, and/or local service provider agencies.

ARTICLE III

MEETINGS

- 3-1 Regular meetings shall be held six (6) times annually or at such other time and date as called by the Chairperson.
- 3-2 The Committee and the public shall be notified by the Chairperson of the time and place of meetings at least fourteen (14) days in advance of such meetings.
- 3-3 Action can be taken by a majority vote by those present at the meeting.
- 3-4 Only duly appointed members of the Advisory Committee may vote on any matter before the Committee. Members must abstain from voting on issues that present a conflict of interest.

ARTICLE IV

MEMBER ATTENDANCE

4-1 In order for the Committee to carry out its duties and responsibilities, it is necessary for all members to attend all meetings. If a member is absent for two (2) consecutive meetings, CMCOG staff shall notify the Chairperson. The Chairperson will notify such member, in writing, of his absences. If such member fails to attend the next regular meeting, without a valid excuse the Chairperson shall forward a recommendation from the Committee to the CMCOG board chair.

ARTICLE V

OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

- 5-1 The officers shall consist of a Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson.
- 5-2 The Chairperson shall preside at all meetings of the Committee and shall have the duties normally conferred on such officers, including the appointment of sub-committees or project groups.
- 5-3 The Vice-Chairperson shall assume the duties of chairperson in the absence of the Chairperson.
- 5-4 CMCOG staff shall keep the minutes and records of the Committee; prepare, with the Chairperson, the agenda of regular and special meetings; provide notice of meetings and such other duties, as requested by the Chairperson.

1.4 Regional Aging & Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC)

ARTICLE VI

Election of Officers

- 6-1 The Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson shall be appointed by the Council of Governments.
- 6-2 The Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson shall serve for a term of two (2) years and shall serve until the successor is appointed.

ARTICLE VII

SUBCOMMITTEES

7-1 Standing subcommittees shall be: (1) Advocacy; (2) Nutrition Program; (3) Quality Assurance; (4) Grievance; and (5) Caregiver subcommittee. The Committee may establish special sub-committees. The Chairperson of the Committee shall appoint members of such committees.

ARTICLE VIII

RECORDS

8-1 The Committee shall keep a record of its recommendations, transactions, findings, and determinations. Such records shall be maintained in the Council's office.

ARTICLE IX

BYLAWS CONFLICT

9-1 In the event of conflict between the provision of these Bylaws and the Bylaws or other policies of the Council, the Bylaws or policies of the Council shall prevail.

ARTICLE X

ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT

- 10-1 These Bylaws may be adopted by a majority vote of the membership present at a regular meeting of the Regional Aging and Disability Advisory Committee.
- 10-2 These Bylaws may be amended by a majority vote of the membership present at a regular meeting, providing the proposed amendment has been submitted to the membership in writing at least seven (7) days before the meeting.
- 10-3 The adoption of these Bylaws shall be effective January 12, 2010.

1.4 Regional Aging & Disability Advisory Committee (RADAC)

Central Midlands Council of Government Regional Aging and Disability Advisory Committee

Fairfield County (2)

Mary Gail Douglas (Chair)

Newberry County (2)

Vina Abrams

Betty L. Schumpert

Lexington County (10)

Bill Banning Peggy Butler

Dr. Lorraine Fowler

Mary Joyner Kay Mitchell Joyce Mize

Kimberly A. Tissot

Richland County (12)

Betty "Cookie" Brooks

Ellen Cooper

Julie Ann Dixon (Vice Chair)

Chip Harriford Dr. Stephen Lloyd Paul Livingston Joyce Mason

1.5 Silver Haired Legislature Caucus

The purpose of South Carolina Silver Haired Legislature (SCSHL) will be: (1) to identify issues, concerns, and possible solutions for problems faced by the citizens of South Carolina with special emphasis on issues related to seniors. (2) To make recommendations to the Governor and to members of the SC General Assembly. (3) To educate the public on senior issues. (4) To encourage seniors to participate actively in public affairs; (5) to function on a nonpartisan basis. (6) To promote good government for all South Carolinians. (7) To hold one Legislative Session annually.

Silver Haired Legislature 2016-2017

Fairfield County

Eugene "Gene" Clemens Hubert Rentz Jr.

Lexington County

Jean Bridges
Bruce Bondo
Wendell Christine
Ethel Corley
Tom Lloyd
Charles McNeill
Kay Mitchell
Joyce Mize
Rebecca Smith

Newberry County

Margaret Brackett George Burk

Richland County

Betty "Cookie" Brooks

Bernard Gaudi (Chair)

Athenia "Tina" Gilchrist

Melvin "Mel" Jenkins

Carolyn Randolph-George

Carolynne Rowe

James "Jay" Scully

Hannah Timmons (Secretary)

Beverly Turner (Vice Chair)

Peyton Wooldridge

1.6 Council on Aging Contractors

Each county in South Carolina has at least one "Point of Service" contractor for older citizens. County Aging contractors provide information and referral to all available senior citizens services. They also provide a wide variety of services directly.

Fairfield County Council on Aging

210 East Washington Street, Winnsboro S.C. 29180

Tel: 803-635-3015 Fax: 803-635-9171

Email: fccoainfo@truvista.net

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Services: Congregate Meals, Home Delivered Meals, Homecare Level 1 (Homemaker), Transportation to and from Congregate Location, Food Co-Op, Community Food Box Program.

Lexington County Recreation and Aging Commission

125 Parker Street, Lexington S.C. 29072

Tel: 803-356-5111 Fax: 803-356-8990

Email: lchristison@lcrac.com, website: www.lcrac.com
Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Services: Senior Centers - Noon Meal, Activities and Crafts, Transportation to Centers,

Educational Program, Fitness/Exercise, Recreation, Fellowship. Other: Day trips/Overnight trips, Medi-loan Closet, Sitters List, and Telephone Reassurance, Home Delivered Meals, Limited Transportation/Escort to Medical Appointments, Information and Referral, Volunteering,

Community Services.

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street, Newberry S.C. 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266 Fax: 803-276-6312

Email: <u>info@nccoa.org</u>, website: <u>www.nccoa.org</u> Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Services: Group Dining, Home Delivered Meals, Transportation, Homecare, Adult Day Care, Evidence based exercise, Demand Response Transportation, and Smart-Ride Express Buses.

Senior Resources, Inc.

2817 Millwood Avenue, Columbia S.C. 29205 Tel: 803-929-0349 or Toll Free: 1-866-818-6499

Email: info@seniorresourcesinc.org website: www.seniorresourcesinc.org

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Services: Foster Grandparents, Homecare, Meals on Wheels, Pet Pals, Retired & Senior Volunteer Program, Referral and Assistance Specialist, Senior Companions, Telephone Reassurance, Wellness Centers, Senior Food Pantry.

1.6 Council on Aging Contractors

South Carolina Legal Service

Services: South Carolina Legal Services (SCLS) provides free legal assistance in a wide variety of civil (non-criminal) legal matters to eligible low-income residents of South Carolina. SCLS is a non-profit corporation, funded by grants from the federally funded Legal Services Corporation, the South Carolina Bar Foundation, local United Ways, state court filing fees, and other federal, state and local funding.

SCLS Intake Office - Statewide

Tel: 803-744-9430 or Toll Free: 888-346-5592

Fax: 803-744-9450

South Carolina Legal Service Offices:

Columbia Office

Serving: Lee, Lexington, Kershaw, Richland, and Sumter Counties

2109 Bull Street (P.O. Box 1445) Columbia S.C. 29201

Tel: 803-799-9668 or Toll Free: 888-799-9668

Fax: 803-799-1781

Office Hours Monday -Friday 8:30 AM-5:00 PM

Greenwood Office

Serving: Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick, Newberry, and Saluda Counties

316 W. Cambridge Ave Greenwood, SC 29646 Tel: 864-223-4879 or Toll Free: 800-922-3114

Fax: 864-223-7629

Rock Hill Office

Serving: Chester, Fairfield, Lancaster, and York Counties

214 Johnston Street Rock Hill, SC 29730

Tel: 803-327-9001 or Toll Free: 800-922-3853

Fax: 803.327.7105

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2.1 South Carolina Area Agencies on Aging

There are ten (10) Area Agencies on Aging spread around South Carolina. They are excellent resources for local community issues that relate to the aging and disabled populations.

AAA – Region I (Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens and Spartanburg) Appalachia Area Agency / SC Appalachian Council of Governments Tim Womack, Director 30 Century Circle Greenville, SC 29607

Tel: 864-242-9733 www.scacog.org

AAA – Region II (Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick and Saluda) Upper Savannah Area Agency / Upper Savannah Council of Governments Vanessa Widemann, Director 430 Helix Road Greenwood, SC 29646 Tel: 864-941-8069 or Toll Free 800-922-7729

161. 804-941-8009 01 10111166 800-922-

www.uppersavannah.com

AAA – Region III (Chester, Lancaster, York and Union)
Catawba Area Agency / Catawba Area Agency on Aging
Barbara Robinson, Director
2051 Ebenezer Road, Ste. B (P.O. Box 4618) Rock Hill, SC 29732
Tel: 803-329-9670 or Toll Free 800- 662-8330
www.catawba-aging.com

AAA – Region IV (Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry, Richland)
Central Midlands Area Agency / Central Midlands Council of Governments
Cindy Curtis, Director
236 Stoneridge Drive Columbia, SC 29210
Tel: 803-376-5390 or Toll Free 866-394-4166

www.centralmidlands.org

AAA – Region V (Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Calhoun and Orangeburg) Lower Savannah Area / Lower Savannah Council of Governments Mary Beth Fields, Director 2748 Wagener Road Aiken, SC 29801 Tel: 803-649-7981

www.lscog.org

2.1 South Carolina Area Agencies on Aging

AAA – Region VI (Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee and Sumter)

Santee-Lynches Area Agency / Santee-Lynches Regional Council of Governments Connie Munn, Director

36 West Liberty, Sumter, SC 29151

Tel: 803-775-7381

www.santeelynchescog.org

AAA – Region VII (Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion, and Marlboro)

Pee Dee Area Agency / Vantage Point

Sheila Welch, Director

1268 South Fourth Street (P.O. Box 999) Hartsville SC 29551

Tel: 843-383-8632

www.caresouth-carolina.com

AAA - Region VIII (Georgetown, Horry, and Williamsburg)

Waccamaw Area Agency / Waccamaw Regional Council of Governments Kim Harmon, Director 1230 Highmarket Street Georgetown, SC 29440

Tel: 843-546-4231

www.wrcog.org

AAA – Region IX (Berkeley, Charleston, and Dorchester)

Trident Area Agency / Stephanie Blunt, Director 4450 Leeds Place West, Suite B North Charleston, SC 29405

Tel: 843-554-2275 www.tridentaaa.org

AAA - Region X (Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper)

Lowcountry Area Agency / Lowcountry Council of Governments Hank Amundson, Director

I-95 Exit 33 Hwy. 17 Point South, SC 29945-0098

Tel: 843-726-5536

2.2 South Carolina Information / Referral & Assistance Specialist

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRCs) provide a single, coordinated system of information and access for seniors, caregivers and adults with disabilities seeking long term care by minimizing confusion, enhancing individual choice, and supporting informed decision-making. ADRCs make it easier for consumers to learn about and access existing services and supports that are available in their communities.

Information, Referral, and Assistance (I/R&A) – SCAccess, www.scaccesshelp.org, is an Internet based information resource designed to assist seniors, adults with disabilities, and their caregivers locate a variety of services in their area and provides educational material on numerous issues. Ten regional Information and Referral Specialists, located at the ADRCs, provide personal assistance by phone or in person.

Region I- I/R&A Specialist (Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens and Spartanburg) Appalachia Area Agency-SC Appalachian Council of Governments

Travis Hatcher - thatcher@scacog.org

Tel: 864-242-9733 or Toll Free: 800-434-4036

Region II – I/R&A Specialist (Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick and Saluda) Upper Savannah Area Agency-Upper Savannah Council of Governments

Susu Wallace – swallace@uppersavannah.com

Tel: 864-941-8069 or Toll Free 800-922-7729

Region III – I/R&A Specialist (Chester, Lancaster, York and Union)

Catawba Area Agency-Catawba Area Agency on Aging

Deb Pittman – deb.pittman@catawba-aging.com

Tel: 803-329-9670 or Toll Free 800-662-8330

Region IV – I/R&A Specialist (Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry, Richland)

Central Midlands Area Agency-Central Midlands Council of Governments

Carol Boykin – cboykin@centralmidlands.org

Tel: 803-37-.5390 or Toll Free 866-394-4166

2.2 South Carolina Information / Referral & Assistance Specialist

Region V – I/R&A Specialist (Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Calhoun and Orangeburg)

Lower Savannah Area- Lower Savannah Council of Governments

Nikki Cannon – ncannon@lscog.org

Tel: 803-508-7033 or Toll Free 866-845-1550

Region VI – I/R&A Specialist (Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee and Sumter)

Santee-Lynches Area Agency - Santee-Lynches Regional Council of Governments

Janae Stowe - jstowe@slcog.org

Tel: 803-775-7381 or toll Free 800-948-1042

Region VII - I/R&A Specialist (Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion, and Marlboro)

Pee Dee Area Agency-Vantage Point

Tina McLeod – Tina.McLeod@caresouth-carolina.com

Tel: 843-529-3680 or Toll Free 866-505-3331

Region VIII – I/R&A Specialist (Georgetown, Horry, and Williamsburg)

Waccamaw Area Agency-Waccamaw Regional Council of Governments

Trina Cason – tcason@wrcog.org

Tel: 843-436-2110 or Toll Free 888-302-7550

Region IX – I/R&A Specialist (Berkeley, Charleston, and Dorchester)

Trident Area Agency

Lavonia Dixon – Idixon@tridentaaa.org

Tel: 843-529-3680 or Toll Free 800-894-0415

Region X – I /R&A Specialist (Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper)

Lowcountry Area Agency-Lowcountry Council of Governments

Karen Anderson -: kanderson@lowcountrycog.org

Tel: 843-726-5536 or Toll Free 877-846-8148

2.3 South Carolina Family Caregiver Advocates

Family Caregiver Support Services Administered locally by the 10 Area Agencies on Aging (AAA), each AAA has a full-time Family Caregiver Advocate who works directly with family caregivers providing:

Offering Help to Caregivers Who Are:

- Unpaid family caregivers for a frail or disabled adult 60 or older
- Relative caregivers, 55 or older, responsible for raising a child related through blood, marriage or adoption
- Unpaid family caregivers for someone with Alzheimer's disease or a related neurological disorder
- Adults, 55 or older, who are unpaid family caregivers for a child of any age with a disability

Services Available:

- Information about local services and supports,
- Assistance from a trained Family Caregiver Advocate to help caregivers assess needs and access support services,
- Counseling, support groups, and training,
- Respite care for caregivers

A service provided at no cost to qualifying participants is federally funded under the Older Americans Act along with state and local matching funds.

South Carolina Family Caregiver Support Program — A Statewide Consumer-Directed Model South Carolina's model builds on current research and best practice to provide a statewide infrastructure to support family caregivers who are the backbone of our long-term care system in SC.

Region I – Appalachia (Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg)

Barbara Jardno: bjardno@scacog.org

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Region II – Upper Savannah (Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick, Saluda)

Barbara Wright: bwright@uppersavannah.com

Tel: 864- 941-8067 Fax: 864- 941-8090

Region III – Catawba (Chester, Lancaster, York, Union)

Deb Lewis - Deb.Lewis@catawba-aging.com

Tel: 803- 329-9670 Fax: 803- 329-6537

2.3 South Carolina Family Caregiver Advocates

Region IV – Central Midlands (Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry, and Richland)

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Tel: 803-376-5390 ext. 329 or 313

Fax: 803- 376-5394

Region V – Lower Savannah (Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Calhoun, and Orangeburg)

Catherine Longfellow – clongfellow@lscog.org

Tel: 803-649-7981 or Toll Free 1-866-845-1550

Fax: 803-649-2248

Region VI – Santee-Lynches (Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee, Sumter)

Josh Houben - jhouben@slcog.org

Tel: 803- 775-7381 Fax: 803- 773-9903

Region VII – Pee Dee (Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion, Marlboro)

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Tel: 843- 383-8632 Fax: 843- 383-8754

Region VIII - Waccamaw (Georgetown, Horry, Williamsburg)

Val Gonzalez - vgonzalez@wrcog.org

Tel: 843-546-8502 or Toll Free 1-800-569-1957

Fax: 843- 527-2302

Region IX – Trident (Berkeley, Charleston, Dorchester)

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Tel: 843- 554-2278 Fax: 843- 554-2284

Region X – Lowcountry (Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, Jasper)

Rhonda Hiott – rhiott@lowcountrycog.org

Tel: 843-726-5536 Fax: 843-726-5165

2.4 South Carolina I-CARE / SHIP Coordinators

The State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) has people throughout the state that can help with Medicare questions. SHIP in South Carolina is also the Insurance Counseling Assistance and Referrals for Elders Program (I-CARE). The I-CARE Program is a consumer service and is available to answer questions about Medicare Prescription Drug Program. The I-CARE program is not affiliated with any insurance plan and does not sell or indorse any insurance product. For more information about I-CARE program (SHIP counselors) contact the local Area Agency on Aging in your area.

Region I- Appalachia (Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens, and Spartanburg)

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Tel: 864 -242-9733 or Toll Free: 1-800-434-4036

Region II- Upper Savannah (Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick, and Saluda)

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Region V- Lower Savannah (Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Calhoun, and Orangeburg)

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Tel: 803-508-7033 or Toll Free: 1-866-845-1550

Region VI- Santee-Lynches (Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee and Sumter)

Brenda Richburg – brichburg@slcog.org

Tel: 803-775-7381 or Toll Free: 800-948-1042

Region VII- Vantage Point (Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion, and Marlboro)

Sherry Johnson — sherryjohnson@caresouth-carolina.com

Tel: 843-383-8632 or Toll Free 1-866-505-3331

Region VIII- Waccamaw (Georgetown, Horry and Williamsburg)

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2.4 South Carolina I-CARE / SHIP Coordinators

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Region X- Lowcountry (Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper)

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2.5 South Carolina Long Term Ombudsman Program

The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

The Central Midlands Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program investigates, mediates and advocates concerns/complaints on behalf of residents/vulnerable adults in long-term care facilities. They investigates or cause to be investigated, reports of abuse, neglect and exploitation of residents. The Ombudsman Program advocates to improve the quality of care and the quality of life of residents in facilities. A Long-Term Care Ombudsman also assist in resolving concerns/complaints related to Resident Rights to include issues involving a lack of dignity, respect, improper transfers and discharges. They provide education to the community and facility staff related to long-term care issues. Whether through systemic advocacy or individual efforts, the Ombudsman Program makes a difference in the lives of residents in long-term care facilities.

The Ombudsman Program is governed by the Federal Older Americans Act and by the South Carolina Omnibus Adult Protection Act. The South Carolina Lt. Governor's Office on Aging administers the statewide program.

The Volunteer Ombudsman Program

A Volunteer Ombudsman makes regular visits to facilities to talk with residents and their families. They provide information related to Resident Rights, the Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program and make observations. The Volunteer Ombudsman Program recruits and trains volunteers so their role is clearly explained. A Volunteer Ombudsman is not a Certified Long-Term Care Ombudsman. They are trained to report all problems/concerns/complaints to the Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program.

For additional information about the Central Midlands Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program, please call (803) 376-5389 or 1-800-391-1185.

State Long Term Care Ombudsman's Office - Lt. Governor's Office on Aging

1301 Gervais St., Suite 350 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-9900 or Toll Free 1-800-868-9095

Fax: 803-734-9988

State Long Term Care Ombudsman: A. Dale Watson dwatson@aging.sc.gov Ombudsman Program Coordinator: Tammy Keller tkeller@aging.sc.gov

Ombudsman: Sandra Eskew seskew@aging.sc.gov, Sonya Turner sturner@aging.sc.gov, Angie Valentin aschmidt@aging.sc.gov, LaQuanda Washington washington@aging.sc.gov

Volunteer Ombudsman Coordinator / Legal Services Developer: Catherine Zavoras

czavouras@aging.sc.gov

Administrative Coordinator: LaWandra Kelly lkelly@aging.sc.gov

2.5 South Carolina Long Term Ombudsman Program

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(Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens, and Spartanburg)
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Fax: 864-242-6957

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Region III: Catawba - York, SC

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Tel: 803-775-7381 or Toll Free: 1-800-948-1042

Fax: 803-773-9903

2.5 South Carolina Long Term Ombudsman Program

Region VII: Pee Dee - Hartsville, SC

(Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion, and Marlboro)
Michelle Anderson <u>michell.anderson@caresouth-carolina.com</u>, Earl Gallishaw
<u>earl.gallishaw@caresouth-carolina.com</u>, Sherry Johnson <u>sherry.johnson@caresouth-carolina.com</u>

Tel: 843-383-8632 ext.106

Fax: 843-383-8754

Region VIII: Waccamaw - Georgetown, SC

(Georgetown, Horry and Williamsburg)

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Region IX: Trident - Charleston, SC

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Tel: 843-554-2280 or Toll Free: 1-800-864-6446

Fax: 843-554-2284

Region X: Lowcountry - Yemassee, SC

Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper Claire Glasson cglasson@lowcountrycog.org

Tel: 843-726-5536 or 843-524-2625

Fax: 843-726-5165

2.6 Aging Services / Agencies / Organizations

America Association of Retired Persons (AARP)

1201 Main Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-251-7860 www.aarp.org

Association for the Protection of the Elderly

2051 Columbia Avenue Suite 127 Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803-356-6535 or Toll Free: 800-569-7345

Center for Carolina Living

4201 Blossom Street Columbia, SC 29205

Tel: 803-782-7466 or Toll Free: 1-800-849-MOVE

www.carolinaliving.com/default.asp

Gerontological Society of America

1030 15th St., NW, Suite 250 Washington, DC 2005

Tel: 202-842-1275

National Assoc. of Retired Federal Employees

502 Cessna Avenue Charleston, SC 29407-2245

Tel: 843-852-0238

SC Adult Day Services Association

Post Office Box 1269 Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-808-2980

SC Assoc. of Non-Profit Homes for the Aging

2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite 309-A Columbia, SC 29204-2413

Tel: 803-988-0005

SC Association of Residential Care Homes

1300 Sumter Street, Suite 206 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-933-0921 or Toll-Free: 1-800-862-2908

www.scarch.org

SC Bar

950 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-6653

2.6 Aging Services / Agencies / Organizations

SC Education Association - Retired

421 Zimalcrest Drive Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803-551-4150

SC Hospital Association

P.O. Box 6009 W. Columbia, SC 29171

Tel: 803-796-3080 www.scha.org

SC Health Care Association (Nursing Homes)

176 Laurelhurst Avenue Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803-772-7511 www.schca.org

SC Home Health Care

P.O. Box 1763 Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-254-7355

SC Medical Association

3210 Fernandina Road, (P.O. Box 11188) Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803-798-6207

SC National Assoc. of Social Workers

P.O. Box 5008 Columbia, SC 29250

Tel: 803-256-8406

National Association of Social Workers

750 First Street NE Suite 700 Washington, DC 20002-2421

www.scnasw.org

SC Nurses Association

1821 Gadsden Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-252-4781 www.scnurses.org

SC Nursing Home Association

Anne Marie Rehab & Nursing Center 1200 Talisman Drive N. Augusta, SC 29841

Tel: 803-278-2170

2.6 Aging Services / Agencies / Organizations

SC State Employees Association

P.O. Box 61061 Columbia, SC 29260

Tel: 803-238-1608 www.scsea.com

SC Gerontological Society

4830 Dale Drive Columbia, SC 29203

Tel: 803-786-6316

2.7 State Agencies

SC Department of Health & Human Services – DHHS Bureau of Long Term Care Services – DHHS

1801 Main Street, (PO Box 8206) Columbia, SC 29202-8206

Tel: 803-898-2590

SC Department of Health and Environmental Control Home Health Services and Long Term Care

Robert Mills Building, 2600 Bull Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-898-0760

SC Department of Mental Health Division of Elderly and Long Term Care Services

2414 Bull Street, (PO Box 485) Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-898-8579

SC Department of Social Services Adult Protective Services

1535 Confederate Avenue, (PO Box 1520) Columbia, SC 29202-1520

Tel: 803-898-7318

SC Department of Disabilities and Special Needs

3440 Harden Street, (PO Box 4706) Columbia, SC 29240

Tel: 803-898-9600 or Toll-Free: 1-888-376-4636

Talking Books – SC State Library

(formerly – Dept. for the Blind and Physically Handicapped)

1430 Senate Street Columbia, SC 29201-3041 Tel: 803-734-4611 or Toll-Free: 1-800-922-7818

TTY: 803-734-7298

E-Mail: lbphbooks@leo.scsl.state.sc.us, website: www.state.sc.us/scsl/bph

SC Department of Employment and Workforce

1550 Gadsden Street, (PO Box 995) Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-737-2400 www.sces.org

2.7 State Agencies

SC Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulations

PO Box 11329 Columbia, SC 29211

Tel: 803-896-4300 www.llr.state.sc.us

SC Office of Economic Opportunity

1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-0662 Fax: 803-734-0356

E-Mail: oeo@admin.sc.gov

INFORMATION ASSISTANCE LINES

Alzheimer's Consultation Line for Clinicians

Toll Free: 1-800-424-6872 Charleston: 843-740-1592

Alzheimer's Resource Coordination Center

Columbia: 803-898-2850 or Toll Free: 1-800-868-9095

National Alzheimer's Association

Toll Free: 1-800-272-3900

Elder Support Line

180 Lockwood Blvd.

(Location: 1525 Sam Rittenburg, Suite D)

Charleston, SC 29403 Tel: 843-724-7180

Statewide Alzheimer's Disease Registry

Columbia: 803-777-5337

Eldercare Locator (National)

Toll Free: 1-800-677-1116

Family Information Network Cooperative County Extension Service

Clemson University

243 T&A Building Clemson, SC 29634-0753

Tel: 864-656-0110

E-Mail: amerok@clemson.edu

2.7 State Agencies

INFORMATION ASSISTANCE LINES

Home Health Services/Complaint Line

Toll Free: 1-800-922-6735

Newsline & Talking Books Services South Carolina State Library

P.O. Box 821 Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-734-8666 or Toll-Free: 1-800-922-7818

SC Bar - Law Line

Tel: 803-771-0011 or Toll Free: 1-800-521-9788

National Fraud Information Center

Toll Free: 1-800-876-7060

Federal Trade Commission

Charity Fraud 1-877-382-4357

www.ftc.gov/charityfraud

SC Department of Consumer Affairs Consumer Complaint Analyst

3600 Forest Drive, 3rd Floor Columbia, SC 29204 Tel: 803-234-4200 or Toll Free: 1-800-922-1594

E-Mail: scdca@dca.state.sc.us

SC Dept. of Insurance Consumer Services

300 Arbor Lake Drive, Suite 1200 Columbia, SC 29223 Tel: 803-737-6180 or Toll-Free: 1-800-768-3467

E-mail: cnsmmail@doi.state.sc.us,

www.doi.state.sc.us/Eng/Public/Consumer/Consumer.asp

Protection & Advocacy for People with Disabilities, Inc.

3710 Landmark Drive, Suite 208 Columbia, SC 29204 Tel: 803-782-0639 or Toll-Free: 1-866-275-7273

Charleston: 1-800-743-2553 Florence: 1-800-868-0752 Greenville: 1-800-758-5212

E-mail: info@protectionandadvocacy-sc.org , website: www.protectionandadvocacy-sc.org

2.7 State Agencies

INFORMATION ASSISTANCE LINES

State Office of Victims Assistance

1205 Pendleton St., Rm. 401 Columbia, SC 29201 Tel: 803-734-1900 or Toll-Free: 1-800-220-5370

www.govoepp.state.sc.us/sova

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys

1604 N. Country Rd. Tuscan, AR

Tel: 1-520-881-4005 www.naela.com

National Institute on Aging Information Center

P.O. Box 8057 Gaithersburg, MD 20898-8057

Toll Free: 1-800-222-4225

E-Mail: niaic@jbs1.com, website: www.nih.gov/nia

Professional Geriatric Care Managers

Tel: 520-881-8008 www.caremanager.org

Affordable Housing Coalition of South Carolina

PO Box 1623 Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803-808-2980

E-Mail: info@affordablehousingsc.org, website: www.affordablehousingsc.org

The Affordable Housing Coalition of South Carolina is a policy and advocacy group dedicated to the creation, preservation and improvement of affordable/workforce housing for all South Carolinians. Founded in 1991 as a 501©(3) organization, we are the primary advocates for affordable housing for all South Carolina residents, providing a forum for communication, education, and action among our members to create and improve affordable housing for working families, special needs groups, and individuals. We are the only professional association in South Carolina representing ALL aspects of the affordable/workforce housing industry.

AARP

1201 Main Street Suite 1720 Columbia, SC 29201 Tel: 803-765-7581 or Toll-Free: 1-866-389-5655 E-Mail: SCAARP@aarp.org, website:www.aarp.org

AARP is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, social welfare organization with a membership of nearly 38 million that helps people turn their goals and dreams into real possibilities, strengthens communities and fights for the issues that matter most to families — such as health care, employment and income security, and protection from financial abuse

Gerontological Society of America

1220 L. Street NW Suite 901 Washington, DC 20005

Tel: 202-842-1275 www.geron.org

For the past seven decades, GSA has provided visionary leadership in the field of aging, while maintain a commitment to providing resources and opportunities for its members. Now, faced with a growing baby boomer population, the demand for aging-related professionals has accelerated. GSA is proud to continue supporting its members in this vastly changing environment. After nearly seven decades of excellence, GSA is stronger than ever

National Active and Retired Federal Employee Association

104 Park View Court Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803-796-3106 www.87.scnarfe.org

NARFE'S Chapter 87 of Columbia, South Carolina was founded in 1952 all for active and retired Federal Employees, their spouses and survivors united to preserve their economic security and well-being.

National Medicare Hotline Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

7500 Security Blvd. Baltimore MD 21244-1850

Toll Free: 1-800-MEDICARE (633-4227)

www.medicare.gov

To Report Medicare Fraud: 1-800-HHS-TIPS (447-8477

Nursing Home Compare: www.medicare.gov/nursinghome.compare
Home Health compare: www.medicare.gov/homehealth.compare
Dialysis Facility Compare: www.medicare.gov/dialysisfacility.compare

Hospitals Compare: www.medicare.gov/hospital.compare
Physician Compare: www.medicare.gov/physician.compare

Medicare Plan Finder: www.medicare.gov/find-a-plan/questions/home

Supplier Directory: www.medicare.gov/supplierdirectory/serch

Learn about how Medicare is funded through two trust accounts held by the U.S. Treasury. The Hospital Insurance Trust Fund.

 Medicare Part A, inpatient hospital care, skilled nursing facility care, home health care, hospice care, and combating fraud and abuse

The Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund

- Medicare Part B outpatient health care
- Medicare Part D prescription drug coverage

The Affordable Care Act & Medicare: Learn about how the health care law (Affordable Care Act or ACA) affects people with Medicare. If you have Medicare, you do not need to change to a Marketplace plan. You get services that are more preventive without paying the Medicare Part B coinsurance or deductible. You can save money on brand name drugs (Medicare Part D), your doctor may get more resources to support care coordination, and you can be assured that Medicare funding will be available to help you save on premiums and coinsurance.

Parkinson Association of the Carolinas

5970 Fairview Road Suite 217 Charlotte, NC 28210 Tel: 704-248-3722 or Toll Free: 1-866-903-PARK (7275)

Fax: 704-375-7497

E-Mail: pac@pakinsonassociation.org, website: www.parkinsonassociation.org

The Parkinson Association of the Carolinas (PAC) was formally recognized as a non-profit 501© 3 organization in 2002 with a mission "to serve as a resource for individuals and their families affected by Parkinson's disease in the Carolinas, through education, community outreach and direct support".

Parkinson Association of the Carolinas (cont.)

The overarching goal for the Parkinson Association of the Carolinas (PAC) is to help support people with Parkinson's disease throughout North and South Carolina, so that they can remain independent and stay active in the community until a cure is found. The organization uses their resources and expertise to support, educate and empower those impacted by the Disease. They give patients the tools needed to better manage the Disease and to allow them to maintain the highest quality of life, for as long as possible.

South Carolina Alzheimer's Association

3223 Sunset Blvd. Suite 100 West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803-791-3430 or Toll Free: 1-800-272-3900

Fax: 803-791-8388

E-Mail: info@alz.org, website: www.alz.org/sc

To eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research to provide and enhance care and support for all affected and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

South Carolina Developmental Disabilities Council Office of the Governor

1205 Pendleton Street Suite 461 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-0465 or TTY: 803-734-1147

www.scddc.state.sc.us

The mission of the South Carolina Developmental Disabilities Council is to provide leadership in planning, funding, and implementing initiatives that lead to improved quality of life for people with developmental disabilities and their families through advocacy, capacity building, and systemic change.

South Carolina Education Association – Retired

421 Zimalcrest Drive Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803-551-4150 or Toll Free: 1-800-422-7232

www.thescea.org

Public school retirees (administrators, teachers, teacher assistants, and others) are invited to join. The South Carolina Education Association-Retired. We work to make sure that retired public school employees continue to get the best benefits during their retirement years. Retired educators must stand together and be vocal when there are attacks on our pension program, health insurance benefits, and other issues that we worked so hard to make sure that we would enjoy in our retirement years.

SC Silver Haired Legislature

www.scsilverhairedleg.org

The purposes of SCSHL will be (1) to identify issues, concerns, and possible solutions for problems faced by the citizens of South Carolina with special emphasis on issues related to seniors. (2) To make recommendations to the Governor and to members of the SC General Assembly. (3) To educate the public on senior issues (4) to encourage seniors to participate actively in public affair. (5) To function on a nonpartisan basis. (6) To promote good government for all South Carolinians; and (7) to hold one SCSHL Legislative Session annually.

South Carolina Statewide Independent Living Council

136 Stonemark Land Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210 Tel: 803-217-3209 or Toll Free: 800-994-4322

www.scsilc.com

Alzheimer's Dementia Registry

USC Arnold School of Public Health Research Center 921 Assembly Street Columbia, SC 29208

Tel: 803-777-5320 www.sph.sc.edu

James F. Byrnes Center for Geriatric Medicine, Education and Research

2100 Bull Street, (PO Box 119) Columbia, SC 29203

Tel: 803-898-1935

www.state.sc.us/dmh/directions byrnes.htm

Medical University of South Carolina – Center on Aging

173 Ashley Ave, Room 403 /MSC 510 Charleston, SC 29425

Tel: 843-792-0712 Fax: 843-792-0679 www.musc.edu/aging

Aging Congressional Committee United States Senate Special Committee on Aging

Democratic / Majority Office G31 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

Tel: 202-224-0185

Fax: 202-224-9920

Tel: 202-224-5364 Fax: 202-224-8660

Republican / Minority Office

Washington, DC 20510

628 Hart Senate Office Building

www.aging.senate.gov

CHAPTER 3

ADVOCACY AND RESOURCES

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3.1 Advocacy Service

Able South Carolina

136 Stonemark Lane Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210 Tel: 803-779-5121 or Toll Free: 800-681-6805

TTY: 803-779-0949 www.able-sc.org

Able SC is a Center for Independent Living (CIL), an organization not about "helping" people with disabilities, but built on the central concept of self-empowerment. It is a consumer-controlled, community-based, cross disability nonprofit that provides an array of independent living services.

Central Midlands Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

236 Stoneridge Drive Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803-376-5389 or Toll Free: 1-800-391-1185

Fax: 803-253-7542 www.cmcog.org

The regional ombudsman receives calls and investigates complaints related to residents in long-term care facilities. Complaints range from abuse, neglect and exploitation to quality of care issues.

SC Client Assistance Program (S.C. Office of the Governor)

Edgar A. Brown Building 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-0285 or Toll Free: 1-800-868-0040

Fax: 803-734-0546

E-Mail: cap@oepp.sc.gov, website: www.cap.sc.gov

The Client Assistance Program (CAP) is the federally mandated program that advocates for persons with disabilities in South Carolina who are seeking or receiving services through the Vocational Rehabilitation Department (VR), Commission for the Blind (CB), and all Independent Living Programs (IL) and projects funded under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. CAP assists consumers with questions regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act, Title I.

Protection & Advocacy System for People with Disabilities, Inc.

3710 Landmark Drive Suite 208 Columbia, SC 29204 Tel: 803-782-0639 or Toll Free: 1-866-275-7273

TTY: 1-866-232-4525

E-Mail: info@pandasc.org , website: www.pandasc.org

Since 1977 P&A has been an independent, statewide, non-profit corporation that protects and advances the legal rights of people with disabilities. Under annual priorities set by a volunteer Board of Directors, P&A investigates reports of abuse and neglect and advocates for disability rights in areas such as health care, education, employment and housing. P&A serves people of all ages and disabilities. P&A does not charge for its services.

3.1 Advocacy Service

SC Association of the Deaf

437 Center Street West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803-794-3175

TTY: 803-794-7059 or VP: 803-403-9255

Fax: 803-794-4420

E-Mail: info@scadservices.org, website: www.scadservices.org

The South Carolina Association of the Deaf, Inc. (SCAD) is a statewide organization working with and for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing people in South Carolina. SCAD is the South Carolina affiliate of the National Association of the Deaf (NAD) and focuses on promoting equal treatment toward deaf and hard of hearing citizens in education, employment, legislation, healthcare, and other fields pertaining to the Deaf and Hard of Hearing citizens of South Carolina.

SC Autism Society

806 12th Street West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803-750-6988 or Toll Free: 1-800-438-4790

Fax: 803-750-8121 www.scautism.org

We have worked with families and legislators to generate funding for programs and develop new programs like the Pervasive Developmental Disorder Program, and Ryan's Law. We have also been working with the State Department of Education to update the eligibility criteria under the autism category to include the full spectrum.

SC Crime Victim's Ombudsman (CVO)

Wade Hampton Building 1200 Senate Street Columbia, SC 29201 Mailing Address: 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-0357 or Toll Free: 1-888-238-0697

Fax: 803-734-1428

E-Mail: cvo@admin.sc.gov, website: www.cvo.sc.gov

The mission of the Office of the Crime Victims' Ombudsman (CVO) is to ensure that the South Carolina Criminal Justice System and its victim service organizations serve victims of crime justly, equitably and fairly. Additionally, the CVO through its Office of Victim Services Education and Certification (OVSEC) provides oversight of training, education and certification for victim service providers.

3.1 Advocacy Service

SC Human Affairs Commission To Report Age Discrimination

1026 Sumter Street Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-737-7800 or Toll Free: 1-800-521-0725

TDD: 803-253-4152 Fax: 803-737-7835

E-Mail: information@schac.sc.gov, website: www.schac.sc.gov

The Mission of the South Carolina Human Affairs Commission is to eliminate and prevent unlawful discrimination in: employment on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, and disability; housing on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status, and disability; and public accommodations on the basis of race, color, national origin, and religion.

SC Victim Assistance Network

1900 Broad River Road, PO Box 212863 Columbia, SC 29221

Tel: 803-750-1200 or Toll Free: 1-888-852-1900

Fax: 1-866-473-1272

www.scvan.org

To provide support services for victims of crime and to prevent future crimes through advocacy, education, public awareness, and technical assistance.

U.S. Department of Justice

To Report a Crime: FBI – Columbia Division

151 Westpark Blvd Columbia, SC 29210-3857

Tel: 803-551-4200 Fax: 803-551-4324

Submit a Tip: www.tips.fbi.gov

Civil Rights Division

Office of the Assistant Attorney General

950 Pennsylvania Ave NW Washington, DC 20530-0001

Tel: 202-514-4609 TTY: 202-514-0716 www.justice.gov

The mission of the Criminal Division is to serve the public interest through the enforcement of criminal statutes in a vigorous, fair, and effective manner; and to exercise general supervision over the enforcement of all federal criminal laws, with the exception of those statutes specifically assigned to the Antitrust, Civil Rights, Environment and Natural Resources, or Tax Divisions.

3.2 Adult Protective Services

What is Adult Protective Services?

A vulnerable adult is a person eighteen years or older who has a physical condition or mental condition which substantially impairs the person for his/her own care or protection. This includes impairments due to infirmities of aging including, but not limited to, organic brain damage, advance age, and physical, mental or emotional dysfunctional. Legal competency is not an issue for consideration.

What is Neglect?

Neglect means the failure or omission of a caregiver to provide the care, goods, or services necessary to maintain the health or safety of vulnerable adult including, but not limited to food, clothing, medicine, shelter, supervision, and medical services. (Types of Neglect: Self-Neglect, Physical Abuse, Exploitation, Financial Exploitation, Psychological Abuse).

Mandated Reporters

A physician, nurse, dentist, optometrist, medical examiner, coroner, other medical, mental health or allied health professional, Christian Science practitioner, religious healer, school teacher, counselor, psychologist, mental health or mental retardation specialist, socialist, social or public assistance worker caregiver staff or volunteer of an adult day care center or of a facility, or law enforcement officer. Any other person who has actual knowledge that a vulnerable adult has been abused, neglected, or exploited shall report the incident in accordance with the Department of Social Services and local law enforcement.

Adult Protective Services SC Department of Social Services

P.O. Box 1520 Columbia, SC 29202-1520

Tel: 803-898-7318 (during normal business hours)

www.dss.sc.gov

Fairfield County

Fairfield County DSS

1136 Kincaid Bridge Road Winnsboro, SC 29180 Tel: 803- 635-5502

Fax: 803- 635-2322

Mailing Address: PO Box 210

Winnsboro, SC 29180

Child and Adult Protective Services Intake Hotline Tel: 1-888-227-3487

Out-of-Home Abuse and Neglect Intake Hotline (OHAN) (803) 898-7669

After Hours Reporting:

803-635-5511 Law Enforcement Dispatch

911 Fairfield County Law Enforcement

800-645-9789 Out-of-Home Abuse and Neglect (OHAN)

3.2 Adult Protective Services

Lexington County

Lexington County DSS

1070 S Lake Drive Suite A Lexington, SC 29073 Tel: 803- 785-7333

Fax: 803- 785-7438

Mailing Address: Lexington County DSS

P.O. Box 84129 Lexington, SC 29073

After Hours Reporting:

911 Lexington County Law Enforcement

Newberry County

Newberry County DSS

2107 Wilson Road Newberry, SC 29108

Tel: 803- 321-2155 Fax: 803- 321-2168 Mailing Address:

Newberry County DSS

PO Box 309

Newberry, SC 29108

After Hours Reporting:

803-321-2222 Newberry County Sheriff's Office Dispatch

Richland County

Richland County DSS

3220 Two Notch Road Columbia, SC 29204

Tel: 803- 714-7300

Fax: 803-714-7301

Eastover Branch Office Address:

Richland County DSS

120 Clarkson Street Eastover, SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-3295

After Hours Reporting:

803-714-7444 Richland County DSS 24-Hour Hotline - protective services intake

3.3 Disability Resources

Able South Carolina

136 Stonemark Lane Suite 100 Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-217-3209 or Toll Free: 1-800-994-4322

TTY: 1-864-779-0949 www.able-sc.org

Able SC is a Center for Independent Living (CIL), an organization not about "helping" people with disabilities, but built on the central concept of self-empowerment. It is a consumer-controlled, community-based, cross disability nonprofit that provides an array of independent living services.

The ARC of South Carolina Columbia Office

1202 12th Street Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-748-5020 or Toll Free: 1-800-289-7012

www.arcsc.org

Rock Hill Office

410 Oakland Avenue Suite 104 Rock Hill SC 29730

Tel: 803-529-5308

Our Service Coordination Department helps you and your family navigates and facilitate enrollment in Department of Disabilities and Special Needs services. Our Service Coordinators are independent advocate that assist families by identifying and addressing needs and concerns, monitoring and evaluating services, constructing lifelong plans, providing information and support, creating and developing opportunities, coordinating resources, educating the community as well as assuring plan achievement. Because each person and family has unique needs and desires, services are customized to fit each family's request.

Autism Institute of South Carolina

4711 Forest Drive Suite 3 PMB#233 Columbia, SC 29206

Tel: 803-851-6007

E-Mail: info@autisminstitutesc.com, website:www.autisminstitutesc.com

The Autism Institute of South Carolina is committed to providing non-aversive, research-based interventions, which promote dignity, self-reliance, and successful outcomes for the children and adults served. Services are currently available in Columbia, SC and surrounding counties

3.3 Disability Resources

Autism Speaks

Lexington South Carolina

863 Corley Mill Road Lexington, SC 29072 Tel: 803- 520-8080 or Toll Free: 888- 288-4762

Español: 888-772-9050

E-Mail: familyservices@autismspeaks.org , website: www.autismspeaks.org

The mission of the Autism Speaks Family Services Committee is to empower families and individuals impacted by autism to make informed decisions that maximize the quality of life and development potential of affected individuals throughout the lifespan.

Dream Riders

156 Sandy Hill Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-7906 Fax: 803-951-5261

E-Mail: <u>dreamr2@mindspring.com</u>, website: <u>www.dreamrider.org</u>

Dream Riders is a non-profit 501-C-3 corporation providing a unique approach to physical, emotional, and recreational therapeutic fun for both children and adults with special needs, presently serving people with mental and/or physical disabilities. Every rider is reviewed prior to acceptance into Dream Riders equestrian program for medical releases and our program's ability to provide a safe equestrian experience for the rider. Our certified instructors on each rider as to their progress hold a monthly review and if any changes are needed to their present goals.

Easter Seals South Carolina

PO Box 5715 Columbia, SC 29250

Tel: 803-466-4089 Fax: 803-356-6902 www.easterseals.com

Easter Seals has been helping individuals with disabilities and special needs, and their families, live better lives for nearly 100 years. From child development centers to physical rehabilitation and job training for people with disabilities, Easter Seals offers a variety of services to help people with disabilities address life's challenges and achieve personal goals.

Family Connections of SC Columbia Office (State Office)

1800 St. Julian Place Suite 104 Columbia, SC 29204

Tel: 803-252-0914

E-Mail: info@familyconnectionsc.org , website: www.familyconnectionsc.org

The organization provides support to families with a child that has a disability, including but not limited to developmental delays, learning disabilities, physical, or behavioral concerns and all diagnoses including autism, asthma, ADHD, and cerebral palsy.

3.3 Disability Resources

Pro-Parents of SC

625 Bush River Road Suite 203 Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-772-5658 or Toll Free: 1-800-759-4776

Fax: 803-772-5341

E-Mail: PROParents@proparents.org, website: www.proparents.org,

Parents Reaching Out to Parents of South Carolina, Inc. is a private, non-profit organization, which provides information, and training about education to families of children with all types of disabilities.PRO-Parents believes parents can be the best advocates for their children. Experienced staffs assist parents to become more aware of their rights and personal consulting through telephone counseling, workshops and written material. With confidence and knowledge, parents can participate as equal partners with professionals on behalf of their children. PRO-Parents also serve professionals in education and related fields throughout South Carolina.

Protection & Advocacy for People with Disabilities

3710 Landmark Drive Suite 208 Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-782-0639 or Toll Free: 1-866-232-4525 E-Mail: info@pandasc.org / www.pandasc.org

Since 1977, P&A has been an independent, statewide, non-profit corporation that protects and advances the legal rights of people with disabilities. Advocacy involves working for our clients to enforce their legal rights. P&A advocates for both individual clients and for groups of individuals.

Richland / Lexington Disabilities and Special Needs Board

301 Greystone Drive Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-252-5179 or Toll Free: 1-800-809-1475

Fax: 803-252-5981

E-Mail: RLDSNB@aol.com, website:www.rldsn.org

The Richland/Lexington Disabilities and Special Needs Board supports people with autism, intellectual disabilities and related disabilities, head injuries, spinal cord injuries and similar disabilities and promotes their pursuit of life goals and their presence, participation, and inclusion in the community.

SC Access Program

Lt. Governor's Office on Aging

1301 Gervais Street Suite 200 Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-9900 Fax: 803-734-9887

E-Mail: scaccess@aging.sc.gov, websitewww.scaccesshelp.org

Offers a web-based service directory for older adults, individuals with disabilities and caregivers for services in the community.

3.3 Disability Resources

SC Assistive Technology Program (SCATP)

USC School of Medicine Center for Disability Resources

8301 Farrow Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-935-5263 or Toll Free: 1-800-915-4522

Fax: 803-935-5342 www.scatp.med.sc.edu

For the past fourteen years, the mission of SCATP has been to increase the provision of, access to, and funding for assistive technology (AT) for South Carolinians of all ages and all disabilities through a variety of comprehensive activities and services available statewide. SCATP programs are not limited by eligibility criteria such as income, age, type of disability, or the reason that an individual needs AT.

SC Association of the Deaf

437 Center Street Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-794-3175 or TTY: 803-794-7059

VP: 803-403-9255

Email: info@scadservices.org , website: www.scadservices.org

The Association is committed to advocacy for all deaf and hard of hearing residents in South Carolina. They are to be assured of equal access to a comprehensive, coordinated system of services, and encouraged to achieve their maximum potential through increased independence, productivity and integration into the community.

SC Autism Society

806 12th Street West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-750-6988 or Toll Free: 1-800-438-4790

www.scautism.org

Paula's Place Learning Lab and Software Training

The South Carolina Autism Society would like to announce the addition of Paula's Place to their main office in West Columbia. Paula's Place is a learning lab dedicated to individuals with autism of all ages, parents, educators, paraprofessionals, and therapists to learn how to use various software and how to create supports for school and home use.

SC Department of Disabilities and Special Needs

3440 Harden Street Ext. Columbia SC 29203 Mailing Address: PO Box 4706 Columbia SC 29240

Tel: 803-898-9600 or Toll Free: 1-888-DSN-INFO (376-4636)

V/TTY: 803-898-9600 Fax: 803-898-9653 www.ddsn.sc.gov

The SCDDSN, as defined in the South Carolina Code of Law, serves persons with intellectual disabilities, autism, head and spinal cord injury and conditions related to each of these four disabilities.

3.3 Disability Resources

SC School for the Deaf and Blind

355 Cedar Springs Road Spartanburg SC 29302 Tel: 864-585-7711 or Toll Free: 1-888-447-2732

Columbia Outreach Center

101 Executive Center Drive Saluda Building Suite 120 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-896-9710 TTY: 803-896-9844

Email: info@scsdb.org website: www.scsdb.org

The SC School for the Deaf and the Blind's Statewide Division of Outreach Services proudly offers services and programs for individuals who are deaf/hard of hearing, blind/visually impaired or sensory multi-disabled, their families and the professionals who serve them. Outreach Services provides services and resources in every county of the state.

3.4 Legal Services

LAWHELP.ORG/SC

LawHelp.org/SC is a project of South Carolina Legal Services (SCLS). Our goal is to provide the public with easy internet access to basic legal information and legal resources in South Carolina. www.lawhelp.org/sc

Senior Matters

2711 Middleburg Drive Suite 201 Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-779-1181 or Toll Free: 1-888-779-1182

Fax: 803-779-6499

Email: info@seniormatters.com, website: www.seniormatters.com

Legal Guardianship at Senior Matters, our registered legal guardians provide certified legal guardianship services to protect the health, welfare and finances from waste and undue influence. Guardianship is initiated only as a last resort for those individuals who need assistance but have no close relatives or friends who are able to perform the role.

SC BAR

950 Taylor Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-6653 or Toll Free: 1-800-346-5592

Fax: 803-799-4118

Email: scbar.org, website: www.scbar.org

The South Carolina Bar began in 1884 as the South Carolina Bar Association, a voluntary organization of approximately 200 lawyers. The South Carolina State Bar was created in 1968. The two organizations were merged in 1975. Currently the Bar has a membership of more than 15,000.

SC Legal Services SCLS Intake Office - Statewide

Tel: 803-744-9430 or Toll Free: 803-744-9430

Fax: 803-744-3450 www.sclegal.org

SC Legal Services

Columbia Office (Lee, Lexington, Kershaw, Richland, and Sumter)

2109 Bull Street (PO Box 1445) Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803.799.9668 or Toll Free: 888.799.9668

Fax: 803.799.1781

3.4 Legal Services

SC Legal Services

Rock Hill Office (Chester, Fairfield, Lancaster, and York Counties)

214 Johnston Street Rock Hill, SC 29730

Tel: 803.327.9001 or Toll Free: 800.922.3853

Fax: 803.327.7105

South Carolina Legal Services (SCLS) provides free legal services in a wide variety of civil (non-criminal) legal matters to eligible low-income residents of South Carolina. SCLS is a non-profit corporation, funded by grants from the federally funded Legal Services Corporation, the South Carolina Bar Foundation, local United Ways, state court filing fees, and other federal, state and local funding.

Warner. Payne & Black

Elder Law Services of SC Columbia Office

1531 Blanding Street (PO Box 2628) Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-799-0554 Fax: 803-799-2517

Email: cblack@pbplawsc.com, website: www.elderlaw-sc.com,

Elder Law is the name that has been given to the area of our profession that deals with legal needs of older persons and their families. This field of law includes, among other things, Long term care planning, asset preservation planning, Medicaid eligibility, Medicaid appeals, medicare, social security law, incapacity issues, nursing home regulations, the rights of nursing home residents, and elder abuse and exploitation.

3.5 Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Social Security

Benefit Bank of South Carolina

Email: contactus@thebenefitbank.org website: www.thebenefitbank.com

The Benefit Bank online service simplifies and centralizes the process of applying for programs and resources such as food assistance, health coverage, home energy assistance and much more.

I-CARE (Central Midlands Council of Governments AAA)

236 Stoneridge Drive Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-376-5390 Fax: 803-376-5394

www.centralmidlands.org

I-CARE is insurance counseling and assistance program for seniors sponsored by the Lt. Governor's Office on Aging and the South Carolina Department of Insurance. I-CARE provides up-to-date and accurate information on appropriate health insurance for seniors.

LTC Benefits, Inc.

326 Alexander Road (PO Box 21507 Columbia SC 29221) Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-798-7311 or Toll Free: 1-800-922-8177

Fax: 803-731-3887

Email: ltcbi.com, website: www.ltcbi.com,

TC Benefits, Inc. is an independent insurance agency dedicated to the Long-Term Care Insurance industry since 1987. LTC Benefits, Inc. has been dedicated to providing long-term care insurance protection, as well as consumer education on long-term care issues for more than a decade to South Carolina residents. We can consistently provide to our clients the best plans available because we continuously research the market for the strongest companies, as well as the newest and most creative plan benefits at the most reasonable rates.

Long Term Care Insurance Advisors, LLC

1180 Columbia Avenue Suite 101 Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-403-9777 Fax: 803-454-7878

Email: info@ltciasc.com, website: www.tciasc.com

We educate our clients using exhaustive research and simplified processes that enable them to make the most suitable value-based decisions, ensuring peace of mind, estate preservation and a lifetime of independence.

3.5 Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Social Security

Medicaid

SC Carolina Health and Human Services (SCDHHS)

PO Box 8206 Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 1-888-549-0820 TTY: 1-888-842-3620 www.scdhhs.gov

Providers: 1-888-289-0709
Medicaid Fraud and Abuse: 1-888-364-3224
Appeals and Hearings: 1-800-763-9087

Fairfield County

1136 Kincaid Bridge Rd Winnsboro, South Carolina 29180-7116

Lexington County

605 West Main Street Lexington, South Carolina 29072-2550

Newberry County

County Human Services Center

2107 Wilson Road Newberry, South Carolina 29108-1603

Richland County

3220 Two Notch Road Columbia, South Carolina 29204-2826

Healthy Connections is South Carolina's Medicaid program. A medical assistance program helps pay for some or all medical bills for many people who cannot afford medical care. The program also assists individuals who are over 65 or have a disability with the costs of nursing facility care and other medical expenses...

Medicare

Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services 7500 Security Boulevard Baltimore MD 21244

Tel: 1-800-MEDICARE (633-4227)

TTY: 1-877-486-2048 www.medicare.gov

Medicare Complaints

Federal Toll Free: 1-800-633-4227

Medicare is funded through two trust accounts held by the U.S. Treasury. The Hospital Insurance Trust Fund (which pays for Medicare Part A, inpatient hospital care, skilled nursing facility care, home health care, hospice care, and combating fraud and abuse), and the Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund (which pays for Medicare Part B outpatient health care and Medicare Part D prescription drug coverage).

3.5 Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Social Security

Palmetto Project Columbia Office

4500 Fort Jackson Blvd Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-779-4875 Fax: 803-212-7124

Email: Columbia@palmettoproject.org, website: www.palmettoproject.org

Palmetto Health Baptist

Health Insurance Marketplace

Taylor at Marion Street Columbia SC 29220

Tel: 803-296-CARE (2273) www.palmettohealth.org

Attend an upcoming free community event to learn more about your Health Insurance Marketplace enrollment options. Community partners, assisting agencies and navigators will be on-site to help with re-enrollment and to enroll new patients.

Roadwise RX

Email: roadwiserx@aaafoundation.org, website: www.roadwiserx.com

Medications have both intended and unintended effects on your body, and the effects change based on the other medications that you are taking and the foods that you eat. Not only does that affect how you feel, many of these effects can also affect your ability to drive safely.

South Carolina Department of Insurance

1201 Main Street Suite 100(PO Box 100105 "29202") Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-737-6180 or Toll Free: 1-800-768-3467

Fax: 803-737-6231

Email: consumers@doi.sc.gov, website: www.doi.sc.gov

The mission of the State of South Carolina Department of Insurance is to protect the insurance consumers, the public interest, and the insurance marketplace by ensuring the solvency of insurers; by enforcing and implementing the insurance laws of this State; and by regulating the insurance industry in an efficient, courteous, responsive, fair, and equitable manner.

South Carolina Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging

1301 Gervais Street Suite 350 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-9900 or Toll Free: 1-800-868-9095

Email: askus@aging.sc.gov, website: www.aging.sc.gov

The vision of the Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging is to be the first resource considered when anyone needs information, service options, and guidance concerning issues related to seniors and vulnerable adults.

The mission of the Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging is to partner with state and local governments, non-profit organizations, and the private sector to enhance the quality of life for seniors and/or vulnerable adults.

3.5 Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Social Security

SC Thrive

Columbia Headquarters

2211 Alpine Road Ext (PO Box 23503 Columbia SC 29224) Columbia, SC 29223

Toll Free: 1-800-726-8774

Fax: 803-764-3325

Email: contact@scthrive.org, website: www.scthrive.org,

SC Thrive is a nonprofit offering solution to South Carolinians in need of accessing resources but facing a multitude of barriers. With several online services, training programs and strategic partnerships SC Thrive helps simplify complex processes and give people more efficient access to needed resources so they can move to stability.

South Carolina Worker's Compensation Commission

1333 Main Street Suite 500 (PO Box 1715) Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-737-5700

Insurance, Medical & Administrative Services Department;

Fax: 803-737-5715 www.wcc.sc.gov

The Compliance Division is the investigation and enforcement arm of the SC Workers' Compensation Commission. When a claim is filed for which there is no apparent insurance coverage, the case is assigned to an investigator to determine who should be the responsible party. The division prosecutes employers who fail to maintain workers' compensation coverage.

Social Security Administration Office

Strom Thurmond Federal Building 11th Floor 1835 Assembly Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 1-866-964-7564 or Toll Free: 1-800-772-

1213

TTY: 1-800-325-0778

Newberry County Office

292 Professional Park Road Clinton SC 29325

Tel: 1-866-526-9854 TTY: 1-800-325-0775

www.ssa.gov

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a Federal Income Supplement Program; funded by general tax revenues (*not* Social Security taxes): It is designed to help aged, blind, and disabled people, who have little or no income; and it provides cash to meet basic needs for food, clothing, and shelter.

Tri-Care

Defense Health Agency (DHA)

7700 Arlington Boulevard Suite 5101 Falls Church, VA 22042-5101

Tel: 1-800-444-5445

www.HumanaMilitary.com or www.tricare.mil

Health support for the full range of military operations and sustaining the health of all those entrusted to our care.

3.5 Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Social Security

U.S. Department of Labor South Carolina Regional Office (Atlanta)

61 Forsythe Street Suite 7B54 Atlanta GA 30303

Tel: 404-302-3900 Fax: 404-302-3975

Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) (EBSA)

Frances Perkins Building 200 Constitution Ave. NW Washington, DC 20210

Tel: 1-866-4USA-DOL (487-2365)

www.dol.gov

The mission of the Employee Benefits Security Administration is to assure the security of the retirement, health and other workplace related benefits of America's workers and their families. We will accomplish this mission by developing effective regulations; assisting and educating workers, plan sponsors, fiduciaries and service providers; and vigorously enforcing the law.

3.6 Senior Scams & Frauds

SENIOR MEDICARE (FRAUD) PATROL

Nationwide Toll Free: 1-877-808-2468

Email: info@smpresource.org website: www.smpresource.org

South Carolina SMP's purpose is to educate Medicare/Medicaid beneficiaries and caregivers about Medicare/Medicaid benefits in order to understand Medicare statements such as Medicare Summary Notices (MSN), Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Plan (PDP) Explanations of Benefits (EOB) and other related health care statements. Through this knowledge, a person can identify, resolve and/or report possible billing errors, fraud, abuse and waste to the SMP.

SENIOR SCAM ALERT

All frauds should be reported to the South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs immediately.

South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs

3600 Forest Drive, Suite 300 Columbia, SC 29204 Tel: 803-734-4200 or Toll Free: 1-800-922.1594

E-mail: scdca@dca.state.sc.us, website: www.scconsumer.gov

http://www.consumer.sc.gov/consumer/publications/Documents/Fast%20Facts/sweepstakes_scam.pdf

Important Information on Senior Fraud and Scams

Every day senior citizens in South Carolina fall prey to unscrupulous individuals who seek to defraud and defraud the elderly. In order to combat this growing problem, the Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging has aggressively targeted those who victimize senior citizens.

If you or a loved one ever receive a letter or telephone call announcing you have won the lottery or a sweepstakes contest – **DO NOT PROVIDE ANY PERSONAL OR FINANCIAL INFORMATION.**

Avoiding Financial Exploitation

Perceptive Saving Seniors

Older adults face complicated decisions about their finances, retirement choices, and long-term planning. The Office of Financial Protection for Older Americans is tasked with preventing unfair, deceptive, and abusive practices targeted at seniors.

3.6 Senior Scams & Frauds

Scams and Fraud Links

SC Department of Consumer Affairs

http://www.scconsumer.gov/

US Administration on Aging

http://www.aoa.gov/AoARoot/AoA Programs/Elder Rights/EA Prevention/index.aspx and/orhttp://www.aoa.gov/AoA programs/Elder Rights/Legal/index.aspx

AoA Funded Stop Senior Scams Project (Stetson University)

http://elder.law.stetson.edu/solicitors.php

and/or

http://elder.law.stetson.edu/helpful_links.php

Consumer Scam Checklists

http://elder.law.stetson.edu/checklists.php

and/or

http://elder.law.stetson.edu/consumer.php

Senior fraud page

http://www.fraud.org/

National Crime Prevention

http://www.ncpc.org/mcgruff/safer-with-mcgruff/seniors

Examples of Scams Targeting Senior Citizens

Medicare Discount Card Scams

The Medicare discount drug card is available to people enrolled in Medicare, but not everyone on Medicare is eligible. If you are in a state Medicare program that provides drug coverage, you cannot get a Medicare discount drug card.

Often scam-artists will call, email, or knock at your door to sell you this card. If they do so, it is a scam. Under the program, companies are allowed to advertise their cards by mail, TV, radio and newspapers or other print media. They, however, are not allowed to call, send emails, nor do home visits unless YOU ask them.

You can protect yourself and your loved ones from such scams by visiting the Medicare Web site, www.medicare.gov, to access a list of approved cards and other information or call toll-free, 800-633-4227. AARP also has helpful information at www.aarp.org.

Charity Scams

Older Americans are very generous in helping others. However, there are many people looking to exploit the senior citizens' good nature. The elderly are often asked by professional con artists to supply credit card information to help the victims of a recent natural disaster. In addition to credit card fraud, senior citizens also are asked to provide their sensitive personal financial information including bank account numbers and Social Security numbers.

3.6 Senior Scams & Frauds

Prizes & Sweepstakes Scams

Senior citizens are the "high value" targets in this scheme. Many times scam artists will ask that seniors put down an advance payment to guarantee prize "winnings." Others will ask that the senior citizen provide personal information before receiving "winnings." These should be signs to avoid the questionable businesses or persons. The bottom line is, if the offer sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

Counterfeit Drug Scams

Due to the nature of aging, seniors are again the main target for these types of scams. The biggest potential these types of senior drug scams offer is through online "pharmacies." Many of these online pharmacies will advertise cheaper, yet more effective, medications than the reputable pharmacy provides you. When the drugs arrive, they are often useless knockoffs.

Funeral & Cemetery Fraud

Unfortunately, death is a part of life and often on the minds of senior citizens. It is also on the minds of those who seek to target the senior citizens' money through scams. This may come from vendors who insist that embalming or having a casket is part of the cremation process. It is often a result of vendors selling expensive and unnecessary funeral services.

Telemarketing Fraud

According to the FBI, individuals 60 years or older are prime targets for telemarketing fraud. Predators will often offer senior citizens a "free" or "low cost" vacation as long as you "act now." If you hear such lines as the ones above, hang up. There are numerous other examples of telemarketing fraud that target the elderly.

Magazine Subscription Scams

Seniors are often the targets of magazine subscription scams. Beware of telephone calls from people who offer "free" or "special" deals on particular magazines. These magazine scam artists may offer seniors a subscription for "dollars a day" that last for multiple years without telling them the important details.

Nigerian Letter or "419" Fraud

Nigerian letter frauds target seniors due to the trusting nature of the aging population. These letters offer the "opportunity" to share some percentage of millions of dollars, which the author, usually some sort of government official, is trying to transfer to America and to you and your bank account specifically.

Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone assumes your identity in order to use your name or other personal information to perform a fraud or other criminal act.

Criminals can receive personal information through your wallet, trash, or from your credit cards or bank account numbers. Your Personal information is so abundant that you may not be able to prevent the theft of your identity. However, you can take steps to minimize your risk.

3.6 Senior Scams & Frauds

Jury Duty Scam

This has been verified by the FBI (see FBI article). Please pass this on to everyone in your email address book. It is spreading fast so be prepared should you get this call. Most of us take those summonses for jury duty seriously, but enough people skip out on their civic duty, that a new and ominous kind of fraud has surfaced.

The caller claims to be a jury coordinator. If you protest that you never received a summons for jury duty, the scammer asks you for your Social Security number and date of birth so he or she can verify the information and cancel the arrest warrant. Give out any of this information and bingo; your identity was just stolen.

The fraud has been reported so far in 11 states, including Oklahoma, Illinois, and Colorado. This (swindle) is particularly insidious because they use intimidation over the phone to try to bully people into giving information by pretending they are with the court system. The FBI and the federal court system have issued nationwide alerts on their web sites, warning consumers about the fraud.

Cell Phone Kiosk Scam

Cell Phone kiosks in malls offer a variety of products and services for many of the national cell phone services. However, not all of these kiosks are actually company owned. Many of them are "authorized resellers" of national product lines. This means that while they can use the trademark names, advertising, and offer the services and products of a nationally known company, they are not a company store.

While company stores often offer discounts and special incentives, resellers do not have to extend the same pricing to their customers. For example, a reseller may offer a phone for several hundred dollars and suggest that this is a great price, with rebates that the customer must file and then wait for payment. The national chain store may offer the same service contract pricing and sell the same phone for several hundred dollars less.

Often, kiosks are operated by high pressure salespersons that make their offers sound very attractive and pressure the consumer to make a decision "now." They depend on people buying on impulse. Once the customer signs the contract and learns that they have paid more than the company rate, they cannot terminate the contract without paying a high non-refundable penalty.

Tips for seniors – Be Smart

- ***** Know your Finances and Medical Services
- **❖** Keep Track of your Medical / Financial records
- Know where and how long to keep your records
- ❖ Let someone you trust know where and how you file your important records
- Never give your personal medical / financial information to people you do not know!
- Know where to report any fraud or scam
- Keep track of your medical appointments & billing

To report or discuss Medicare Fraud call Central Midlands Council of Governments 803-376-5390

Or Lt. Governor's Office on Aging 1-800-868-9095

Chapter 4 Community Services

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4.1Adult Daycare Centers

A day-care facility for adults eighteen years or older which offers a program of individual and group activities and therapies. The program is directed toward providing community-based care for those in need of a supportive setting for less than twenty-fours a day, thereby preventing unnecessary institutionalization, and shall provide a minimum of four and a maximum of fourteen hours a day.

Fairfield County

Chappell Adult Day Care

4340 Jackson Creek Road Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-712-0146

Email: chappelldaycare@yahoo.com, website: www.malissacare.com

Maximize the self-esteem and dignity of the participants, improve or stabilize cognitive functioning, develop the verbal capabilities and personal mobility of individuals to their potential, address social isolation problems by cultivating friendship among participants, provide nutritional meals, and develop individualized programs designed to help prevent secondary disabilities.

Precious Adult Care

121 Fagan Road Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3755

Email: preciousadultdc@aol.com

We provide non-medical care, activities and socialization to elderly persons and other adults with physical and/or cognitive impairments.

Winnsboro Active Day Center

219 N. Congress Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-712-6820 Fax: 803-712-9849

Email: smerrit@activeday.com, website: www.seniorcarectrs.com

We provide daily activities, meals and transportation for non-medical care clients.

Lexington County

Helping Hands Adult Day Care

2010 State Street Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-796-5192

Email: helpinghandsadcc@sc.rr.com, website: www.helpinghandssc.com

We provide transportation to and from day care, lunch in the dining area and activities such as arts, crafts, puzzles and games.

4.1 Adult Daycare Centers

Lexington County

Hope Bridge Adult Day Services

1111 State Street Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-791-3256

Email: Barbara@helpinghandssc.com, website: www.hopebridesc.com

We are a medically based adult day service program for special needs. We provide nursing services, assistance with personal needs, recreational activities, case management, lunch and afternoon snack. Transportation is provided to and from day care.

Hope Bridge at the Hollies

2708 Hebron Road West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-791-3255

Email: <u>Barbara@helpinghandssc.com</u>, website: <u>www.hopebridgesc.com</u>

We are a medically based adult day service program for special needs. We provide nursing services, assistance with personal needs, recreational activities, case management, lunch and afternoon snack. Transportation is provided to and from day care.

Lexington Day Health Center (Palmetto Senior Care PACE)

700 Knox Abbott Drive Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-939-8400

Email: Mary.Bland@palmettohelth.org, website: www.palmettohealth.org/medical-services We provide services such as nursing, social work, physical, occupational and speech therapy, nutritional and personal care are provided in the center. Meals and snacks, recreational and social activities and transportation are also provided for clients.

SC Episcopal Home at Still Hopes Day Care

1 Still Hopes Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-6490

Email: nrobertson@stillhopes.org, website: www.stillhopes.org

Dementia specific recreational and spiritual life programs, assistance with daily activities, medications, meals and nutritional snacks, routine health monitoring, beauty and barber services, Emergency medical assistance, day suite, and a secure environment.

4.1Adult Daycare Centers

Newberry County

Newberry County Council on Aging Adult Day Healthcare

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Email: info@nccoa.org, website: www.nccoa.org

We provide daily crafts, games and activities, social support, health screening, noon meals to

person 60 years of age or older.

Richland County

Columbia Adult Care on Main

2101 Main Street Suite H Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-212-7005

Email: TMQ@bellsouth.net

Columbia Adult Care on Main is a privately owned, small, adult day care. Lunch and two snacks are served daily. It provides medical health care services when a doctor's order is presented. It emphasizes a large variety of socialization activities to choose from, as well as providing animal assisted therapy. Individual needs of the family and clients are used to determine the number of days they attend and their individualized plan of care.

Registration fee: \$50.00 / Insurance can be billed, LTC Insurance, Veterans Administration and Private pay.

Dent Alternative Adult Day Care Health Center

7351 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-708-8955 Fax: 803-708-4939

Email: berthadent55@myway.com, website: www.dentsadultdayservices.com

We provide social events, bible study, games and recreation services, health and fitness services and individualized care program assistance with ambulation.

Laurel Day Health Center (Palmetto Senior Care PACE)

1308 Laurel Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-931-8166

Email: constancehopkins@palmettohealth.org,

Website: www.palmettohealth.org/medical-services

We provide nursing, social work, physical, occupational and speech therapy, nutritional and personal care are provided also in the center. All clients are served meals and snacks, with recreational and social activities. We can also provide transportation if needed for client.

4.1Adult Daycare Centers

Richland County

Mountain Top Adult Day Center

1941 Decker Blvd Columbia, SC 29206

Tel: 803-736-5872

Email: mountaintopadc@yahoo.com, website: www.mountaintopadc.com

Our location is open Monday through Friday 7:30am – 5:30pm with the below services available to our participants. Services Offered Participant Services, Meals and Snacks, Medication Administration, Health and Nutrition Monitoring and Education, Nursing Services, Protection and Supervision, Individual and Group Exercises, Presentations and Entertainers, Scheduled Outings Recreational and Leisure Activities PAYMENT METHOD: We accept Medicaid and Private Pay

Shandon Day Health Center (Palmetto Senior Care PACE)

1100 Shirley Street Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-252-1979

Email: <u>Virginia.caballero@palmettohealth.org</u>, Website: <u>www.palmetoohealth.org/medical-services</u>

We provide nursing, social work, physical, occupational and speech therapy, nutritional and personal care are provided also in the center. All clients are served meals and snacks, with recreational and social activities. We can also provide transportation if needed for client.

White Rock Day Health Center (Palmetto Senior Care PACE)

109 Wartburg Street White Rock SC 29177

Tel: 803-732-6670

Email: Melinda.newell@palmettohealth.org,

Website: www.palmettohealth.org/medical-services

We provide nursing, social work, physical, occupational and speech therapy, nutritional and personal care are provided also in the center. All clients are served meals and snacks, with recreational and social activities. We can also provide transportation if needed for client.

4.2 Home Health Agencies

Amedisys Home Health

Camden Office Lexington Office

1110 Broad Street Suite B Camden SC 29020 714 South Lake Drive Suite 250 Lexington SC

Tel: 803-713-9774 29072

Fax: 803-713-9264 Tel: 803-359-2253 Email: 2216@amedisys.com Fax: 803-356-7136

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Email: 2216@amedisys.com

Newberry, Fairfield Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland,

Newberry

www.amedisys.com

Caring Neighbors Home Health

102 US Hwy 321 Bypass North Winnsboro SC 29160

Tel: 803-635-4210

www.fairfieldmemorial.com/caring-neighbors-home-health

Counties Serving – Fairfield

Gentiva Health Services

2000 Center Point Road Suite 2300 Columbia Midlands

SC 29210 2521 Evans Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-731-2365 Tel: 803-276-0273

Email: janet.combs@gentiva.com

Email: janet.combs@gentiva.com

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland,

Newberry, Fairfield

www.gentiva.com

Laurel Crest Home Health Agency

100 Joseph Walker Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-0370

Email: info@laurel-crest.com

www.laurel-crest.com

Counties Serving - Lexington

OPTUM Home Health – Midlands

121 Executive Center Drive Suite 106 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-750-0022

Email: fern.matthews@optum.com

Counties Serving -Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

4.2 Home Health Agencies

Palmetto Health Homecare

1400 Pickens Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-296-3100

Email: holly.knight@palmettohealth.org www.palmettohealth.org/medical-services Counties Serving — Lexington, Richland

South Carolina Homecare

140 Stoneridge Drive Suite 620 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-343-5100

Email: Karen.buckley@lhcgroup.com

www.lhcgroup.com

Counties Serving – Richland

Still Hopes Home Health

1 Still Hopes Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-223-6172

Email: enassif@stillhopes.org

www.stillhopes.org

Counties Serving - Lexington

Tri-County Home Health Care & Services

2 Palmetto Wood Parkway Suite 201 Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-561-7680

Email: jmilling@msa-corp.com

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland

13795 C.R. Koon Highway Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-321-0341

Newberry Office

197 Herlong Avenue Suite 100Rock Hill SC 29732

Tel: 803-327-5190

www.msa-corp.com

Batesburg Office

120 W. Church Street Suite D Batesburg SC 29006

Tel: 803-532-9900

Rock Hill Office

4.3 Hospice Services

Hospice care is a specialized care designed to provide support to you and your loved ones during an advanced illness. Hospice care focuses on comfort and quality of life, rather than cure. The goal of hospice care is to enable you to have an alert, pain-free life ... to live each day as fully as possible. Hospice care affirms life and views death as a natural process.

Abbey Road Hospice – Tel: 803-551-5552

Counties Serving-Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Agape Hospice – Tel: 803-454-6113

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

All Seasons Hospice – Tel: 803-602-0300

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Amedisys Hospice – Tel: 843-656-0820

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Arista Hospice – Tel: 803-256-6868

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

All Seasons Hospice – Tel: 803-602-0300

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Ark Hospice – Tel: 803-336-0587

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Beacon Hospice – Tel: 843-972-0500

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Blue Ridge Hospice – Tel: 803-732-3274

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Caresouth Hospice – Tel: 803-335-0821

Counties Serving – Lexington

Caris Healthcare – Tel: 803-794-4141

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Carolina Hospice - Tel: 803-774-4377

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Fairfield

4.3 Hospice Services

Carolinas Community Hospice – Tel: 803-454-6113

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Comfort Care Hospice - Tel: 803-749-8080

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Compassionate Care Hospice – Tel: 803-731-8110

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Compassus Hospice – Tel: 803-462-4505

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Embrace Hospice – Tel: 843-332-2221 Counties Serving – Richland, Fairfield

Gentiva Hospice – Tel: 864-585-6500

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Gentle Care Hospice - Tel: 803-708-2405

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Grove Park Hospice Care - Tel: 803-536-0007

Counties Serving - Lexington

Halcyon Hospice – Tel: 803-226-0387

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Heartland Hospice - Tel: 864-963-0045

Counties Serving - Newberry

Homestead Hospice - Tel: 803-509-8844

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Hospice & Palliative Care – Tel: 803-548-3708

Counties Serving – Richland, Fairfield

Hospice and Community Care – Tel: 803-329-1500

Counties Serving – Fairfield

Hospice Care of South Carolina - Tel: 864-542-2100

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

4.3 Hospice Services

Hospice Care of Tri-County – Tel: 803-400-1177

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Hospice of Lancaster – Tel: 803-286-1472

Counties Serving – Fairfield

Hospice of Laurens County – Tel: 864-833-6287

Counties Serving – Newberry

Hospice of the Piedmont – Tel: 864-227-9393

Counties Serving – Newberry

Interim Healthcare of the Triad – Tel: 803-324-4166

Counties Serving – Fairfield

Kershaw Health Hospice – Tel: 803-425-1182

Counties Serving - Richland, Fairfield

Lighthouse Hospice - Tel: 803-781-1935

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Lutheran Hospice – Tel: 803-749-7770

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Medi Home Hospice – Tel: 864-627-4270

Counties Serving - Newberry, Fairfield

Palmetto Health Hospice – Tel: 803-296-3100

Counties Serving - Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Pathway Hospice – Tel: 864-312-6825

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

PH Healthcare Service - Tel: 864-991-8414

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Piedmont Hospice - Tel: 864-721-2900

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Providence Hospice – Tel: 864-295-8714

Counties Serving - Fairfield

4.3 Hospice Services

Pruitt Health Hospice - Tel: 803-771-0489

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Regency Southern Care - Tel: 803-648-2117

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Rest Assured Family Services – Tel: 803-788-8272

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

South Carolina Hospice & Palliative Care – Tel: 803-758-4099

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

St. Joseph Hospice – Tel: 803-349-8070

Counties Serving – Lexington

Tidewater Hospice – Tel: 843-757-9388

Counties Serving – Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

4.4 Area Hospitals

Fairfield Memorial Hospital

Tel: 803-635-5548

HealthSouth Rehab Hospital

Tel: 803-254-7777

InterMedical Hospital of SC

Tel: 803-296-5425

Lexington Medical Center

Tel: 803-791-2000

Newberry County Memorial Hospital

Tel: 803-276-7570

Palmetto Health Baptist

Tel: 803-296-5010

Palmetto Health Baptist Parkridge

Tel: 803-907-7000

Palmetto Health Richland

Tel: 803-434-7000

Providence Health Downtown

Tel: 803-256-5300

Providence Health - Northeast

Tel: 803-865-4500

Wm Jennings Bryan Dorn VA Medical Center

Tel: 803-776-4000

Abounding Angels Health Care, LLC

Physical Address: 9153-C Two Notch Road Columbia, SC 29223

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 23659 Columbia, SC 29224

Tel: 803.223.9178 Fax: 866.580.3978

Email: aboundingangels@gmail.com

Services: Homemaker * Personal Care *Companion Care *Respite Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Access Healthcare Services Inc.

Physical Address: 106 Doctors Circle Columbia, SC 29202 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 3580 Columbia, SC 292023

Tel: 803.509.8206 or Toll Free: 855.764.8042

Fax: 877.435.9199

Email: mswygert@caregiversondemand.com; referrals@caregiversondemand.com

Website: www.caregiversondemand.com

Services: Personal Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Addus

Physical Address: 1612 Marion Street Suite 103 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803.758.4000 Fax: 803.799.2024 FAX

Email: SBurney-Chalmers@addus.com Website: www.addushealthcare.com

Services: Personal Care* Meal Planning & Preparation* Housekeeping and chores*

Companionship* Medication Reminders* Transportation* Respite Care

Service Area: Lexington, Richland, Newberry and Fairfield

Angel Care Home Care, LLC

Physical Address: 1403 Main Street Ste 413 Newberry, SC 29108

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 626 Newberry, SC 29108

Tel: 803.321.1087 Fax: 888.703.5517

Email: angelcaresc@gmail.com Website: www.angelcaresc.com

Services: Companionship* Meal Preparation* Personal Care services* Household chores*

Errands* Respite Care* Assisted Living Sitting Service Area: Lexington, Newberry, Fairfield

Assisting Angels

Physical Address: 644 N. Harper Street Laurens, SC 29360 Mailing Address: 113 E. Butler Road Ste C Mauldin, SC 29662

Tel: 864.288.7100 Fax: 864.288.0109

Email: carmen@assistingangels.com Website: www.assistingangels.com

Services: Companionship* Meal Preparation* Shopping & Errands* Transportation for

Appointments* Laundry* Prescription pick-up and reminders* Personal Care* Alzheimer's &

Dementia Care* Encouragement with exercise

Service Area: Newberry

Bayada Homecare - Columbia

Physical Address: 1226 Pickens Street Suite 103 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803.252.1004 Fax: 803.252.9714

Email: sblack@bayada.com Website: www.bayada.com

Services: Personal Care Services: Bathing*Dressing*Meal preparation*Light housekeeping*Laundry*Errands*Medication reminders*Escort to appointments

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Bayada Homecare - Fairfield

Physical Address: 454 South Anderson Road Suite 121 Rockhill, SC 29730

Tel: 803.327.8900 Fax: 803.327.8902

Email: aramey@bayada.com Website: www.bayada.com

Services: Personal Care Services: Bathing*Dressing*Meal preparation*Light housekeeping*Laundry*Errands*Medication reminders*Escort to appointments

Service Areas: Fairfield

Be Well Home Services

Physical Address: 102 Fortress Drive Chapin, SC 29223 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 805 White Rock, SC 29177 Tel: 803.251.4670 or toll free: 1.877.239.3553 (BeWell3)

Fax: 803.251.4677

Email: marketing@bewellhomeservices.org Website: www.bewellhomeservices.org Services: Non-medical homecare* Shopping assistance & Errands* Transportation*

Housekeeping & Chores* Companionship* Meal Preparation* Pet Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Brook Health Care LLC

Physical Address: 200 Clark Street Suite 107 Chapin, SC 29036

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 484 Chapin, SC 29036

Tel: 803.941.7231 Fax: 888.873.7898

Email: info@brookhc.com Website: www.brookhc.com

Services: Transitional Care* Dementia Care* Live-in* Personal Care* Companionship* Meal planning & Preparation* Errands* Light Housekeeping & Chores* Medication management and

reminders* Pet Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Care by Generations

Physical Address: 429 B East Boundary Street Chapin, SC 29036

Tel: 803.345.8745 Fax: 803.941.0007

Email: <u>dedwards@carebygenerations.com</u> Website: <u>www.carebygenerations.com</u>

Services: Non-medical Services* Assistance with ADL's* Meal Preparation, Transportation*

Setting up appointments* Companionship.
Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Carolina Health Care SC

Physical Address: 1410 Blanding Street Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803.256.2728 Fax: 803.765.1644

Email: morgan@carolinahealthcaresc.com Website: www.carolinahealthcaresc.com Services: Companionship* Nursing Care* Personal Care* Meal Preparations* Light

Housekeeping* Laundry* Shopping* Errands* Doctor Appointments* Medication Reminders*

Enhanced in-home nursing available

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Carolina In Home Care & Assistance

Physical Address: 2210 Rosewood Drive Columbia, SC 29205

Tel: 803.318.4276 Fax: 803.832.7664

Email: tony670000@yahoo.com

Services: Homemaker *Personal Care Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Cheers Transitional Services Center Inc.

Physical Address: 421 Bush River Road Unit 208 Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803.727.2572 Fax: 803.772.5656

Email: cheerscares@ymail.com

Services: Homemaker*Personal care*Companionship*Enhanced Nursing Service (LPN & RN)*

Medicaid Nursing Service (LPN & RN)

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Comforcare of the Midlands

Physical Address: 22 Office Park Court Suite C Columbia, SC 29223

Tel: 803.764.0231 Fax: 803.764.0651

Email: chrish@comforcare.com Website: www.comforcare.com/midlands-sc

Services: Personal Care* Incontinence Care* Medication Reminders* Light Exercise Assistance*

Light Housekeeping* Laundry* Schedule Appointments* Respite Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Comfort Home Care Inc.

Physical Address: 1117 Doyle Street Orangeburg, SC 29115

Tel: 803.536.3331 or Toll Free 1-888.536.3331

Fax: 803.536.3332

Email: green.chhc@gmail.com Website: www.comforthome-healthcare.com

Services: Personal Care (bathing and grooming)* Meal Preparation* Housekeeping* Laundry*

Grocery Shopping* Prescription Pick-ups* Transportation to appointments

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Daybreak Adult Care Services

Physical Address: 123-A Library Hill Lane Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803.356.4451 Fax: 803.356.4481

Email: Ameena@daybreakcare.com Website: www.daybreakcare.com

Services: Non-medical Home Care Services* Bathing Assistance* Housekeeping* Laundry* Meal

Preparations* Medication Reminders* Transportation* Companionship

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Devoted Care and Transitions Services LLC

Physical Address: 1101 Belleview Street Suite 104 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803.764.1163 Fax: 803.764.1164

Email: info@dcandts.com Website: www.dcandts.com

Services: Non-medical care services* Respite Care* Personal Care Services* Meal Preparations*

Assistance with ADL's* Wound Care Management* Light Housekeeping* Medication Reminders* Transportation* Grocery Shopping* Prescription Collection* Errands

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Delorah Homecare Services

Physical Address: 3600 Fernandina Road Columbia, SC 29210 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 210594 Columbia, SC 29221

Tel: 803.798.1300 or Toll Free: 866.798.1300

Fax: 803.798.1777

Email: dlorah@bellsouth.net Website: www.dlorahhomecare.net

Services: Companionship* Personal Care* Meal Preparation* Medication Reminders*

Transportation* Bathing* Grooming* Light Housekeeping* Errands

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Faithful Homecare Services

Physical Address: 101 Herlong Ave Saint Matthews, SC 291460

Tel: 803.655.5411 Fax: 803.655.5412

Email: faithfulhomecare@windstream.net

Services Provided Personal Care* Respite Care*Private Duty

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Firstlight Homecare of Columbia

Physical Address: 1309 Augusta Road West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803.356.0916 Fax: 803.356.0916

Email: lprice@firstlighthomecare.com Website: www.Columbia.firstlighthomecare.com Website:

Services: Personal care * Companionship *24/7 availability

Service Area: Lexington, Richland

First Priority Homecare LLC

Physical Address: 115 Atrium Way Suite 211 Columbia, SC 29223

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 23781 Columbia, SC 29224

Tel: 803.661.8805 or Cell: 803.394.2901

Fax: 803.403.8901

Email: <u>firstpriorityhomecare@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>www.firstpriorityhomecare.net</u> Services: Personal Care* Preparing Meals* Housekeeping* Laundry* Shopping*Errands

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Hands and Hearts Homecare

Physical Address: 1724 Augusta Road West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803.926.1669 Fax: 803.926.1672

Email: mnstrd489@aol.com

Services: Personal Care* Hoyer Lifts* Catheter Care* Escort service to Appointments*

Housekeeping* Laundry* Meal Preparation*Incontinence Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Home Instead Senior Care of Columbia

Physical Address: 9367 Two Notch Road Suite Columbia, SC 29223

Tel: 803.736.4242 Fax: 803.736.9994

Email: renekilburn@homeinstead.com Website: www.homeinstead.com

Services: Non-medical Care* Assistance with ADL's* Incidental Activities of daily living (both

with or without cognitive impairment)
Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Karing in Mind LLC

Physical Address: 7356 Garners Ferry Road Suite 113 Columbia, SC 29209

Mailing Address: 136 Field Pine Avenue Hopkins, SC 29061

Tel: 803.783.6039 Fax: 803.783.3993

Email: karinginmind@aol.com

Services: Bathing* Grooming* Meal Preparation

Service Areas: Richland

4.5 Non-Medical In-Home Care Providers

Key Choice Homecare

Physical Address: 322 South Lake Drive Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803.485.1294 Fax: 803.233.1692

Email: Rebecca@keychoicecare.com Website: www.keychoice.com

Services: 24-hour CNA Services* Companionship* Errand Service* Senior Care Services*

Alzheimer's & Dementia Care* Transportation Assistance Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Lean on Me Home Care Services LLC

Physical Address: 27 South Mill Street Manning, SC 29102

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 606 Manning SC 29102

Tel: 803.435.4008 Fax: 803.435.0786

Email: 10matchcs@yahoo.com

Services: Personal Care* Homemaker* Respite* Companionship

Service Areas: Richland

Love & Care Home Care Agency

Physical Address: 7357 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223

Tel: 803.708.4730 Fax: 803.753.9966

Email: info@loveandcaresc.com Website: www.loveandcares.com

Services: Companionship* Respite* Transportation* Personal Care* Homemaker* Meal

Preparation* Light Housekeeping* Laundry* Pet Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Fairfield

New Hope Ministries In-Home Services

Physical Address: 130 Bigshot Lane Gaston, SC 29053

Tel: 803.926.5279 Fax: 803.796.1486

Email: watson-mills2@att.net

Services: Respite Care* Personal Care Services* Light Housekeeping* Medication Reminders*

Lawn Care* Companionship* Sitters Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

New Horizons Homecare

Physical Address: 2025 Ebenezer Road Ste B Rockhill, SC 29732

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 37058 Rockhill, SC 29732

Tel: 803.366.5005 or Toll Free: 866.443.5209

Fax: 803.366.5065

Email: new horizons@comporium.net Website: www.nhhcare.net

Services: Personal Care *Meal Preparation *Light Housekeeping *Laundry*Medication

Management

Service Areas: Fairfield

Palmetto Family Homecare LLC

Physical Address: 4000 Faber Place Drive Suite 300 North Charleston, SC 29405

Tel: 843.323.4270 Fax: 843.232.4271

Email: info@palmettofamiloyhomecare.com; dorian@palmettofamilyhomecare.com

Website: www.palmettofamilyhomecare.com

Services: Personal Care* Homemaker Services* Respite/Companion Services* Errand Services* Overnight Services* Case Management* Specialized Disease Care (Lou Gehrig Disease, Multiple

Sclerosis, Parkinson, Alzheimer's)

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Fairfield

Personal Care Plus LLC

Physical Address: 989 Knox Abbott Drive Cayce, SC 29033 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 4506 West Columbia, SC 29171

Tel: 803.794.4060 Fax: 803.794.4086

Email: personalcareplus04@yahoo.com

Services: Personal Care Service* Home Management* Companion Services* Transportation*

Housekeeping

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Precious Adult In Home Care

Physical Address: 121 Fagan Road Winnsboro, SC 29180

Tel: 803.635.3755 Fax: 803.712.1150

Email: <u>preciousadultdc@aol.com</u> Website: <u>www.preciousadultcare.com</u>

Services: Personal Care *Homemaker *Companionship

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Fairfield

Professional Care of Manning, LLC

Physical Address: 220 W. Boyce Street Manning, SC 29102

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 285 Manning, SC 29102

Tel: 803.435.4301 Fax: 803.435.4346

Email: professionalcare@sc.rr.comWebsite: www.professionalcareofmanning.com

Services: Companionship*Personal Care

Service Areas: Richland

Rescare Homecare -Columbia

Physical Address: 455 Saint Andrews Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803.772.3060 or Toll Free 855.203.5401

Fax: 803.772.3062

Email: dawn.hodges@rescare.com Website: www.rescare.com

Services: Medicare/Medicaid services* Community Long Term Care* Companionship* Respite*

Homecare Aide* Personal Care Assistance* Private Duty Services

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

RetireEase Senior Services

Physical Address: 12 Dooley Drive Logoff, SC 29078

Mailing Address: 1670-9 Springdale Drive Box 101 Camden, SC 29020

Tel: 803.408.1500 or Toll Free 1.866.294.EASE (3273)

Fax: 803.408.1736

Email: info@retireease.com Website: www.retireease.com

Services: Companionship* Personal Care* Medication Reminders* Food/Meals* Homemaker*

Outing/Errands

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry, Fairfield

Right At Home – Columbia

Physical Address: 810 Dutch Square Blvd. Suite 113 Columbia, SC 29210

Tel: 803.551.4002 Fax: 803.551.4002

Email: mike@rahcolumbia.com Website: www.rahcolumbia.com

Services: Non-medical, Private Duty* Companionship* Homemaker* Personal Care Services* Assistance with ADL's* Respite Care* Medication Reminders* PT, OT, ST Exercise Reminders*

Meal Preparation* Transportation/Errands* Housekeeping Services

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

4.5 Non-Medical In-Home Care Providers

Senior Helpers

Physical Address: 2314 Ebenezer Road Rockhill, SC 29732

Tel: 803.329.4357 or Toll Free: 1.888.457.1293

Fax: 803.346.9187

Email: szamek@seniorhelpers.com website: www.seniorhelpers.com website:

Services: Companion Care* Alzheimer's & Dementia Care* Housekeeping* Personal Care

Services

Service Areas: Richland, Fairfield

Senior Matters Extended Services

Physical Address: 3710 Landmark Drive Suite 109 Columbia, SC 29204

Tel: 803.779.1181 Fax: 803.779.6499

Email: <u>tmiller@seniormatters.com</u> website: <u>www.seniormatters.com</u> Services: Non-medical Services* Companionship* Case Management

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Fairfield

Senior Resources

Physical Address: 2817 Millwood Ave Columbia, SC 29205

Tel: 803.252.7734 Fax: 803.929.0349

Email: info@seniorresourcesinc.org website: www.seniorresourcesinc.org

Services: Homemaker services (cleaning, laundry, preparing meals, household chores)*

Personal Care Services (Assisting with ADL's)

Service Area: Richland

Seniors First Homecare LLC

Physical Address: 101 Medical Circle West Columbia, SC 29169

Tel: 803.791.9115 Fax: 803.791.3604

EMAIL: melissa@seniorfirsthomecare.com website: www.seniorsfirsthomecare.com Services: Companionship* Personal Care * Respite* Light Housekeeping* Laundry Service* Medication Reminders* Non-medical Wheelchair Transportation* Personal Concierge

Service*Licensed Beautician Home Visits* Home Repair/Modifications

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

4.5 Non-Medical In-Home Care Providers

Shades of Life LLC

Physical Address: 1400 Laurel Street Columbia, SC 29202

Tel: 803.667.9819 Fax: 803.667.9819

Email: cbrown1shadoflife21@yahoo.com

Services: Personal Care * Homemaker* Companionship* Respite Care

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Sheppard's Helping Hands

Physical Address: 311 W. Columbia Avenue Batesburg, SC 29006

Tel: 803.687.1613 Fax: 803.953.9011

Email: <u>info@shepparshelpinghands.com</u> website: <u>www.sheppardshelpinghands.com</u> Services: Companionship* Housekeeping & Chores* Transportation* Meal Preparation*

Alzheimer's & Dementia Care* Pet Care* Medication Reminders

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland, Newberry

Solutions for Living at Home

Physical Address: 945 9th Street Cayce, SC 29033

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2959 West Columbia, SC 29171

Tel: 803.223.6173 Fax: 803.794.3471

Email: solutions@stillhopes.org website: www.stillhopessolutions.org

Services: Non-medical in-home care services by CAN* Meal Preparations* Light Housekeeping*

Transportation* Companionship* Assistance with ADL's* Medication Reminders

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

Tender Kare Services II, LLC

Physical Address: 4443 Bethel Church Road Apt 37 Columbia, SC 29206

Tel: 478.334.4406 Fax: 803.708.3940

Email: tenderkareservices@gmail.com

Services: Personal Care I&II* HASCI Attendant* HASCI Hourly Respite* Agency Companionship

Service Areas: Lexington, Richland

4.6 Physicians (Geriatrics)

Capital City Medicine

1415 Blanding Street Suite 3 Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-256-1111

Email: ccm@capitalcitymed.com website: www.capitalcitymed.com

Dorn VA Medical Center Internal Medicine

6439 Garners Ferry Road Suite 5E Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-776-4000

Website: www.columbiasc.va.gov

Lexington Family Practice

122 Powell Drive Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-8400

Website: www.lexfamilypractice.com

Palmetto Health Family Medicine Center

3209 Colonial Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-434-6113

Website: www.palmettohealth.org

Palmetto Health Hospice Palliative Care

3 Medical Park Drive Suite 510 Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-296-2726

Website:www.palmettohealth.org

Palmetto Health Senior Primary Care Practice (Downtown)

3010 Farrow Road Suite 300 Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-434-1210

Website: www.palmettohealth.org

Palmetto Health Senior Primary Care Practice (Parkridge)

100 Palmetto Health Parkway Suite G100 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-434-4700

Website:www.palmettohealth.org

Palmetto Health Senior Primary Care Practice (Shandon)

1100 Shirley Street Suite 1 Columbia, SC 29205

Tel: 803-252-1979

Website: www.palmettohealth.org

4.6 Physicians (Geriatrics)

Senior Health Associates (Midlands)

2858 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-699-9073

Website: www.seniorhealthassociates.com

Southeast Neuropathy & Treatment Center

1494 Lake Murray Blvd Floor 2 Columbia SC 29212

Tel: 803-764-1230

Website:www.southeastneuropathy.com

Three Rivers Medical Association

1301 Taylor Street Suite 8-A Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-1922

Website: www.palmettohealth.org

4.7 Geriatric Care Managers

A Geriatric Care Manager is a health and human services specialist who acts as a guide and Advocate for families who are caring for older relatives or disabled adults. The Geriatric Care Manager is educated and experienced in any of several fields related to care management, including, but not limited to nursing, gerontology, social work, or psychology, with a specialized focus on issues related to aging and elder care.

Discussing Fees:

There are many ways of charging fees and each Aging Life Care Professional works differently. You will need to know how often she/he bills. Some bill weekly, some bill monthly, and some bill upon completion of work. Ask about these matters at the initial conference and ask for them in writing, so there will be no surprises. If you don't understand, ask again, If you need clarification, say so. It is very important that you feel comfortable regarding your financial obligations.

Alternatives in Home Care

1612 Marion Street Suite 211 Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-391-8662

Website: www.alternativesinhomecare.com

*Angelika S. Russell, BA, CMC

Email: gcm@alternativesinhomecare.com

Stephanie Credle, BS, MBA, CRCA

Email: scredle@alternativesinhomecare.com

Geriadvocates Care Management, LLC

P.O. Box 4372 Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-960-8524

Website: www.geriadvocates.comDebra Kelly, LMSW, CMC

Email: dkellycmc@gmail.com

Geriatric Care Consultants, LLC

4711 Forest Drive Suite 3 #172 Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-960-3208

Cynthia Dickey Palmore, LMSW, CMC

Email: cpgertiatriccare@comcast.net

Mary Winstead, MSW, LISWCP, CMC

Email: <u>mwinsteadgcc@gmail.com</u>

4.7 Geriatric Care Managers

Palmetto Care Managers

1215 Forrest Shealy Road Chapin SC 29036

Tel: 803-767-6416

Brenda Hyleman, CMC, LISW-AP & CP, NCG

Email: blhyleman@gmail.com

Senior Matters Extended Services, LLC

2711 Middleburg Drive Suite 7 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-779-1181

Website: www.seniormatters.com

• Mary Katherine Bagnal, MSW, CMC, RG, CGC

Email: mkbagnal@seniormatters.com

4.8 Renal Dialysis Facilities

Broad River Dialysis Center

Tel: 803-772-5397

Central Columbia Kidney Center

Tel: 803-771-0518

Columbia Northeast Kidney Center

Tel: 803-865-0554

Fresenius Medical Care

Columbia - Tel: 803-799-7511

Home Dialysis (Columbia) - Tel: 803-799-1266

Fairfield County – Tel: 803-712-6732

Irmo – Tel: 803-749-7088

Lexington – Tel: 803-695-0145 Lower Richland – Tel: 803-695-3628 Meadowlake – Tel: 803-754-7377

Midtown – Tel: 803-771-0107 Newberry – Tel: 803-276-2860 North Star – Tel: 803-736-0473 South Carolina – Tel: 803-779-4073 West Columbia – Tel: 803-733-1764

Gaston Dialysis – Tel: 803-796-7830

North Main Kidney Center - Tel: 803-779-1201

4.9 Senior Center and Nutrition Sites

Fairfield County

Fairfield County Council on Aging

210 East Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3015

Senior Centers

Winnsboro Senior Center

210 E. Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-9761

Lexington County

Lexington County Recreation and Aging Commission

125 Parker Street Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-356-5111

Irmo-Chapin Recreation Commission (ICRC)

1098 Old Lexington Highway Chapin, SC 29036

Tel: 803-345-6181

Senior Centers

Batesburg-Leesville Senior Center

241 Highland Avenue Batesburg SC 29006

Tel: 803-532-4536

Gilbert-Summit Senior Center

409 Broad Street Gilbert SC 29054

Tel: 803-892-5745

Senior Centers

Lexington Senior Center

108 Park Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-7979

Pelion Senior Center

210 Pine Street Pelion SC 29123

Tel: 803-894-4351

Pine Ridge- South Congaree Senior Center

1123 Courtney Drive West Columbia SC 29172

Tel: 803-755-1274

4.9 Senior Center and Nutrition Sites

Lexington County

Swansea Senior Center

197 North Lawrence Avenue Swansea SC 29160

Tel: 803-568-4545

Tri-County Senior Center

485 Brooks Avenue West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-939-9311

Newberry County

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Senior Centers

Dave Waldrop Jr. Senior Center

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Whitmire (Baker) Senior Center

311 Main Street Whitmire SC 29178

Tel: 803-694-2828

Little Mountain Senior Center

16 Depot Street Little Mountain SC 29075

Tel: 803-816-4207

Richland County

Senior Resources, Inc.

2817 Millwood Avenue Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-252-7734

Senior Centers

Bishop Avenue Wellness Center (Group Dining)

6429 Bishop Avenue Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-691-1489

4.9 Senior Center and Nutrition Sites

Richland County

Blythewood Wellness Center

1424 Marthan Road Blythewood SC 29203

Tel: 803-786-2826

Senior Centers

Eastover / Mamie Hinton Wellness Center

117 Henry Street Eastover SC 29244

Tel: 803-353-0532

Hopkins Wellness Center

150 Hopkins Park Road Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-783-9373

American Cancer Society – Road to Recovery

Tel: 800-227-2345

Website: www.cancer.org/treatment/supportprogramsservices/app/resource

Eligibility-Open to cancer patients. Patients must have a cancer diagnosis and be travelling for a cancer-related medical appointment. Patients must be able to walk unassisted to and from the vehicle, or have an accompanying caregiver to assist. A legally responsible adult such as a parent or caregiver must accompany patients under the age of 18. A four-business day advance notice is required; not including the date transportation is needed.

Payment Method: FREE

Blue Ribbon

Tel: 803-786-9427

Website: www.originalblueribbontaxi.com

Services Provided - Our transportation services includes an airport shuttle, messenger services, package/parcel delivery and Pick-up, GPS dispatch system, Corporate Accounts, Handicap

Service, Wheelchair Accessible and more.

Payment Method: Visa, MasterCard and Discover

Capital City Cab

Tel: 803-794-2225

Website: www.westcolumbiataxi.com

Services Provided - At Capitol City Cab in West Columbia, SC, we offer 24-hour service every day

of the year.

Payment Method: Cash, American Express, MasterCard, and Discover

Care by Generations

Tel: 803-345-8745

Website: www.carebygenerations.com

Services Provided - Care by Generations provides wheelchair transportation, assistance from inside the home to your appointment and can stay with the client and provide services until they return home. This includes two hours and 50 round trip miles — cost \$100.00 each additional hour is billed at \$16.50 an hour and each additional mile after fifty is billed at \$.48

cents a mile.

Payment Method: Cash or Credit Card

Checker Yellow Cab

Tel: 803-799-3311

Website:www.checkeryellowcab.com

Services Provided - We can provide the rapid response 24/7 you need to get you on your way.

Payment Method: Cash or Credit Card

COMET

Tel: 803-255-7100

Website: www.catchthecomet.org

Services Provided - DART is an origin-to-destination, advance reservation, shared-ride transportation service. There are no restrictions on the purpose or frequency of reservations. Riders going in the same general directions are grouped together to share rides. A fleet of small buses provides DART service. Each is equipped with wheelchair lifts and can accommodate four wheelchairs.

Eligibility: Application process including physician's signature

Payment Method: Fare each one-way trip is \$3.00 – Accept Cash or Checks

Fairfield County Council on Aging

Tel: 803-635-3015

Website: www.fairfieldsc.com

Services Provided – Van and auto transportation for doctors' visits and grocery shopping

Eligibility: Must be a participant in the senior center for transportation

Payment Method: Cash or Check

Fairfield County Transit System

Tel: 877-311-4158

Website:www.fairfieldsc.com

Services Provided - Transportation services are offered in varying frequencies. Some routes operate every weekday and the balance operates on selected weekdays. Service times vary by route, starting early morning through late afternoon. Route deviation service is available to the general public for an extra charge of \$.25 to \$.50 to the normal route fare. Fares range from \$ 0.75 to \$1.50.

Payment Method: Cash or Check

Harbison Wheels

Tel: 803-749-1911

Website: https://sites.google.com/site/harbisonwheels/

Services Provided - The purpose is to supply much needed transportation to Senior and physically and mentally disabled area residents for doctor appointments and places of business. We currently serve HUD housing. The people who use this service usually have no other method of transportation. The Bus is wheel chair equipped and is operated by trained volunteers.

Eligibility: Only 2 pick-up points – Lakeside on the Circle or Woods Edge at rear parking lot entrance.

Payment Method: Donations & Volunteers

Irmo-Chapin Recreation Commission Aging Program

Tel: 803-772-1228 Website: www.icrc.net

Services Provided - When a need has been identified, transportation to nutrition sites, medical facilities and other necessary appointments is available to older adults in our service area.

Eligibility: Participant must receive senior services

Love & Care Home Healthcare Agency

Tel: 803-708-4730

Website:www.loveandcaresc.com

Services Provided - Companion Care, Socializing / Reading to the Client / Participate with

Hobbies / Respite care for primary caregiver / Transportation Eligibility: Participant must be receiving companion care services

Payment Method: Accepts various forms of payments.

Lourie Center Transportation

Tel: 803-576-3467

Website:www.louriecentersc.com

Services Provided: *5 Points Wheels: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays | 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

- Must be 50 + or disabled, anyone disabled must be occupied by an adult.
- Riders must live within grid
- Riders must fill out a rider form

*Northeast Wheels: Mondays, 9AM-1PM | Thursdays, 9AM-1PM

- Must be 50 + or disabled, anyone disabled must be occupied by an adult.
- Riders must live within grid
- Riders must fill out a rider form

Newberry County Council on Aging

Tel: 803-276-8266

Website: www.nccoa.org

Services Provided – Van and transportation for doctors' visits, grocery shopping, and group dining meal sites.

Senior Center Transportation \$.25 per round trip; Planned Senior Trips (dining or shopping) in state \$1.00 per trip out of state \$2.00 per trip.

Payment Method: Cash or check

Newberry Public Transit

Newberry County Council on Aging will follow the Public Transit Fare Schedule for demand response transportation for the residents of Newberry County.

Local Trips (within the County)
 Newberry County to Columbia
 Newberry County to Charleston
 \$2.00 per round trip
 \$15.00 per round trip
 \$50.00 per round trip

- Trips outside the normal serving area: One Way Only \$.38 per mile Round Trip \$.18 per mile
- One Way Only \$4.00
- Weekly Pass \$30.00

Correct change is needed. The Driver will not be able to make change. Checks payable to NCCOA.

Senior Express of the Midlands

Tel: 803-926-7933 Out of are 1-888-926-7933

Website:www.seniorexpressusa.com

Regular or on an as-needed basis we can assist with shopping, errands, medical appointments, transportation.

Payment: Check or Credit Card

Senior Helpers

Tel: 803-329-4357

Website:www.seniorhelpers.com

Services Provided - COMPANION CARE: Caring companionship and conversation,

Help with hobbies, scrapbooking & games, gardening, sports & news, general shopping and errands, Transportation and appointments.

Eligibility: Call for consult

Payment Method: Check or Credit Card

Transport Care Services, LLC

Tel: 803-661-9662

Website:www.transportcareservices.com

Provide non-emergency transfers, wheelchair & Stretcher transfers & Assisted daily transfers...

Payment Method: Private pay

4.11 Veterans Assistance

Alston Wilkes Veteran Home

Tel: 1-844-297-1962

Website: www.alstonwilkessociety.org

The First transitional housing facility specifically for veterans in the Midlands. Provides case management & supportive services for homeless veterans and their families.

Department of Veterans Affairs

Tel: 1-888-823-7458

Website:www.mirecc.va.gov/coaching

Provides support for family members seeking to help a veteran with post-deployment difficulties.

Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America (IAVA)

Tel: 212-982-9699 New York – 202-544-7692 Washington DC

Website: www.iava.org

Provides assistance for veterans of Iraq and Afghanistan to address mental health issues and inadequate health care.

Military One Source

Tel: 1-800-342-9647 Espanol: 800-342-9647

Veterans Crisis Line: 1-800-273-8255 Website: www.militaryonesource.mil

Confidential services, including non-medical counseling and specialty consultations, are available through Military OneSource. Eligible individuals may receive confidential services at no cost.

Operation Palmetto Employment

Elisa Edwards – 803-299-1713 elisa.m.edwards@dew.sc.gov

Marlin Bodison – 803-737-9936 marlin.bodison@dew.sc.gov

Website:www.operationpalmettoemployment.sc.gov

To provide updated resources in an effort to continually reduce the unemployment rate among South Carolina's military community, and to further educate South Carolina employers on the value of military hires.

Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center

Tel: 843-789-6732

Website: www.charleston.va.gov

Patient and Family centered care is an approach to the planning, delivery and evaluation of healthcare that is grounded in mutually beneficial partnerships among healthcare providers, patients and families. It redefines the relationships in healthcare.

4.11 Veterans Assistance

The South Carolina Department of Administration Office of Executive Policy and Programs

Tel: 803-734-0432

Website: www.admin.sc.gov

U.S. Department of Labor

* Transition Assistance Program (TAP)

Tel: 1-866-4-USA-DOL (487-2365)

Website: www.dol.gov

Veteran's Benefits Administration Regional Office – Columbia

Columbia Regional Benefit Office

6437 Garners Ferry Road Columbia, SC 29209

Open to the Public: 8am-4pm

Tel: 800-827-1000 Toll Free Fax: 844-531-7818

Department of Veterans Affairs

Evidence Intake Center

PO Box 4444 Janesville WI 53547-4444

Website: www.va.gov

Veterans Welcome Home and Resource Center

Tel: 843-427-4568 Fax: 843-734-0519

Email: operationwelcomehome.mbeach@gmail.com

Website: www.veteranswelcomehomeandresourcescenter.org

W.M Jennings Bryan Dorn VA Medical Center

Tel: 803-776-4000 Website: <u>www.va.gov</u>

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5.1 Clothing, Food, Shelter and Utility Assistance

Aiken/Barnwell/Lexington Community Action Commission, Inc.

650 Knox Abbott Drive Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-794-6778

Website: www.govoepp.state.sc.us

This Community Action Agency's local office provides emergency assistance with home utility costs, clothing, housing, rent, food and medical expenses to income eligible individuals and families. They also have a job-training program and a computer-training center. Their mission is to reduce the causes and conditions of poverty in a geographical area. Their goal is to provide a nurturing environment in which low-income families can seek assistance that helps them to become less dependent upon government assistance.

Alston Wilkes Veterans Home

3519 Medical Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-799-2490

Website: www.alstonwilkessociety.org

This program assists offenders, former offenders and other high-risk populations in rebuilding their lives as productive, self-sufficient and law-abiding members of the community. From all walks of life, the people served have one thing in common - they are in crisis. Searching for a helping hand, a listening ear, encouragement, mentorship and coordination of services, clients and their families find hope for a brighter future through the Alston Wilkes Society.

Carolina Community Action, INC.

402 South Congress Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3606

Website:www.carolinacommunityactions.org

General Emergency Assistance Program (GEAP) The Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) also provides assistance eligible households in meeting emergency needs. Assistance is given during a crisis in the areas of providing utility bills, food, temporary shelter, medical services, etc.

Catholic Charities of the Midlands

1427 Pickens Street Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 1-855-377-1357

Catholic Charities helps individuals in the lower coastal region of South Carolina who are in need. An emphasis is placed on lower income and homeless persons. Staff or volunteers provide direct services and advocacy or they are purchased in the community. Services are provided according to funds and resources available to the Charity at the time a request is made.

5.1 Clothing, Food, Shelter and Utility Assistance

Cooperative Ministry

3821 W. Beltline Blvd. Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-799-3853

Email: info@coopmin.org website:www.coopmin.org

Clothing items are provided to individuals and families in crisis. Furniture is provided to individuals and families who are in transition from homelessness to a permanent residence.

Family Shelter

2411 Two Notch Road Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-771-7040

Email: office@familysheltersc.org website: www.familysheltersc.org

The Mission of the Family Shelter is to provide emergency shelter in a stable living environment for homeless children and their parents and help our residents build life skills needed to regain independence.

Gleamns (LIHEP)

833 Main Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-2110 ext-6

The agency receives funding from federal, state and some local governments for twelve major programs: Head Start, Early Head Start, Workforce Development, Child Development, Child Care Food Program, Community Services Block Grant, Low Income Heating Energy Assistance Program, East Coast Migrant Head Start Program, Legacy, Department of Juvenile Justice, Magic Johnson Community Empowerment Center and Weatherization.

God's Helping Hands

919 Holland Avenue Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 791-4167

Assist individuals with food, clothing, and financial assistance with utility bills, rent.

God's Store House

1731 Risley Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-691-1622

Website: www.godsstorehousesc.org

Assist with food, clothing, household supplies to families in crisis

Hannah House

1726 Sumter Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-771-4357

Email: hannahhouse@ccmins.com Website: www.hannahhousesc.org

Hannah House provides transitional shelter and necessities to women, with or without children, who are seeking independence and self-sufficiency. The focus is on rebuilding families, job placement, childcare, and affordable housing.

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Harvest Hope Food Bank (2) Locations

Richland County Emergency Food Pantry

2220 Shop Road Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-254-4432

Lexington County Emergency Food Pantry

1775 12th Street Ext Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-794-1627

Website: www.harvesthope.org

The mission of Harvest Hope Food Bank is to provide for the needs of hungry people by gathering and sharing quality food with dignity, compassion and education.

Interfaith Community Services of South Carolina, Inc.

PO Box 8177 Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-252-8390 or 803-321-2155 ext. 155
The Child and Adult Care Food Program

This program seeks to enhance the nutrition and learning of pre-school children in 23 counties across South Carolina. CACFP works on child nutrition and school readiness by supporting the work of Family Child Care with training, technical assistance, program monitoring, fire and safety inspections, and a reimbursement program to reward child care providers for serving nutritious meals to the children in care. For more information, contact lsemino@interfaithcommunityservices.org

Family Child Care Expansion Initiative

This program seeks to expand the number of Family Child Care Homes and providers as well as the number of children placed in appropriate care. Family Child Care provides a smaller setting so that children may receive more individualized attention and it is more cost effective for parents. Interfaith works through local churches to expand this child care option. For more information, contact lsemino@interfaithcommunityservices.org

Killingsworth

1831 Pendleton Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-771-6359

Website: www.killinsworth.org

Within the eight-bedroom home, women recovering from alcohol and/or drug abuse, incarceration, mental and emotional problems, violence and assault, or family crisis situations can find shelter and support. The residential program includes room, board, guidance and support for a nominal fee. Financial and vocational assistance to the residents is often available from partner agencies in the community.

LICS (Lexington Interfaith Community Service)

216 Harmon Street Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-6656 ext.: 247 Website: www.licssc.org

LICS serves Lexington County residents in crisis situations, with food, clothing and stabilization.

5.1 Clothing, Food, Shelter and Utility Assistance

Salvation Army of the Midlands (4) Locations

2025 Main Street Columbia SC 29202 3024 Farrow Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-765-0260 Tel: 803-309-6435

7532 Irmo Drive Columbia SC 29212 119 S. Charlotte Avenue Rock Hill SC 29730

Tel: 803-781-1511 Tel: 803-324-5141

Website: www.salvationarmyusa.org

Food programs and services vary with local needs. For information on specific programs and locations, Group homes, emergency shelters, and transitional living centers provide housing, food, and overnight lodging for varying amounts of time to those in need. In addition, they provide educational, counseling and vocational services to homeless, destitute individuals and families, and youth where family care is undesirable or unavailable. Contact your local Salvation Army Corps Community Center.

SC Association of Community Action

2700 Middleburg Drive Suite 213 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-771-9404

Website: www.scacap.org

They provide limited assistance with emergency food, shelter, clothing and social services, including information and referral, fans, and air conditioning units to people with low-income.

Sharing God's Love

147 Friarsgate Blvd Columbia SC 29063

Tel: 803-732-3188

Email: sharinggodslove.net website: www.sharinggodslove.net

Food: Our food supply comes from local merchants, church and school groups, scouts, and other organizations, as well as individuals. Cash donations are used when purchases are necessary. Clothing: SGL volunteers receive, sort, and organize clothing donated from local churches, individuals, and merchants making it readily available to needy persons within our service area. Financial Assistance: When it is deemed appropriate and funds are available, limited financial assistance is given in the areas of utilities and prescriptions. Spiritual Support: SGL constantly strives to convey a loving spirit and offers prayers with the clients, gives them Bibles, and encourages affiliation and participation in local church services and activities.

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Sistercare

PO Box 1029 Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-926-0505 or Crisis Line: 803-765-9428

Sistercare offers programs of services for survivors of domestic violence and their children residing in Richland, Lexington, Fairfield, Newberry and Kershaw counties in South Carolina.

St. Lawrence Place

2400 Waites Road Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-256-3999

Email: info@stlawrenceplace.org website:www.stlawrenceplace.org

Founded by Trinity Episcopal Cathedral in 1989, St. Lawrence Place is a primary program of Homeless No More, a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization committed to the offering of a seamless continuum of services and housing to homeless and at-risk families in the midlands of South Carolina

Transitions

2025 Main Street Columbia SC 29201

Email: Transitions@transitionsSC.org website: www.transitionssc.org

At Transitions, we engage our clients with various services and provide them a place to stay as they transition from the streets to permanent housing. We also collaborate with many community agencies that use their expertise to help our clients reach their goals. As a result, clients receive services that enable them to stabilize their lives, increase their income, and secure permanent housing.

United Way 2-1-1

1800 Main Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-733-7312 or 2-1-1

Email: Info@uway.org website: www.uway.org

Information on non-emergency human service needs such as community programs, counseling services, financial assistance, shelter and child care resource.

Wateree Community Action Inc. (3) Locations

2712 Middleburg Drive #207 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-807-9811

2430 Atlas Road Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-783-4500

3220 Two Notch Road Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-786-4250

Website: www.wcai.org

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We Care Chapin Interfaith Outreach

1808 Chapin Road Chapin SC 29036

Website:www.chapinwecare.org

Chapin We Care Center was established in 1986 to work with families and individuals in the Chapin community facing emergencies in their basic living needs. We serve as an outreach ministry for churches in the Chapin, Little Mountain, Prosperity, Pomaria, Peak, and White Rock communities. Through the support of generous churches, local businesses, schools, and individuals, we are making a difference in people's lives.

5.2 Elderly Emergency Response Systems & Resources

A.C.E (Assisting Columbia's Elderly)

Tel: 803-545-3660

The purpose of the A.C.E. program is to develop a friendship between members of the senior community and police department. We hope that through this friendship, lines of communication between the senior citizen and the police department will be enhanced.

ADT Personal Emergency Response System

720 Gracern Road Suite 110 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-730-2729

Website: www.adt.com/medical-alert

The joy of being able to stay in your home feeling safe, secure and comfortable is key to your health and happiness. Our <u>medical alert system</u> gives seniors a way to maintain an <u>independent</u> lifestyle.

Subscription Information: Month to month payments, no contracts, no activation fees

American Red Cross Central South Carolina

2751 Bull Street Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-540-1200

No one else does this: not the government, not other charities. From small house fires to multistate natural disasters, the American Red Cross goes wherever we are needed, so people can have clean water, safe shelter and hot meals when they need those most.

Cooling Assistance / Fan the Heat

Sgt. Deidre Speaks Tel: 803-545-3555 Cpl. Ron Felder Tel: 803-545-3500

This Columbia Police Program provides donated and purchased air conditioner units to people older than 60 and people who have children with respiratory problems who are without air conditioner.

Help Personal Response System

15883 Wells Hwy Seneca SC 29678

Tel: 866-672-4852

Email: help@wegetthemessage.com website:www.helpforyou.com

The HELP Personal Response System will allow you to maintain your independence while having the peace of mind that you are one push of a button away from assistance. Help Services, Inc. is proud to be partnered with Response Communications LLC to ensure the reliability and quality of our Help equipment and our Help services.

Low cost, no activation feed, no installation fees, and no cancellation fees.

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HELP Rx

1053 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 877-943-5779

Email: infor@helprx.com website:www.helprx.com

We are here to assist you in finding medical products to make life easier and better. Unlike some web sites, our goal is not to reduce human contact. Our goal is to offer you the form of help that works best for you and your situation.

Life Alarm Services Inc.

4210 Columbia Road Suite 14B Martinez GA 30907

Tel: 800-780-5433

Website:www.life-alarm.com

When it comes to personal safety and choosing a trusted provider that offers cost effective medical alert devices and a top-level personal emergency response system.

Subscription Information: Monthly payments, no contracts

Lifefone

16 Yellowstone Ave White Plains, NY 10607

Tel: 844-253-7939

Email: info@lifefone.com website: www.lifefone.com

LifeFone's professional Care Agents are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, reducing concerns about personal safety, helping to ensure early intervention and allow seniors to remain independent in their own homes. Whether you require emergency medical help or simply need assistance from a neighbor or family members, a simple push of the medical alert button provides access to the help you need.

Subscription Information: No contracts, no activation fees and no equipment fees

Safe Life Senior

1746 Westminster Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-254-2673

Website: www.safelifesenior.com

Our organization was incorporated in 1982 under IRS 501 c(3) guidelines and, just like the Pilot Club of Columbia, we are dedicated to assisting seniors and handicapped individuals in living safely in their own homes and while out in the community. We do so with a range of affordable Lifeline services aimed at balancing independence with safety and giving peace of mind to subscribers, families, and caregivers. That is Safe Life Senior.

Subscription Information: No contract, month to month service

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SC Emergency Management Division

2779 Fish Hatchery Road West Columbia SC 29172

Tel: 803-737-8594 www.scemd.org

To coordinate with emergency management personal at local and national levels to maintain oversight of the state's preparedness, response, recovery, and mitigation activities.

SOS- Serving Our Seniors

Irmo Police Department

Tel: 803-781-8088

www.townofirmosc.com

The Irmo Police Department has developed the Serving Our Seniors program to assist the seniors in town. We offer community programs for education ("How to Avoid Scams"), various safety and health classes. SOS members are routinely contacted to make sure they are safe during times of need (storms and disasters). If you or someone you know is interested in, the programs please contact Sergeant Grinstead at (803) 781-8088 to become an active member.

Phone Guard

Lexington County Sheriff's Office 521 Gibson Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-785-8230

www.lexingtonscsheriff.com

This program is designed for the elderly, handicapped or those who have severe medical problems. This person is usually alone during the day or lives alone. Background information determines qualification for Phone Guard. When accepted for this program telephone contact is made daily by the individual with the Sheriff's Department. If contact is not made, a deputy is dispatched to the residence.

Project Hope

5623 Two Notch Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-576-3000

Email: sheriff@rcsd.net website:www.rcsd.net

Under Project H.O.P.E., these dedicated workers call and visit senior citizens and disabled citizens each month. Other Volunteers make weekly calls to everyone.

This is another way of staying in touch, and to find out if there is anything we can do for them. These retired law enforcement officers also visit many senior centers, numerous church, and community groups.

During their visits to the home, our officers perform a variety of functions. They conduct safety checks of the home, such as putting in smoke detectors or replacing smoke detector batteries. They also put street numbers on their homes so emergency personnel and other programs, like Meals on Wheels, can easily find them. If you would like to volunteer to help in Project Hope, you may call Bill Brown at 576-3183

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Operation Take Back Medication

Deputies assigned to Project H.O.P.E. will assist citizens in Richland County with the safe disposal of all unwanted, unused or expired prescription medications. Deputies will pick-up the medications from the lock boxes at the designated locations; complete an Incident Report; file property, along with the case number; finally, transporting the medications to the Evidence Room for proper disposal.

• Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Region #1 2615-B Lower Richland Blvd. Columbia, SC 29061

(803) 576-1470

Region #3

6429 Bishop Avenue Columbia, SC 29203 (803) 576-2215

Region #6

96 Lake Carolina Blvd. Columbia, SC 29229 (803) 865-8011 Region #2

7201 Two-Notch Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 788-1667

Region #4

1019 Beatty Road Columbia, SC 29210 (803) 576-1455

Region #7

1405 Screaming Eagle Road

Columbia, SC Elgin (803) 576-1420

• 24-Hour Drop off - 5623 Two Notch Road, Columbia SC 29223 (803) 576-3000

PROJECT LIFESAVER - Lexington, Richland, Newberry and Fairfield Counties

Provides a GIS bracelet to aid caregivers for "at risk wanders" who suffer from Alzheimer's, Autism, Down's syndrome and other brain disorders, which may lead them to wander. People who are part of the project Lifesaver wear a personalized wristband that emits a tracking signal.

Richland County Sheriff Department

Capt. Bill Brown or Amanda Jordan

Phone: 803-576-3183 Email: Phope@rcsd.net

Phope@rcsd.net

Newberry County Sheriff Department Capt. Robert Dennis or Ryan Dickert

Phone: 803-321-2211

Lexington County Sheriff Department Capt. Bill Galardi or Tim Parcheta

Phone: 803-785-0215

Fairfield County Sheriff Department

Terri Smith or Lee Hanley Phone: 803-635-4141

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Assisted Living facility or Community Residential Care Facility offers room and board and provides a degree of personal assistance for two or more persons eighteen years or older. (Licensed by DHEC, SC Code 44-7-130(6). DHEC updates their licensed facility listing monthly. For a current listing, please visit www.scdhec.gov).

*Accepts Optional State Supplement (OSS)

Fairfield County

*Joshuas Foundation

388 Elbow Circle Ridgeway SC 29130 Tel: 803-337-8701

Lexington County

Agape at Harbison

990 Colombia Avenue Irmo SC 29063 Tel: 803-749-7889

Brookdale Lexington

190 McSwain Drive West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-936-0062

Carolina Gardens at Lexington

5422 Augusta Road Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-520-5850

Colonial Gardens Alzheimer's Special Care Center

3565 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-796-2556

Generations of Chapin

431 E. Boundary Street Chapin SC 29036 Tel: 803-345-1911

Jenni-Lynn Assisted Living Community

915 Hook Ave West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-926-8600

*Brook Pine Community Residential Care

3961 Fish Hatchery Road Gaston SC 29053 Tel: 803-955-3821

*Brookwood Community Residence

181 Brookwood Drive Batesburg SC 29006 Tel: 803-532-4440

Carolina Gardens at West Columbia

2705 Leaphart Road West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-939-3000

*Generations of Batesburg

111 Generations Blvd Batesburg SC 29006 Tel: 803-532-8428

*Generations of Irmo

7142 Woodrow Street Irmo SC 29063 Tel: 803-227-8991

Laurel Crest

100 Joseph Walker Drive West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-796-0370

Lexington County

Morningside of Lexington

218 old Chapin Road Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-957-3600

Presbyterian Home of South Carolina – Columbia Home (CRCF)

700 Davega Drive Lexington SC 29073 Tel: 803-796-8700

*S & S Assistance Housing

800 Hendrix Street Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-358-6573

*Southern Heritage

1713 Charleston Hwy West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-796-3113

*Twilite Manor Adult Residential Care

2306 Forrest Street Cayce SC 29033 Tel: 803-794-7561

Oakleaf Village of Lexington

800 N. Lake Drive Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-808-3477

*Rapha Residential Care Inc.

3959 Fish Hatchery Road Gaston SC 29053 Tel: 803-755-6541

SC Episcopal Home at Still Hopes (CRCF)

1 Still Hopes Drive West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-796-6490

Stephanie's Residential Care

4033 Delree Street West Columbia SC 29170 Tel: 803-356-7542

*Youngblood's Assisted Living Home

1500 Fork Avenue Irmo SC 29063 Tel: 803-740-4861

Newberry County

Palmetto Gardens

425 S Wheeler Avenue Prosperity SC 29127 Tel: 803-364-9113

*Springfield Place Residential Care

2006 Springfield Circle Newberry SC 29108 Tel: 803-405-1585

Richland County

*Addison's Community Care Home

4013 Percival Road Columbia SC 29229 Tel: 803-463-1697

*B & J Residential Care Facility

528 Atterbury Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-786-0011

*Builders Care Home

731 Sims Avenue Columbia SC 29205 Tel: 803-376-8991

Carolina Gardens at Kathwood

4520 Trenholm Road Columbia SC 29206 Tel: 803-787-1234

*Causal Community Care Home

112 Goodrich Street Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-788-2721

*Country Comfort Community Home

204 Joe Apree Circle Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-776-3873

Crossing at Columbia

2300 Clemson Road Columbia SC 29229 Tel: 803-223-9560

*Dowdy's Community Care Home #2

4609 Arlington Street Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-786-2105

Atria Forest Lake

4405 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29206 Tel: 803-790-9800

Brookdale Columbia

251 Springtree Drive Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-741-2600

Carolina Gardens at Conway

2320 Hwy 378 Columbia SC 29206 Tel: 843-397-2273

*Carson's Community Care

10219 Farrow Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-788-2721

*CLS Care Home

1024 Tucker Town Road Suite 1024A Gadsden SC 29052 Tel: 803-353-2151

*Countrywood Assisted Living

1645 Ridge Road Hopkins SC 29061 Tel: 803-776-3873

*Davis Community Care Home

2306 Heyward Brockington Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-5677

*Eugenia's Residential Care Facility

2232 Heyward Brockington Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-786-1047

Richland County

*Flanagan Community Care Home

665 Sharpe Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-2136

Harborchase of Columbia

120 Fairforest Road Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-781-2000

Heritage at Lowman Residential Care

2101 Dutch Fork Road Chapin SC 29036 Tel: 803-732-8800

Ida Lane II (CRCF)

124 Ida Lane Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-785-7543

*Joanne's Community Care Home II

756 Farrowood Drive Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-736-3094

*Kensington I

100 Kensington Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 843-623-9016

*Kiva Lodge

200 Claude Bundrick Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-776-1742

*Mary's Residential Care Facility

10425 Wilson Blvd Blythewood SC 29203 Tel: 803-708-1739

*Harbison Hall

534 Wil Stel Road Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-731-2000

Haven in the Summit

3 Summit Terrace Columbia SC 29229 Tel: 803-788-4633

IDA Lane I (CRCF)

120 Ida Lane Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-786-7522

*Joanne's Community Care Home #1

5048 Percival Road Elgin SC 29045 Tel: 803-736-3890

*Joy Community Care Home

6800 Doby Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-3157

*Kensington II Group Home

120 Kensington Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 843-623-9016

*Lemonade House

1018 Crystal Clear Lane Hopkins SC 29061 Tel: 803-766-1742

*Mary's Residential Care #2

633 Sharpe Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-556-9813

Richland County

*Miles Residential Care

490 Koon Store Road Blythewood SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-4039

MIRCI Group Home II

611 Beckman Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-8894

*Oliver's Care Home

1200 Lawhorn Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-754-3585

*Passionate Care Community Center

2206 Hertford Drive Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-834-4544

*Pondview Residential Care Home #1

5342 Hardscrabble Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-735-0420

*Reese's Community Care Home #1

1203 E. Muller Avenue Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-786-1843

*Robin's Residential Care Facility

1216 Hyatt Avenue Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-699-5361

*Rouse Community Care Home #1

102 Ballenton Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-788-1753

MIRCI Group Home I

581 Beckman Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-4221

North Pines Community Residence

313 N. Pines Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-754-6213

Palmettos of Parklane

7811 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-741-7233

*Piedmont Pathways Community Residential

Care Facility

5640 Lower Richland Blvd Hopkins SC 29061

*Pondview Residential Care Home #2

5338 Hardscrabble Road Blythewood SC 29016 Tel: 803-735-0420

*Reese's Community Care Home #2

717 Cindy Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-9798

*Rockhaven Community Care Home

524 Rockhaven Drive Columbia, SC 29203 Tel: 803-699-5361

*Rouse Community Care Home #2

8809 Wilson Blvd. Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-786-9357

Richland County

*Rouse Community Care Home #3

9316 Wilson Blvd Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-754-5720

Summers Landing Polo Road

651 Polo Road Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-788-9555

*Walters Residential Care

821 Duke Avenue Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-252-8919

*Whitaker Community Care Home

79 Sal Sue Court Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-786-8561

*Williams Community Care Home

7705 Richard Street Columbia SC 29209 Tel: 803-783-1223

Sterling House of Harbison

51 Woodcross Drive Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-732-0300

*Turning Point CRCF

820 Toms Creek Road Hopkins SC 29061 Tel: 803-647-1152

*Westside Residential Care

4112 Hartford Street Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-786-7411

Wildewood Downs Assisted Living Community

731 Polo Road Columbia SC 29223 Tel: 803-788-5115

6.2 Skilled Nursing Homes / Healthcare Centers

Fairfield County

Fairfield Healthcare Center

117 Bellfield Road Ridgeway SC 29130

Tel: 803-337-2257

Pruitt Health - Ridgeway

213 Tanglewood Court Ridgeway SC 29130

Tel: 803-337-3211

Newberry County

JF Hawkins Nursing Home Inc.

1330 Kinard Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-2601

White Oak Manor - Newberry

2555 Kinard Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-6060

Lexington County

Brian Center of Nursing Care - St. Andrews

3514 Sidney Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-798-9715

Laurel Crest Retirement Center

100 Joseph Walker Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-0370

Heritage at Lowman Rehabilitation and Healthcare

ricartificare

201 Fortress Drive Chapin SC 29036

Tel: 803-732-3000

Lexington Medical Center Extended Care

815 Old Cherokee Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-359-5181

Millennium Post-Acute Rehabilitation

2416 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-8024

Presbyterian Home of South Carolina

700 Davega Drive Lexington SC 29073

Tel: 803-796-8700

NHC Healthcare Lexington

2993 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-939-0026

South Carolina Episcopal Home at Still Hope

1 Still Hopes Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-6490

OPUS Post-Acute Rehabilitation

300 Agape Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-739-5282

6.2 Skilled Nursing Homes / Healthcare Centers

Richland County

CM Tucker JR Nursing Care Center Fewell and Stone Pavilions

2200 Harden Street Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-737-5399

CM Tucker JR Nursing Care Center Roddey Pavilion

2200 Harden Street Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-737-5301

Life Care Center of Columbia

2514 Faraway Drive Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-865-1999

Midlands Health & Rehabilitation Center

1007 N Kings Street Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-699-4111

NHC Healthcare Parklane

7601 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-741-9090

Palmetto Health Baptist Subacute Rehabilitation Center

1330 Taylor Street Columbia SC 29220

Tel: 803-296-5010

Countrywood Nursing Center

1645 Ridge Road Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-776-3873

Heartland of Columbia Rehabilitation and

Nursing Center

2601 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-256-4983

Pruitt Health - Blythewood

1075 Heather Green Drive

Columbia SC 29229

Tel: 803-382-2300

Pruitt Health - Columbia

2451 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-254-5960

Rice Estate Rehabilitation and Healthcare

100 Finley Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-691-5720

Wildewood Downs Nursing and

Rehabilitation Center

731 Polo Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-788-5115

White Oak Manor - Columbia

3001 Beechaven Road Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-782-4363

Central Midlands AAA/ADRC Senior & Disability Service Directory

6.3 Retirement / Independent Living Communities

Carolina Apartments

3201 Meadowlark Drive Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-754-6200

Toll Free: 1-866-891-6029

Email: carolinaapartments@sc.rr.com

Deepwood Estates

203 Old Chapin Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-358-8529

Website: www.holidaytouch.com

Forest Pines

1720 Devonshire Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-252-3444

Toll Free: 1-866-596-0438

Website: www.holidaytouch.com

Regency Woods

2061 Smith Road Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-321-9708

The Village at Southlake

123 Gibson Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-356-1158

Website: www.southlakevillage.net

Christopher Towers

1805 Devine Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-5876

Toll Free: 1-866-625-1262

Email: christophertower@bellsouth.net

Finlay House

2100 Blossom Street Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-799-6524

Email: info@finlayhouse.com
Website: www.finlayhouse.com

Jenni-Lynn - Rainbow Row

915 Hook Avenue West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-926-8600

Toll Free: 1-866-596-0438

Scarlett Oaks

200 Old Chapin Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-951-7396

Website: www.boydmanagement.com

The Waterford at Columbia

9370 Windsor Lake Blvd. Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-699-1121

Website: www.waterfordatcolumbia.com

6.4 Home Repair / Modification Assistance

Home Works of America, Inc.

3823 W. Beltline Blvd Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-781-4536

www.homeworksofamerica.org

Home Works is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit founded in 1996. Our Mission is to show God's love by repairing homes of homeowners in need, assisting youth in their development, and empowering communities to meet the needs of their members.

Jim Dandy to the Rescue, LLC

Tel: 803-318-7957

Email: claystew@earthlink.net www.jimdandytotherescue.com

Offering a full line of repairperson services, there is no job too small.

Serving Lexington and Richland counties.

R-Q Builders

Tel: 803-719-7823

Email: ruben@rqbuilders.com

www.rqbuilders.com

Specializes in custom design and building, remodeling, additions, disability home modifications.

Flood recovery

SC USDA Rural Development State Office (Single Family Housing Repair loans & Grants) State Office

1835 Assembly Street Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-765-5163 Toll Free: 1-800-670-6553 State Director: Vernita Dore Tel: 803-765-5163

www.rd.usda.gov

Fairfield / Newberry Counties

Area Office: Chester Service Center 744 Wilson Street Chester SC 29706

Tel: 803-581-1906

Area Specialist: Tim Ellis Tel: 803-581-1906 ext. 113

Lexington County

Area Office: Aiken Service Center

1555 Richland Avenue E Aiken SC 29801

Tel: 803-649-4221

Area Specialist: Patti Walker Tel: 803-649-4221 ext.105

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SC USDA Rural Development State Office (Single Family Housing Repair loans & Grants) Richland County

Area Office: Orangeburg Service Center 1550 Henley Street Orangeburg SC 29115

Tel: 803-534-2409

Area Specialist: Judy Capehart Tel: 803-534-2409 ext. 123

Non-Profit Emergency Repairs / * Owner Occupied Rehabilitation

*Calvary Life Inspirations CDC

Tel: 864-642-2034 – Mary Jackson Serving Newberry County

*Carolina Communities Foundation

Tel: 803-450-7806 – Catherine Geter Serving Richland County

*Community Assistance Mentoring Programs

Tel: 803-622-4777 – Joe Jackson Serving Fairfield and Richland Counties

*Community Development & Improvement Corp. {C.D.I.C}

Tel: 803-917-7978 – Chanosha Lawton Serving Lexington and Richland counties

Greater Works Foundation

Tel: 803-730-9840 – Tina Thomas Serving Fairfield and Richland counties **HBA CDC**

Tel: 803-397-0792 – Alice Hill Serving Lexington, Newberry and Richland counties

Home Works of America

Tel: 803-781-4536 – Jim Powell Serving Lexington and Richland counties

*New America Corporation

Tel: 803-534-0035 – Adophus Johnson Serving Lexington and Richland Counties

*Camden First CDC

Tel: 803-432-3101 – Ebonie Gripper Serving Fairfield and Richland Counties

Central South Carolina Habitat for Humanity

Tel: 803-252-3570 – Brittani Richards Serving Fairfield, Lexington, and Richland Counties

*Community Assistance Provider

Tel: 803-771-0050 – Veronica Rodriguez Serving Fairfield, Newberry, Lexington and Richland counties.

*Community Organization for Rights & Empowerment {C.O.R.E.}

Tel: 803-496-3287 – Virginia Townsend Serving Lexington and Richland counties

*Hands and Faith CDC

Tel: 803-728-7153 – Matthew Green Serving Richland county

Holistic Resources Crisis Int'l Outreach

Tel: 803-790-8833- Willie Crum, Jr. Serving Fairfield, Lexington, and Richland counties

Jeffrey Hunter Ministries

Tel: 803-397-2363
Serving Fairfield, Lexington and Richland counties

*New Covenant Community Center

803-221-4863 – Jacob Harrison, Sr.

Serving Lexington county

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Non-Profit Emergency Repairs/* Owner Occupied Rehabilitation

Palmetto United CDC

Tel: 803-424-5334 – Jimmie Nichelson, Sr. Serving Fairfield, Lexington and Richland Counties

Rural Initiatives Foundation

Tel: 803-300-2861 – Kenneth Myers, Sr. Serving Fairfield, Newberry, Lexington and Richland counties

SC Home Rehabilitation Services

Tel: 803-605-7501 – James Bowers Serving Fairfield, Lexington and Richland counties

*Palmland CDF

Tel: 803-764-6363 – John Thomas Serving Richland county

*Santee - Lynches Affordable Housing & CDC

Tel: 803-436-0020 – Andelyn Rodriguez Serving Lexington and Richland counties

*SC Uplift Community Outreach

Tel: 803-691-4742- Kevin Wimberly Serving Fairfield, Lexington and Richland counties

6.5 Housing Counseling

Fairfield County

Fairfield County Housing Authority

Tel: 803-898-1847

Lexington County

Benefit Bank at the SC Office of Rural Health

Tel: 1-800-726-8774

Connects low-to-moderate income families to work supports, tax credits, public benefits, and student financial aid.

Lexington County Housing Authority

Tel: 803-896-8663

Samaritan's Well

Tel: 803-785-4357

Transitional Housing for Women and Children

Sistercare

Tel: 803-765-9428 or Toll Free 1-800-637-7606 Shelters, Support groups, Community Education

Newberry County

Housing Authority

Tel: 803-276-1049

Richland County

Alston Wilkes Society

Tel: 803-799-2490

Case management, needs assessment, counseling, employments training/placement, housing assistance and referrals to other community resources.

Columbia Housing Authority

Tel: 803-254-3886

Community Relations Council

Tel: 803-733-1130 Assistance with housing

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Richland County

Family Shelter

Tel: 803-771-7040

Family Service Center

Tel: 803-733-5450

Identifies local social service resources

Oliver Gospel Mission

Tel: 803-254-6470

Homeless Shelters for Men Only

St. Lawrence Place

Tel: 803-256-3999

Transitional housing and support services to homeless families

Women's Shelter

Tel: 803-779-4706

Services for women in crisis with employment help, legal issues and educational goals

Community Resources

Community Assistance Provider (CAP) Housing Counseling

2800 North Main Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-771-0505

Email: communityassist@bellsouth.net Website: www.communityassistanceprovider.com Get individuals and families ready to purchase a home and prepares them for responsibilities of home ownership.

SCHELP (SC Homeownership and Employment Lending Program)

Tel: 803-896-9468 Toll Free: 1-855-435-7472

Website: www.scmortagehelp.com Four ways SC HELP may help you:

Monthly Payment Assistance, Direct Loan Assistance, Transition Assistance, and

Modification/Recast Assistance.

6.6 Rental Assistance

Aiken/Barnwell/ Lexington Community Action Commission Inc.

650 Knox Abbott Drive Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-794-6778

Carolina Community Action Inc.

402 S. Congress Street Winnsboro SC 29108

Tel: 803-635-3606

Website: www.carolinacommunityactions.org

God's helping Hands

919 Holland Avenue Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-791-4167

Killingsworth

1831 Pendleton Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-771-6359

Website: www.killingsworth.org

Oliver Gospel Mission

1100 Taylor Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-254-6470 Ext.1007

Email: ogm@olivergm.com Website:www.olivergospelmission.org

Palmetto AIDS Life Support Services

2638 Two Notch Road Suite 108 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-779-7257

Website: www.palss.org

SC Housing Choice Voucher Program

300-C Outlook Pointe Blvd Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-896-8888

Website: www.schousing.com

Wateree Community Action Inc.

 2712 Middleburg Drive
 3220 Two Notch Road

 Columbia SC 29204
 Columbia SC 29204

 Tel: 803-807-9811
 Tel: 803-786-4250

2430 Atlas Road Columbia SC 29204 803-783-4500

6.7 Subsidized Housing

AHEPA Apartments - Pelham Drive

451 Pelham Drive Columbia SC 29209 Tel: 803-695-1934

Website: www.ahepa284.org

Asbury Arms Apartments

100 Ashbury Lane West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-794-8052

Brookland-West Columbia Community & Housing Development Corporation

PO Box 2454 Columbia SC 29202 Tel: 803-796-8289

Email: housing@brooklandhousing.org

Carriage House Apartments

110 Amsterdam Drive Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-772-9400

Email: CarriageHouseColumbia@glickco.com

Website: www.carriagehousecolumbia.com

Columbia Housing Authority

1917 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-254-3886 Email: cha@chasc.org Website: www.chasc.org

Drayton Village

700 Center Street Newberry SC 29108 Tel: 803-321-6006

Email: draytonvillage@nhenterprises.com

Website:

www.nhensterprises.com/apartments

AHEPA Apartments – Jimmy Love Lane

130 Jimmy Love Lane Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-695-1934

Website: www.aphea284.org

Avalon Place Apartments

1000 Atlas Road Columbia SC 29209 Tel: 803-783-1101

Carolina Apartments

3201 Meadowlark Drive Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-754-6200

Toll Free: 1-866-891-4173

Email: carolinaapartments@sc.rr.com

Christopher Towers

1805 Devine Street Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-799-5879

Toll Free: 1-866-625-1262

Email: christophertower@bellsouth.net

Community Assistance Provider (PAC)

2800 North Main Street Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-771-0050

Email: communityassist@bellsouth.net

Ensor Forest

4520 Monticello Road Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-765-9515

Email: dlfinch@columbiasc.net

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Finlay House

2100 Blossom Street Columbia SC 29205 Tel: 803-799-6524

Email: rbell@finleyhouse.com
Website: www.finlayhouse.com

Pebble Creek Senior Apartments

136 Library Hill Lane Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-520-6481

Wardlaw Apartments

1003 Elmwood Avenue Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-779-7471

Website: www.unitedmgtsvc.com

Lakeside Apartments

401 Harbison Blvd. Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-781-8050

Email: lakeside@nhenterprises.com

Website: www.nhenterprises.com/apartments

Sparkleberry Apartments

100 Chalice Lane Columbia SC 29229 Tel: 803-736-1188

Website: www.boydmanagement.com

Woods Edge Apartments

109 Hillpine Road Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-781-9065

Email: woodsedgeapts@themichaelsorg.com

SC State Housing Finance and Development Authority Housing Choice Voucher Program/ Housing Search

300-C Outlet Pointe Blvd Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-896-8888

Website: www.schousing.com

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7.1 Mental Health & Counseling

Affiliated Family Services - 2 Locations

2016 Assembly Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-252-5300

1898 Calhoun Street #5 Columbia SC 29201

Bridges Clubhouse

2015 Commerce Drive Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-796-6179

Email: bridgesclubhouse@gmail.com

Domestic Abuse Center

989 Knox Abbott Drive Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-791-1322

Email: www.domesticabusecenter.net

Family Connection of South Carolina

Tel: 803-217-3564

Toll Free: 1-800-578-8750

 ${\bf Email:} \ \underline{info@familyconnectionsc.org}$

Website: www.familyconnectionsc.org

Life Point Counseling Center

1431 North Lake Drive Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-808-9623

MIRCI (Mental Illness Recovery Center, Inc.)

3809 Rosewood Drive Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-786-1844 Email: mail@mirci.org

Website: www.mirci.org

Palmetto AIDS Life Support Services

2638 Two Notch Road Suite 208

Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-779-7257 Email: info@palss.org

Website: www.palss.org

Beckman Center for Mental Health (Newberry County)

1547 Parkway Suite 100 Greenwood SC 29646

Tel: 864-229-7120

Chronos Care Counseling Service

113 Miles Park Drive Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-865-7500

Eau Claire Counseling & Behavioral Medicine

4605 Monticello Road Bld.B Ste 1

Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-714-0266

Federation of Families for Children's Mental

Health of South Carolina

810 Dutch Square Blvd Suite 205

Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-772-5210 Toll Free: 1-866-779-0402

Email: info@fedfamsc.org
Website: www.fedfamsc.org

Mental Health America of South Carolina

1823 Gadsden Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-779-5363

Email: nscott@mha-sc.org
Website: www.mha-sc.org

The Nurturing Center

1332 Pickens Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 771-4160

Email: contact@thenurturingcenter.org
Website: www.thenurturingcenter.org

Palmetto Counseling Associates LLC

1911 Gadsden Street Suite 204

Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-254-9767

Email: info@palmettocounseling.com

Website: www.palmettocounseling.com

7.1 Mental Health & Counseling

Palmetto Health Counseling Services Palmetto Health Baptist

1501 Sumter Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-296-5879

Palmetto Health Richland

9 Medical Park Drive Suite 400

Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-434-2767

Palmetto Health Baptist Parkridge

300 Palmetto Health Pkwy Suite 118

Columbia SC 29212 Tel: 803-907-5879

Post Trauma Resources LLC

1709 Laurel Street Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-765-0700 Toll Free: 1-800-459-6780

Email: www.posttrauma.com

SC Mental Health Clinics

Columbia

2713 Colonial Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-898-4800

Fairfield

1073 US Hwy By-Pass S. Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-737-3039 or 803-635-4689

Lexington

301 Palmetto Park Blvd Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-996-1500

Southeast Counseling

2712 Middleburg Drive Suite 207B

Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-419-7497

Email: <u>info@southeastcounseling.info</u> Website: <u>www.southeastcounseling.info</u>

VA Medical Center – Mental Health

6439 Garners Ferry Road Building 106

Columbia SC 20209

Tel: 803-776-4000 Ext. 7183 or 7184 Website: www.columbiasc.va.gov

Palmetto Health Counseling Services Northeast Columbia-Spring Valley

91 Polo Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-296-5879

Palmetto Health – Newberry

2699 College Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-296-5879

Palmetto Health - Sumter

213 Main Street Sumter SC 29150

Tel: 803-775-3510

SC HIV/AIDS Council (SCHAC)

1518 Pickens Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-254-6644

Email: support@schivaidscouncil.org
Website: www.schivaidscouncil.org

SC Mental Health Clinics

Gaston

3965 Fish Hatchery Road Gaston SC 29053

Tel: 803-755-2261 Batesburg-Leesville

119-A Malibu Drive Batesburg SC 29006

Tel: 803-532-8414

Newberry

2043 Medical Park Drive Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8006

Three Rivers Behavioral Health

2900 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-9911

Toll Free: 1-866-796-9911

Website: www.threeriversbehavioral.org

Vocational Rehabilitation

1330 Boston Ave West Columbia SC 29170 Tel: 803-896-6333 Toll Free: 1-866-206-5184

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Vocational Rehabilitation Other offices:

516 Percival Road Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-782-4239 Toll Free: 1-866-206-5280

1430 Confederate Avenue Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-898-8866

www.scvrd.net

Vocational Rehabilitation Other offices

201 Corporate Park Blvd Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-691-8284

Atria at Forest Lake

4405 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29206 Tel: 803-790-9800 (Debbie Bailey) Date: 3rd Tuesday every month Time 12:00 Noon (Lunch)

Alzheimer's Association Caregiver Support Groups - Midlands Office

3223 Sunset Blvd Suite 100 West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-791-3430

Toll Free: 1-800-272-3900 Website: www.alz.org/sc/

Central Midlands Council of Governments- Family Caregiver Support Program

236 Stoneridge Drive Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-376-5390 – Becky Baird Email: <u>bbaird@centralmidlands.org</u> Dates: 3rd Thursday of each month

Time: 11:00 AM

Location: Large Conference Room

Details: The Support Group gives information to the families that are taking care of loved ones with Alzheimer's, Dementia or other health issues. In this support program, you will be provided by several members in the community to teach each and everyone how to cope and fulfill the loved ones request for a happy lifestyle.

Caregivers Coalition of the Midlands

(Group for Spouses of person with dementia—led by spouse caregivers)

Palmer Bldg. of First Presbyterian 1420 Lady Street Palmer – 4th Floor SW corner of Lady & Bull Streets

Parking Lot on corner, enter on Lady Street

Tel: 803-779-1995 ext. 4 (Debbie Clark) 803-351-7827 (Janet Haladay)

Date: 2nd Tuesday every month

Time: 12:00 Noon

Daybreak Adult Care Services- Lexington

The Palmettos of Parklane

7811 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-741-7233

Dates: 3rd Tuesday of every month

Time: 1:00 PM

Details: Daybreak co-sponsors and coordinates monthly meetings for persons, who provide care to those unable to care for themselves, for mutual emotional support and the sharing of

information and experiences.

Fairfield County Council on Aging

210 E Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29108

Tel: 803-633-4283 (Debbie Broom) Dates: 2nd Tuesday of every month

Time: 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Leeza's Care Connection

201 St. Andrews Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-834-7694

Details: Lezza's Care Connection is the only caregiver community resource center in the midlands, leading the way to meet the ever increasing needs of families by providing FREE programs and services AND a place for families to gather. We connect, uplift and empower caregivers to call on their courage and summon their strength when they are faced with new health diagnosis, crisis or transition.

Lewy Body Dementia Support Group

"M'Aiken A Difference"

Daybreak Caregiver Outreach & Training Center 151 Linden Street SW Aiken SC 29801

Tel: 803-226-0288 (Patrice Tavernier or Linda Lucas)

Email: Nancy Martin nancy13lbd@gmail.com

Date: 3rd Tuesday of each month

Time: 11:00 AM

The Crossings at Columbia

2300 Clemson Road Columbia SC 29229

Tel: 803-754-0538 (Betty Rabon)
Date: Last Thursday of every month

Time: 1:00 PM

The Haven in the Summit

3 Summit Terrace Columbia SC 29229 Tel: 803-788-4633 (Monice Butler) Date 2nd Tuesday every month

Time: 6:00PM

The Heritage at Lowman Home

Wellness Center, Gallery Chapin 2101 Dutch Fork Road White Rock SC 29177

Tel: 803-760-4259 (Renee Driggers) Dates: 3rd Thursday of Each Month

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Details: The Alzheimer's Support Group is for caregivers, family, friends, or anybody who wants information on Alzheimer's or Dementia care. In this support group you will hear first-hand experience, get medical information, and ideas that will help with your daily concerns. Feel free to listen, share, and ask questions.

The Palmettos of Parklane

7811 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-754-0538 (Betty Rabon) or 803-741-7233 (Kristen DeGoursey)

Date: 4th Monday every Month

Time: 6:00 PM

Newberry County Library

1100 Friend Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-924-3469 Teresa Halfare or 803-837-2619 Chris Cook

Dates: 1st Wednesday of every month 9:30 AM

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Dates: 2nd Tuesday of every month

Time: 5:30 PM

Details: The Aging council offers a support group for any person who provides care for someone

with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia.

Oakleaf Village of Lexington

800 N. Lake Drive Lexington SC 29036 Tel: 803-808-3477 (Keren Pickard) Dates: 1st Thursday of the month

Time: 6:00 PM

Details: For a different type of support group where you can meet those with the same

struggles as you! A light lunch is provided. Website: www.oakleafvillagelexington.com

Palmetto Senior Care

1308 Laurel Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-931-8166 (Karen Carr or Cindy Hawkins) Date: 4th Friday every other month (odd months)

Time: 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM

Senior Primary Care

3010 Farrow Road #300 Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-434-1238 (Mary Winstead, LISW)

Date: 1st Tuesday every month

Time: 12:00 Noon

Wittenberg Lutheran Church

233 North Lee Street Leesville SC 29070 Tel: 803-532-4636 (Joan Caughman) Dates: 1st Wednesday of the month

Time: 12:00 PM

7.3 Bereavement / Grieving Support Groups

"Bereavement Support Group"

Lexington Medical Center – Granby Room

2720 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 791-2901

Dates: 1st Thursday of every month

Time: 7:00 PM

"From Grief to Joy"

Family Life Center, Lexington Baptist Church

308 E. Main Street Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-716-4600

Dates: 3rd Tuesday of every month

Time: 7:00 PM

Website: www.joyinthemourningcenter.org

Grief and Loss Support Group

Dates: 2nd Thursday of Each Month

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Location: The Heritage at Lowman Classroom

Tel: 843-200-6433 – Kristy Emerson kemerson@lutheranhospice.org.

Registration is required prior to attending.

"Parents of Murdered Children & Other Survivors of Homicide" Washington Street United Methodist Church

3rd Floor Youth Room

1401 Washington Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-414-4491

Email: columbiascpomc@gmail.com
Dates: 3rd Tuesday of each Month

Time: 6:00 PM

"Pathfinders" Columbia Downtown Palmetto Health Baptist – Cafeteria

Taylor at Marion Street Columbia SC 29220

Tel: 803-296-3100 ext. 3331 or Toll Free: 1-800-238-1884

Dates: 1st Tuesday of each month Time: 5:30 PM – Supper Served

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"Pathfinders" Newberry Palmetto Health Hospice

1400 Camellia Ave Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-405-0808 or Toll Free: 1-800-518-5175

Dates: 2nd Tuesday of the month & Last Thursday of each month

Time: 3:00 PM & 5:30 PM

"Pet Loss Support Group"

Senior Center, Lexington Leisure Center

108 Park Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-716-4600

Dates: 3rd Monday of each month

Time: 7:00 PM

"Sharing Hearts"

SC HPC Hospice and Palliative Care

140 Stoneridge Drive Suite 630 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-758-4099

Dates: 2nd Monday of each month

Time: 6:30 PM

"Survivors of Suicide (SOS)"

Westminster Presbyterian Church

1715 Broad River Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-356-2874

Email: catneeley@windstream.net
Dates: 1st Tuesday of every month

Time: 7:00 PM

7.4 Cancer Support Groups

"Bosom Buddies"

Palmetto Health Baptist

Taylor at Marion St Columbia SC 29220

Tel: 803-296-2378

Date: 2nd Tuesday of every Month

Time: 6:00 PM

Details: Group for women who have/had breast cancer.

"Coping with Cancer Together" Lexington Medical Center- Granby Room

Tel: 803-939-8774 Date: Wednesday Time: 11:30 AM

Details: Anyone diagnosed with cancer

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

107 Westpark Boulevard Suite 150 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-731-4060

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's South Carolina chapter was founded in 1981 to serve residents who have been touched by one of the blood cancers: leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma. The chapter serves the entire state of South Carolina with the main office in Columbia and satellite offices in Greenville and Mt. Pleasant.

"Sharing Hope"

Womens Imaging Lobby / Lexington Medical Park 1

Tel: 803-791-2521

Date: 4th Tuesday of every month

Time: 11:30 AM

Details: Women with recurrent or metastatic breast cancer

"US Too Survivorship"

LMP Auditorium / Lexington Medical Park 1

Tel: 803-791-2521 Libby Daniels RN 803-776-5834 Allen Schurr

Date: 1st Wednesday of every month

Time: 1:00 PM

Details: All men, family, friends and health professionals who want to discuss prostate cancer.

7.5 Diabetes Support Groups

"Sugar Club"

Chapin United Methodist Church

415 Lexington Ave. Chapin SC 29036

Tel: 803-345-5327

Date: 4th Thursday of every month

Time: 7:00 PM

Diabetes Support Group Palmetto Health Baptist,

Taylor at Marion St. Columbia, SC 29220

Phone: 803-296-8906

Kids with Diabetes Palmetto Health Richland

5 Richland Medical Park Drive Columbia, SC 29203

Phone: 803-434-6674

Living Well With Diabetes

Palmetto Health Baptist

Taylor at Marion St Columbia, SC 29220

When: Monthly

Phone: 803-296-8906

7.6 Disabilities and Other Support Groups

Amputee Support Group

1795 Dr. Frank Gaston Blvd. Rockhill, SC 29732

Tel: 803-326-3532

Date: 3rd Wednesday of every month

Time: 11:00 AM

"WOW" Babcock Center

2725 Banny Jones Ave West Columbia SC 29170

Tel: 803-799-1970

Babcock and Richland/Lexington Disabilities and Special Needs Board are working in a collaborative effort to provide caregiver relief supports to qualified families and individuals through the program.

"Brain Injury Support Group" HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital

2935 Colonial Drive Columbia, SC 29203

Thomas Norris Educational Conference Center (across from the cafeteria)

Meeting Time: 1st Thursday of each month, 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Contact Person: Janet Hinson; Email: jhinson789@aol.com

Phone: 803-788-5696

<u>Contact Person</u>: Robert Hinson Email: <u>rhinson18@aol.com</u>

Phone: 803-206-0945

"ASD Parent Support" SC Autism Society

806 12th Street West Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-750-6988

Date: 1st Thursday of every month

Time: 10:00 AM

Website: www.scautism.org

"Parkinson Support Group" Columbia Parkinson Support Group

For individuals and the families of those suffering with Parkinson's disease

Date: 3rd Sunday of every month

Time: 3:00 PM

Where: Lexington Medical Park 1 Auditorium Contact: Karen Basso at (803) 351-9571

SC Federation Center for the Blind

119 South Kilbourne Road Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-603-2098

Email: <u>tiffinymitchell72@gmail.com</u> Date: 2nd Thursday of the month

Time: 6:15 PM Dinner cost per person: \$6.00

7.6 Disabilities and Other Support Groups

"Midland Breeze Group" SC Spinal Cord Injury Association

2935 Colonial Drive Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-252-2198 Angela Jacildone Date: Last Tuesday of every month

Dinner served Time: 6:00 PM

"Stuttering Support Group" USC Speech & Hearing Clinic

Tel: 803-777-2605 Email: charley@sc.edu

"DTR" SC SHARE-ACOA Club

2015 College Street Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-446-7314 Sundays: 2:00 PM Mondays: 12:15PM

James R. Clark Memorial Sickle Cell Foundation

1420 Gregg Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-765-9916

Email: office@jamesrclarksicklecell.org website: www.jamesrclarksicklecell.org

ADULT AND PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

The Foundation encourages and facilitates Support group meetings for clients with sickle cell disease. The purpose of the support group is to provide an environment where clients, parents of children, and caregivers of persons with sickle cell disease can come together to share their concerns and identify and seek solutions to problems and issues they have that are related to this disease. If you are interested in attending a support group, please call your local office.

LITTLE WONDERS (CHILDREN) SUPPORT GROUP

God's Little Wonders Club provides a positive outlet for children with sickle cell disease. Our primary goal is to be responsive to the specific needs and desires of children five through twelve (5-12) years of age. The group also strives to provide opportunities for parent/child bonding, enrichment and exposure to cultural, educational and recreational activities. The sessions have proven to be very successful in meeting the needs of those who participate.

Central Midlands AAA/ADRC Senior & Disability Service Directory

7.7 Heart and Stroke Support Groups

Heart to Heart

Lexington Medical Park 1

Tel: 803-791-2621

Dates: 1st Thursday (February, March, April, October, November and December)

Mended Hearts Support Group

6 Richland Medical Park Dr. Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-240-9230

Date: 2nd Tuesday of every month

Time: 5:30 PM

Stroke Support Group

Health South Rehabilitation Hospital of Rockhill - Dining Room

Date: 2nd Wednesday of every month

Time: 11:00 AM

Contact: Michele Bozarth 803-326-3543

The Women Heart Support Group

Providence Health

2435 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-255-2904

Date: 2nd Tuesday of every month

Time: 6:00 PM

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8.1 Audiological

AccuQuest Hearing Center

1904 Sunset Blvd Suite A West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-353-4536

Website: www.accuquest.com

Beltone Hearing Aid Center

Columbia Newberry

1522 Gregg Street Columbia SC 29201 1321 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-779-2430 Tel: 803-276-2009

Lexington

117 West Church Street Batesburg SC 29006

Tel: 803-523-3797

Website: www.beltone.com

Carolina Ear Care

103 Professional Avenue West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-926-2220

Website: www.carolinaearcare.com

Columbia Audiology Group LLC

2711 Middleburg Drive Suite 112 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-765-1441

Website: www.columbiaaudiology.com

Dorn VA Medical Center, Columbia

6439 Garners Ferry Road Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-776-4000

Website: www.columbiasc.va.gov

ENT of Columbia / Centa Medical Group

Tel: 803-256-2483

Columbia Lexington

9 Richland Medical Park Suite 510 157 Corley Mill Road Columbia SC 29203 Lexington SC 29072

Website: www.centamedical.com

8.1 Audiological

Midlands Hearing Associates

Tel: 803-765-1919 **Columbia Office**

3 Richland Medical Park Suite 130

Columbia SC 29203

Irmo Office

1 Wellness Blvd Suite 108

Irmo, SC 29063

Website: www.midlandhearing.com

Miracle-Ear Center

2921 Augusta Road Suite B West Columbia, SC, 29170

Tel: 803-939-0003

Website: www.miracle-ear.com

Palmetto Hearing Center

7132-D Parklane Road 1001-B Fairlawn Drive Columbia, SC 29223 Camden, SC 29020 Tel: 803-788-6688 Tel: 803-432-7032

Toll Free: (877) 848-8839

Website: www.palmettohearing.com

Professional Hearing Aid Associates

2750 Laurel Street Suite 203 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-254-5502

Website: www.professionalhearingaidassociates.com

Relay South Carolina 7-1-1

Website: www.relaysouthcarolina.com

Relay South Carolina (RSC) is a free service for all South Carolina residents, connecting individuals who are deaf, deafblind, hard-of-hearing, or have a speech disability with users of standard telephones. Whether calling on a standard telephone or a text telephone (TTY, a special phone with a typewriter-style keyboard), relay makes communication simple, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

SC Equipment Distribution Program (SCEDP) - Amplify Life

1401 Main Street Suite 825 Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-737-0808 Toll Free: 877-225-8337 TTY: 803-737-0846 Toll Free: 877-889-8337

Email: AmplifyLife@regstaff.sc.gov website: www.scedp.sc.gov

8.1 Audiological

SC School for the Deaf and Blind - Columbia Out Reach Center

101 Executive Center Drive Saluda Building Suite 120 Columbia SC 29210

Website: www.scsdb.org

Speech and Hearing Research Center Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders University of South Carolina

Keenan Building, Suite 300 Columbia, SC 29208

Mailing Address: 1224 Sumter Street, Suite 300 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-777-2717

Website: www.sph.sc.edu/shc/

Young's Hearing Aid Service

1607 Bernardin Avenue Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-254-7666 or Toll Free: 1-800-949-1233

Email: vballcharlie@aol.com website: www.youngshearingservice.com

8.2 Community Clinics

Eau Claire Cooperative Health Centers Inc. (ECC Center Main Office)

1228 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-748-1181 www.ecchc.org

Fairfield County ECC Centers

Lake Monticello Family Practice

9017 State Hwy 215 S Jenkinsville SC 29065

Tel: 803-298-2068

Winnsboro Pediatrics and Family Practice

1136 Kincaid Bridge Road Suite A

Winnsboro SC 29180 Tel: 803-712-9724

Lexington County ECC Centers

Brookland Community Pediatrics

500 North 12th Street West Columbia SC 29169 1115 State Street Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-217-0415

Brookland Cayce Medical Practice

Tel: 803-939-0174

Pediatrics of Batesburg-Leesville

120 West Church Street Suite E

Batesburg SC 29006 Tel: 803-532-2208

Women's Health and Internal Medicine of

Batesburg-Leesville

338 East Columbia Avenue Suite B

Batesburg SC 29070 Tel: 803-532-1580

Newberry County ECC Centers

Pediatrics of Newberry

2525 Kinard Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 405-0220

8.2 Community Clinics

Richland County ECC Centers

Eastover Family Practice

120 Clarkson Street Eastover SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-8741

Five Points Pediatrics

1228 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-748-7002

Homeless Program: Transitions Center

2025 Main Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-708-4861

Innovations Health-Ridgewood

4801 Monticello Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-753-5858

Sterling Sharpe Pediatrics

4605 Monticello Road Bldg. A, Suite 1

Columbia SC 29203 Tel: 803-252-7001

Waverly Women's Health Center

1228 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-744-0540

Celia Saxon Health Center (Palmetto Health)

2133 Walker Solomon Way Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-296-3244

The Free Medical Clinic of Columbia

1875 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-765-1503

The Free Medical Clinic Newberry

2568 Kinard Street "PO Box 783" Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-6665

Eau Claire Internal Medicine

4605 Monticello Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-754-0151

Homeless Program: Cooperative Ministry

3821 West Beltline Blvd Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-708-4861

Hopkins Pediatrics and Family Practice

9023 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-978-1848

Laurel Medical Practice

1520 Laurel Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-8407

Waverly Family Practice

1228 Harden Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-748-1181

8.2 Community Clinics

Lake Monticello Family Practice Center

12 Meadow Lake Road Blair SC 29015

Tel: 803-945-7595

Med Mission South Carolina

1819 Middleton Street Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 803-530-8805

Palmetto Family Primary Health Care

1136 Kincade Bridge Road Suite A Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-1052

Pelion Family Practice

8063 Edmund Hwy Pelion SC 29123

Tel: 803-894-3736

Richland Primary Health Care Association

1520 Laurel Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-8407

8.3 Dental Services

Columbia Oral Health Clinic

3425 ½ North Main Street Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-779-4795

Email: info@columbiaoralhealth.org Website: www.columbiaoralhealthclinic.org

Donated Dental Services (DDS)

Dawn Peltier, DDS Coordinator

Tel: 803.726.4522

Email: dpeltier@DentalLifeline.org

Services

• DDS volunteers provide comprehensive treatment to eligible patients

• Volunteers do not provide emergency services

Eligibility

Applicants must lack adequate income to pay for dental care and:

- Have a permanent disability, or
- Are elderly: age 65 or older, or
- Qualify as medically fragile

Due to lengthy wait lists, applications are ONLY being accepted in the following counties: Aiken, Beaufort, Charleston, Cherokee, Colleton, Darlington, Dorchester, Florence, Georgetown, Greenville, Horry, Jasper, Laurens, Marlboro, Richland, Spartanburg, Williamsburg, and York

Dental Dreams for Adults and Children FAMILY DENTAL

2941 Two Notch Road Columbia SC 29204-1400

Tel: 803-251-2260

Eau Claire Family Dentistry

3800 North Main Street Suite C Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-705-3169

Website: www.ecchc.org

Eau Claire Family Dentistry (ECC Dentist Providers)

3800 North Main Street Suite C Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-705-3169

Website: www.ecchc.org

8.3 Dental Services

ECC Dentist Providers

Cooperative Dental at Pelion Family Practice

8063 Edmund Highway Pelion SC 29123 Tel: 803-894-3736 **Cooperative Dental at Ridgeway Family**

Practice

755 US Hwy 21 South Ridgeway SC 29130 Tel: 803-337-2920

Kool Smiles

5422 Forest Drive Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-753-1168

Website: www.mykoolsmiles.com

Lexington County Health Department – Red Bank Crossing

1070 S. Lake Drive Suite B Lexington SC 29073

Adult Clinic Tel: 803-785-6653

Adult Office Hours: Monday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM- Tuesday 12:30 PM - 4:00 PM-

Thursday 12:30-5:00 PM

Richland County Health Department

2000 Hampton Street Suite 3145 Columbia SC 29204

Adult Clinic Tel: 803-888-1690

Adult Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM - Friday 8:30 AM -12:00 PM

Website: www.wellpartners.org

8.4 Health and Wellness Programs

DHEC, the Arthritis Foundation, and the Lt. Governor's Office on Aging are working together to provide leadership for the expansion of Life Improvement Programs. We rely on our many dedicated partners to offer classes and workshops in communities throughout South Carolina. www.scdhec.gov/health/diseaseaandconditions/arthritis/lifeimprovementprograms
Life Improvement Program Sites: Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program

Fairfield County:

Fairfield County Council on Aging Winnsboro Senior Center

210 East Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3015

Lexington County:

Agape Senior

5422 Augusta Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-520-5850

Lexington County Recreation and Aging Commission Pelion Senior Center

210 Pine Street Pelion SC 29123

Tel: 803-894-4351

Newberry County Newberry County Council on Aging Little Mountain Senior Center

16 Depot Street Little Mountain SC 29075

Tel: 803-816-4207

<u>Life Improvement Program Sites: Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program</u>

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Newberry County Family YMCA

8220 Jollystreet Road Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-9936

8.4 Health and Wellness Programs

Richland County

Capital Senior Center

1650 Park Circle Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-779-1971

Dents Alternative Adult Daycare

7351 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-708-8955

Lutheran Homes of SC - Rice Estate

100 Finley Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-691-7198

Richland County Recreation Commission Adult Activity Center – Parkland Road

7494 Oakland Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-462-9995

Bluff Road Park

148 Carswell Road Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-776-8698

Gadsden Community Center

1660 South Goodwin Way Gadsden SC 29052

Tel: 803-353-3677

Trenholm Park

3900 Covenant Road Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-787-0216

Senior Resources Inc. Bishopville Avenue Wellness

6429 Bishop Avenue Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-691-1489

Senior Resources Inc. Eastover Wellness Center

117 Henry Street Eastover SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-0532

Charles R. Drew Wellness Center

2101 Walker Solomon Way

Columbia SC 29204 Tel: 803-545-3200

Lutheran Homes of SC Heritage at Lowman

Boliek, Haltiwanger and Taylor Buildings 2101 Dutch Fork Road White Rock, SC 29177

Tel: 803-732-8800

Midlands Partnership Parish Nurse Network

St. John Neumann Catholic Church

100 Polo Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-788-0811

Ballentine Community Center

1009 Bickley Road Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-781-2031

Crossroad Community Center

2750 McCords Ferry Road Eastover SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-3266

Hopkins Adult Activity Center

6940 Lower Richland Blvd. Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-776-2778

Upper Richland Community Center

280 Campground Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-754-9778

Senior Resources Inc.

Blythewood Wellness Center

1424 Marthan Road Blythewood SC 29016

Tel: 803-786-2826

SC Department of Disabilities and Special Needs- CHESCO Services Midlands Division

110 Pontiac Business Drive Ste. C

Elgin SC 29045

For DSN Consumers

8.4 Health and Wellness Programs

Richland County

SC Department of Disabilities and Special

Needs- Babcock Center - South

Richland Work S=Activity Center 6 Mauney Court Columbia SC 29203 For DSN Consumers

Arthritis Foundation Walk With Ease YMCA of Columbia

1420 Sumter Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-7159

Arthritis Self-Management Program - S.C. DHEC

1751 Calhoun Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-898-0760

Offered at various locations in Downtown Columbia

Life Improvement Program Sites: Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program Better Choices, Better Health- Capital Senior Center - (In partnership with S.C. DHEC)

1650 Park Circle Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-898-0760 to sign up

Charles R. Drew Wellness Center- (In partnership with S.C. DHEC)

2101 Walker Solomon Way Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-898-0760 to sign up

Senior Programs - Columbia Parks & Recreation

1111 Parkside Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-545-3091

Website: www.columbiasc.net

We have a variety of programs and activities to meet the recreational and social needs of this

dynamic part of our community.

Lourie Center

1650 Park Circle Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-779-1971

Website: www.capitalseniorcenter.com

Look at all the Lourie Center has to offer! Membership to the Lourie Center entitles you to participation in our programs and classes. Membership at the Lourie Center is open to active adults fifty (50) years and older.

8.5 Medical Equipment / Personal Care Supplies

AeroCare

632 Sunset Blvd Hilltop Plaza West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-939-7008

Website: www.aerocareusa.com

AeroCare provides equipment and services for Home Oxygen, Nebulized Respiratory Medications and Sleep Therapy. Our patients are most often diagnosed with diseases that make breathing very difficult such as Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) or Obstructive Sleep Apnea (OSA).

Affordable Medical Equipment

1538 Sunset Blvd West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-832-4043

Website: www.affordablemedicalusa.com

We offer a verity of products and services to fit the specialized needs of our customers. From mobility products, physical therapy, kitchen aids, bed aids, lift chairs, stair lifts, wheel chairs & accessories. We also repair scooters, wheel chairs, and install tacking systems, pool lifts, vehicle lifts, and much more.

Aftercare Home Medical Equipment

316 South Congress Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-7729

All Medical Inc.

2011 Hampton Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-638-8627

Website: www.allmedicalinc.com

Our company offers effective, compassionate care to the elderly and individuals in need of immediate support. Our team is dedicated to improving lives and making sure, you get the personal attention you deserve.

American Homepatient

127 Corporate Lane Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-714-6544 Toll Free: 1-800-959-8673

Website: www.ahom.com

American HomePatient offers a wide selection of mobility and ambulation products.

8.5 Medical Equipment / Personal Care Supplies

Community Long Term Care Program -Area 5 - Columbia

7499 Parklane Road, Suite 164 Columbia, SC 29223

Tel: 803-741-0826 Toll Free 1-888-847-0908

Email: CLTCArea5@scdhhs.gov website: www.scdhhs.gov

Community Long Term Care (CLTC) offers programs to help individuals who want to live at home, need assistance with their care, and are financially eligible for Medicaid.

Hawthorne Pharmacy & Medical Equipment

2854 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-794-7990

Website: www.hawthornesc.com

For nearly 70 years, we have built our reputation on providing medications as well as the information needed to take them. From compounding to medical equipment and quarterly seminars, we are here with you every step of the way to ensure you receive the utmost in quality care and attention that you deserve.

Life HME Inc.

1060 Chris Drive Suite D West Columbia SC 29169 Tel: 803-796-7840 Toll Free: 1-888-882-3691

Website: www.lifehme.com

Specialized focus in 'clinical' areas of industry (Ventilators, Enteral). Proven record of

accomplishment of lowering readmission vs. national and local providers.

Medical Services of America

13795 C R Koon Hwy Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-957-0500

Website: www.msa-corp.com

Medical Services of America is a comprehensive home healthcare provider that offers home healthcare, hospice care, home medical equipment and supplies, diabetic supplies, respiratory services, mail order supplies, home infusion therapy, enteral nutrition therapy, senior/assisted living, full service pharmacy, physician practice management, billing and printing services.

Medical Comfort Systems

112 White Oak Lane Lexington SC 29073

Tel: 803-794-0601

Website: www.medicalcomfortsystems.net

Our team is proud to give you the best customer service, selection of quality health care products, and a knowledgeable, understanding staff. We believe that products and solutions should be tailored to fit your lifestyle, and that the right equipment should integrate into your daily life.

8.5 Medical Equipment / Personal Care Supplies

Palmetto Home Medical

1060 Chris Drive West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-796-7840

Website: www.palmettohomemedical.com

It is the intent of company management and staff to constantly strive to provide the highest quality home healthcare equipment, supplies, and services to all our patients. Patient rights, responsibilities, dignity, and confidentiality are always of the highest priority in the delivery and follow-up process.

Performance Medical Supply Inc.

4206 Augusta Road Lexington SC 29073

Tel: 803-791-5904

Website: www.performancemedicalsupply.com

We provide quality care and products in a comfortable and professional setting, and we offer educational information designed to help you come to a better understanding of your condition and its methods of treatment.

8.6 Speech Therapy

Easter Seals Society of South Carolina Inc.

3020 Farrow Road Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-256-0735

Website: www.easterseals.com

HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital - Columbia

2935 Colonial Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-254-7777

Website: www.healthsouthcolumbia.com

Lexington Medical Center Rehabilitation and Sports Medicine

123 East Medical Lane West Columbia, South Carolina, 29169

Tel: 803-791-2397

Life Care Center of Columbia

2514 Faraway Drive Columbia, South Carolina, 29223

Tel: 803-865-1999

Palmetto Health Baptist Hospital

Taylor at Marion Street Columbia, South Carolina, 29220

Tel: 803-296-2339

SC School for the Deaf and Blind

101 Executive Drive Suite 120 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-869-9710 or TTY: 803-896-9844

Website: www.scsdb.org

Specialized therapy. Specialized therapy such as speech therapy, physical therapy and occupational therapy, among other types, are often necessary to the child's development.

USC Speech & Hearing Research Center

1224 Sumter Street Suite 300 Columbia, South Carolina, 29201-4143

Tel: 803-777-2614

Univ. of South Carolina

215 Greene Street Ste. 214 Columbia, South Carolina, 29201

Tel: 864-313-3261

8.7 Vision Services

Eyecare of America

P.O.Box 429098 San Francisco CA 94142-9098

Tel: 1-877-887-6327

Website: www.eyecareamerica.org

The seniors program connects eligible seniors with local volunteer ophthalmologists who provide medical eye exams and up to one year of care, <u>often</u> at no out-of-pocket cost for any condition diagnosed during the initial exam. The glaucoma program provides a glaucoma eye exam at no cost to those who are eligible and uninsured.

Mission Cataract USA

Tel: 1-559-797-1629

Website: www.missioncataratusa.org

Mission Cataract USA offers free cataract surgery to people of all ages who have no means to

pay.

National Eye Care Project

Tel: 1-800-222-3937

New Eyes

Tel: 1-973-376-4903

Website: www.new-eyes.org

New Eyes purchases new prescription eyeglasses for low-income individuals in the U.S. through

a voucher program.

Eligibility: Meet the U.S. Poverty guidelines *Have had a recent eye exam.* New Eyes does not pay for eye exams. A New Eyes voucher typically covers only the cost of a basic pair of single or

lined bifocal eyeglasses.

Richland County Health Department - Adult Eye Care Clinic - Richland

2000 Hampton Street Suite 3145 Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-888-1692 By Appointment ONLY

SC Eye Care Initiative Partners - Richland Care

Tel: 803-296-2220

The South Carolina Eye Care Initiative is a partnership between United Way of the Midlands and the South Carolina Optometric Physicians Association. The program was established to provide quality vision care to low-income, uninsured working adults 18 years old and older in South Carolina. The program continues to grow, but currently, the initiative is serving residents in, Calhoun, Fairfield, and Lexington, Newberry, Orangeburg and Richland counties.

8.7 Vision Services

SC School for the Deaf and Blind

101 Executive Center Drive Saluda Building Suite 120 Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-896-9710 TTY: 803-896-9844

Website: www.scsdb.org

Through Vision Outreach, a variety of professionals goes into local school districts across the state to assist in meeting the needs of students who are blind or visually impaired.

St. Andrews Community Development Center Gift of Sight Program

7801 St. Andrews Road Irmo, SC 29063

Tel: 803-609-2967

Website: www.standrewscdc.org

We will pay for eyeglasses for residence of South Carolina that have no other resources available to pay for their eyeglasses.

Vision USA

Toll Free: 1-800-766-4466

If a patient has no other programs available to them, then VISION USA may be able to help. This non-profit organization provides exams, vision and eye care, and may even occasionally have glasses for individuals who do not have health insurance. This agency will also only help people who are not eligible for any state or federal government assistance programs.

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Fairfield County

Carolina Community Action Agency

Tel: 803-635-3606

Vocational counseling, Financial Assistance with job training

Employment Security Commission

Tel: 803-635-2292

Assistance with job search

Fairfield County Workforce Investment Act (WIA)

Tel: 803-635-2812

Prepares people for employment through training

Lexington County

Benefit Bank at the SC Office of Rural Health

Tel: 1-800-726-8774

Connects low-to-moderate income families to work supports, tax credits, public benefits, and student financial aid

Lexington Employment Security

Tel: 803-359-6131

Job and unemployment services

Work/Life Solutions

Tel: 803-359-6131

Career

Counseling, supportive services, and referrals for the unemployed

Newberry

County

SC Employment Security

Tel: 803-276-2110

Richland County

Alston Wilkes Society

Tel: 803-799-2490

Case management, needs assessment, counseling, employment training/placement, housing assistance and referrals to other community resources.

Cecil Tillis Family Life Center

803-254-3886 ext.220 Employment training

Columbia Urban League

Tel: 803-799-8150

Employment training and services

Family Service Center

Tel: 803-733-5450

Identifies local social service resources

Job Service - Midlands Workforce Center

Tel: 803-737-5627

Wateree Community Action Council

Tel: 803-786-4250

Employment search assistance, training, counseling, and general emergency assistance

Women's Shelter

Tel: 803-779-4706

Services for women in crisis with employment help, legal issues and educational goals.

Work/Life Solutions

Tel: 803-737-0210

Assist with job search, counseling, credit help, and transportation to work.

Work Support / FiSupport Services

Tel: 803-714-7387

Career One Stop

Tel: 1-877-872-5627 TTY: 1-877-889-5627

Email: info@careeronestop.org website: www.careeronestop.org

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 Your source for employment information and inspiration The place to manage your career* Your pathway to career success * Tools to help job seekers, students, businesses and career professionals* Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Labor

Department of Social Services – Family Independence Program

The primary focus of the program is to assist low-income families meet basic needs by providing cash assistance, supportive services and training and employment opportunities. The FI Program is designed to serve single parent and two-parent families, as well as households with disabled adults. In many instances, these families would be eligible for SNAP benefits and Medicaid.

Fairfield County - 1136 Kincaid Bridge Road "PO Box 210" Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-5502

Lexington County – 1070 S. Lake Drive Suite A "PO Box 84129" Lexington SC 29073

Tel: 803-785-7333

Newberry County - 2107 Wilson Road "PO Box 309" Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-321-2155

Richland County - 3220 Two Notch Road Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-714-7300

Eastover Branch: 120 Clarkson Street Eastover SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-32995

Experience Works

1400 Laurel Street Suite 4 Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-252-1240

Experience Works offers employment-training services through the Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) to low-income older workers in 31 counties in South Carolina. Experience Works partners with local 501 (c) (3) not-for-profit agencies in each of the counties we serve as training sites for participants. Experience Works also actively collaborate with local and public employers to create permanent employment opportunities for older workers who want to re-enter the workforce.

Goodwill – Family Services and Support

Job Training Sites

Website: www.goodwill.org

Whiteknoll – 118 Knoll Station Drive Lexington SC 29073

Tel: 803-808-0390

Garners Ferry – 6642 Garners Ferry Road Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-783-2696

Camden – 1671 Springdale Drive Columbia SC 29020

Tel: 803-432-1150

Greenwood – 1306 Montague Avenue Ext Greenwood SC 29649

Tel: 864-330-1298

South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce

The South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce (DEW) is responsible for paying unemployment insurance benefits, collecting unemployment taxes, helping people find jobs, matching businesses with qualified candidates, and collecting and disseminating state/federal employment statistics.

Our main goal is to match jobseekers with employers quickly, efficiently, and effectively, and we offer a variety of services to assist both groups.

Website: www.midlandsworks.org

SC Works - Columbia 700 Taylor Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-737-5627 (JOBS)

SC Works – Lexington 671 Main Street West Columbia SC 29170

Tel: 803-359-6131

SC Works – Winnsboro 414 A South Congress Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-2292

South Carolina Vocational Rehabilitation Department

To prepare and assist eligible South Carolinians with disabilities to achieve and maintain competitive employment

Fairfield County - Camden Vocational Rehabilitation

15 Battleship Road Ext Camden SC 29020

Tel: 803-432-1068 - Toll Free: 866-206-5280

Lexington County - Vocational Rehabilitation

1330 Boston Avenue West Columbia SC 29170

Tel: 803-896-6333 - Toll Free 1-866-206-5280

9.1 Employment Counseling

Newberry County - Vocational Rehabilitation

2601 Evans Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8438

Richland County – 516 Percival Road Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-782-4239 Toll Free: 1-866-206-5280

Richland County – 1430 Confederate Avenue Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-898-8866

Satellite Office and Work Training Center – Richland County

201 Corporate Park Blvd Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-691-8284

9.2 Consumer Agencies

Better Business Bureau of Central South Carolina & Charleston

2442 Devine Street Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-254-2525 Toll Free: 1-800-892-3584

Email: info@columbia.bbb.org website: www.bbb.org

BB's mission is to be the leader in advancing marketplace trust. We do this by:

- Setting standards for marketplace trust
- Encouraging and supporting best practices by engaging with and educating consumers and businesses
- Celebrating marketplace role models
- Calling out and addressing substandard marketplace behavior
- Creating a community of trustworthy businesses and charities

Carolina Center for Medical Excellence

1320 Main Street Suite 300Columbia SC 29201 Tel: 803-212-7500 Toll Free: 1-800-922-3089

TTY: 1-800-735-8583

Website: www.thecarolinascenter.org

As a recognized leader in improving health care quality, we provide innovative services and solutions to create healthier communities.

Columbia Opportunity Resource

PO Box 1868 Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-851-5906

Email: info@ourcor.org website: www.ourcor.org

We are always offering new ways for you to volunteer your time, talent and treasure, so check back often to find a cause you care about.

Comunicar

3400 Colonial Drive Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-400-1178

Email: info@comunicar.us website: www.comunicar.us

A Comunicar Spanish language service, a leader in South Carolina, specializes in Spanish Language translation and interpreting. Specializing in Health Care and Judicial interpreting, our certified interpreters can be found in hospitals and courts statewide. We offer broad, multistate coverage.

Palmetto Poison Center

EMERGENCY #: 1-800-222-1222

Tel: 803-777-7909

Email: palmettopc@cop.sc.edu website: www.poison.sc.edu

The Palmetto Poison Center offers programs all year long at different community events.

9.2 Consumer Agencies

South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs

2221 Devine Street Suite 200 Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-734-4200

Website: www.consumer.sc.gov

Our mission is to protect consumers from inequities in the marketplace through advocacy,

mediation, enforcement and education.

SC Secretary of State's Office- Consumer Education and Protection

1205 Pendleton Street, Suite 525 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 803-734-2512

Website: www.sos.sc.gov

The South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs and the Federal Trade Commissions both provide valuable resources that can help consumers avoid fraudulent transactions and scams.

Do Not Call Registry

To register your phone number with the Federal Trade Commission's Do Not Call Registry, visit the following

Website: www.ftc.gov/donotcall

South Carolina Department of Revenue

300A Outlet Pointe Blvd. Columbia SC 29210 Tel: 803-898-5000 Toll Free: 1-844-898-8542

Website: www.dor.sc.gov

The Taxpayers' Bill of Rights gives you certain rights when dealing with the South Carolina Department of Revenue.

- You have the right to apply for assistance from the Taxpayer Rights' Advocate within the Department of Revenue.
- The advocate or his designee is responsible for facilitating resolution of taxpayer complaints and problems.
- You have the right to request and receive forms, instructions and other written materials in plain, easy-to-understand language.
- You have the right to prompt, courteous service from us in all your dealings with the Department of Revenue.
- You have the right to request and receive written information guides, which explain in simple and nontechnical language, appeal procedures and your remedies as a taxpayer.
- You have the right to receive notices, which contain descriptions of the basis for and identification of amounts of any tax, interest and penalties due.

Under the provisions of Section 12-4-340 of the 1976 code of laws, any outstanding liabilities due and owed to the South Carolina Department of Revenue for more than six months may be assigned to a private collection agency for collecting actions.

9.2 Consumer Agencies

South Carolina Emergency Management Division

2779 Fish Hatchery Road West Columbia SC 29172

Tel: 803-737-8500

Email: WebAlert@emd.sc.gov website: www.scemd.org

Fairfield County Emergency Management Department: Tel: 803-635-4444 **Lexington County Emergency Preparedness Division**: Tel: 803-785-8359

Newberry County Preparedness Agency: Tel: 803-321-2135 Richland County Emergencies Services: Tel: 803-576-3400

9.3 Library Services

Center for Disability Resources - Center for Disability Resources (for US mail only)

University of South Carolina School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics Columbia, SC 29208

8301 Farrow Road Columbia, SC 29208

Tel: 803-935-5231

Website: www.uscm.med.sc.edu

Our mission is to enhance the well-being and quality of life of persons with disabilities and their families. We collaborate with persons with disabilities and their families to develop new knowledge and best practices, train leaders, and effect systems change.

South Carolina State Library – Talking Book Services

1500 Senate Street "PO Box 821" Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-734-4611 Toll Free: 1-800-922-7818

TDD: 711-734-4611

Email: TBSbooks@statelibrary.sc.gov_website: www.statelibrary.sc.gov

Providing library services to the blind, visually impaired, and physically handicapped of South

Carolina

South Carolina Public Library – Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry and Richland Counties

Fairfield County- 300 Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-4971

Ridgeway Branch – 175 South Palmer Street Ridgeway SC 29130

Tel: 803-337-2068

Library bookmobiles serve Fairfield County residents living outside a 3-mile radius of Winnsboro or Ridgeway. Routes are ran bi-weekly and services are provided to nursing homes, day care centers, and the Fairfield County Detention Center.

Lexington County- Main Library -5440 Augusta Road Lexington SC 29072 Tel: 803-785-2600

Batesburg – Leesville Branch

203 Armory Street Batesburg SC 29006

Tel: 803-532-9223

Chapin Branch

129 N.W. Columbia Avenue Chapin SC 29036

Tel: 803-345-5479

Gilbert – Summit Branch

405 Broad Street Gilbert SC 29054

Tel: 803-785-5387

Cayce - West Columbia Branch

1500 Augusta Road West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-794-6791

Gaston Branch

214 South Main Street Gaston SC 29053

Tel: 803-791-3208

Irmo Branch

6251 St. Andrews Road Columbia SC 29212

Tel: 803-798-7880

9.3 Library Services

Lexington County Branches Continue

Pelion Branch

206 Pine Street Pelion SC 29123

Tel: 803-785-3272

South Congaree – Pine Ridge Branch

200 Sunset Drive West Columbia SC 29172

Tel: 803-785-3050

BOOKMOBILE

Storytime's on-board, homebound visits every other Monday, bi-weekly visits to area daycares, preschools, senior centers and neighborhoods.

Tel: Manager (803) 785-2649 Assistant (803) 785-2674

Newberry County Branches

Hal Kohn Memorial

1100 Friend Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-0854

Richland County Branches

Ballentine Branch

1321 Dutch Fork Road Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-781-5026

Cooper Branch

5317 North Trenholm Road

Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-787-3462

EdVenture Library

211 Gervais Street Columbia SC 29201

Main Branch

1431 Assembly Street Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-799-9084

Swansea Branch

199 N. Lawrence Avenue Swansea SC 29160

Tel: 803-785-3519

Whitmire War Memorial Library

303 Church Street Whitmire SC 29178

Tel: 803-694-3961

Blythewood Branch

218 McNulty road Blythewood SC 29016

Tel: 803-691-9806

Eastover Branch

608 Main Street Eastover SC 29044

Tel: 803-353-8584

Lower Richland High School

2615 Lower Richland Blvd Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-695-3035

North Main Branch

5306 North Main Street Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-754-7734

9.3 Library Services

Richland County Branches Northeast branch

7490 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-736-6575

Southeast Branch

7421 Garners Ferry Road Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-776-0855

Wheatley Branch

931 Woodrow Street Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-799-5873

Sandhills Branch

1 Summit Parkway Columbia SC 29229

Tel: 803-699-9230

St. Andrews Branch

2916 Broad River Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-772-6675

9.4 Movers

All following business are accredited through the BBB (Better Business Bureau)

Angel Transition Services

Tel: 803-599-6631

Email: info@angeltransitionservices.com website: www.angeltransitionservices.com

Blue Chip Moving Company LLC

3000 Pine Shadow Trial Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-201-9551

Website: www.bluechipsc.com

Coleman American Moving Services

2822 Commerce Drive Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-771-6400

Gentlemen Movers

1835 Inglewood Drive Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-319-3646

Website: www.gentlemenmovers.com

Lange Moving Systems Inc.

1501 Key Road Suite E Columbia SC 29201

Tel: 803-256-7966

Website: www.langemovingsystems.com

Minute Man Movers

10621 broad River Road Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-781-2575

Website: www.minutemanmoversonline.com

Senior Services, Inc. / AAA Movers

1501 Leesburg Road Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-665-7941

Two Men and A Truck

1901 Dixiana Road Cayce SC 29033

Tel: 666-8588

Website: www.twomenandatruck.com

City of Columbia Recreation Centers

Ben Arnold

1100 S. Holly Street Tel: 803-545-3100

Ben Arnold community center has a gymnasium and meeting facilities. The play area features new equipment. The center offers a variety of programs, from jumping rope to basketball to ceramics. The park is next to Memorial Stadium and backs up to the Owens Field Park Complex. Rosewood Park is across the street.

Hyatt Park

950 Jackson Avenue Tel: 803-733-8445

Hyatt Park is across the street from the Eau Claire Town hall. Hyatt Park has grassy areas, picnic tables, a small stream, baseball diamonds, and a community center with a gymnasium. The community center offers access to computers with Internet access.

Greenview Park

6700 David Street Tel: 803 754-5223

Greenview Park is a multi-sport complex that offers recreational amenities inside and outside of the park. The park consists of multiple ball fields, 9-court tennis facility, outdoor swimming pool, walking trail, playground area and a picnic shelter. Indoor amenities consists of a game room, multiple meeting rooms that include a ceramics room, computer room, teen room, three meeting rooms, full size kitchen, fitness room and a gymnasium that seats 299 persons.

Lorick Park

1600 Lorick Avenue

Tel: 803- 691-9339

Lorick Park has a neighborhood center, basketball courts, a baseball diamond, picnic shelters and a water spray. The community center has a game room and offers access to computers with Internet access.

Martin Luther King Jr. Park

2300 Greene Street

Tel: 803-733-8452

The community center has a full size basketball court, exercise room, game room, meeting rooms, computer room, kitchen, ceramic room and a computer room with WIFI capabilities.

City of Columbia Recreation Centers

Pinehurst Park

2300 Pinehurst Road Tel: 803 733-8449

Pinehurst Park has a baseball diamond and a playground area. There is also a spray pool and a community center. Off-street parking is available as well as water fountains and restrooms in the community center. The community center offers a game room, gymnasium and use of computers with internet access.

Fairfield County Council on Aging

210 East Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3015

Woodland Park

6500 Olde Knight Parkway

Tel: 803-776-1096

Woodland Park has tennis courts, picnic tables, a baseball diamond and a playground as well as a community center. The playground has been renovated recently- the play equipment is in excellent condition. This is a very neat play structure with lots of different climbing activities. The area is not shaded but the surrounding grassy area has plenty of shade, including the swings, which are separate from the rest of the play structure. Water and restrooms are available in the community center as well as a gymnasium. The community center has computers with internet access.

Lexington County Recreation and Aging Commission - www.lcrac.com

125 Parker Street Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-356-5111

Gilbert Senior Center

409 Broad Street Gilbert SC 29054

Tel: 803-892-5745 Seniorcise - Tony Diaz

Time /Date: Every Wednesday at 9:50 am

Exercise increase flexibility, & muscle Develop a better and healthier body with low impact weights and dyna bands.

<u>Multipurpose Building</u>-opens from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm / five days a week from 7:30 am to 2 pm <u>Walking and exercise routine</u> - available per DVD four times a week Open for seniors, Age 60 and older, from 2:00 pm—6:00 pm.

Lexington County Recreation and Aging Commission

Website: www.lcrac.com

Lexington Senior Center

108 Park Road Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-7979

<u>Birthday Parties</u>- See Monthly activity calendar for date and time. We love to honor all celebrating a birthday for a particular month.

<u>Games</u> -Dates and times listed on the monthly calendar for Bingo, Dominoes, Trivia, Skip Bo, and cards.

<u>Shopping</u>-Monthly calendar for dates and times. A chance to buy groceries, pick up drug prescriptions and do personal shopping for clothes, paying bills and more.

<u>Lunch</u>- Daily, Noon. Those 60 years and older can take part in our noontime congregate meal. Eligibility: Must make a reservation no later than noon one day in advance.

Tri-City Leisure Center

485 Brooks Avenue West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-939-9311

<u>Seniorcise Instructors:</u> Mary Anne Allread & Tony Diaz Time/Date: Mon.11:00 a.m., Wed.11:00 am & Fri.-11:00 am

Cost: Donations

<u>Eligibility:</u> Request participants must be at least 60 years old and a Lexington County Resident. Details of program: Every-one works at his or her own fitness level. Participants must have current health history and doctor's release on file.

<u>Senior Strength Training Program / Well-ness Center (Call for appointment)</u>

Cost - Annual membership starting at \$120.00

<u>Details of program:</u> This program enhances muscular strength using weight machines and light free weights.

<u>Walking Indoor track</u>-- Check out our walking program conducted by the Senior Strength Trainers.

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Richland County Recreation Commission

Website: www.richlandcountyrecreation.com
7473 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-741-7272 (RCRC)

Ballentine Community Center

1009 Bickley Road, Irmo, SC 29063

Tel: 803-781-2031

The Center's amenities include a recreation building with meeting rooms, kitchen, crafts room, fitness room, basketball courts, soccer fields, playground, and a walking trail.

Bluff Road Park

148 Carswell Drive Columbia SC 29209

Tel: 803-776-8698

We have classes going on NOW so be sure to check them out soon! Zumba, dance, youth sports and our fitness room are affordable and are for all ages!

Blythewood Park

126 Boney Road, Blythewood, SC 29016

Tel: 803-691-9786

Adults benefit from services that improve health and wellness, reduce stress and conducted in a relaxing, wholesome family environment.

Crossroads Community Center

2750 McCords Ferry Road, Eastover, SC 29044

Tel: 803- 353-3266

The Community Center will be available to hold meetings, receptions, fun community events, rentals and will have some programming available to the public.

Eastover Park

1031 Main Street, Eastover, SC 29044

Tel: 803- 353-7137

Eastover Park offers programs, services that nurtures, and enriches the quality of life for persons of all ages and abilities. Adults who participate benefit from social and economic connections that unite the community.

Richland County Recreation Commission

Email: www.richlandcountyrecreation.com

Forest Lake Community Center

6820 Wedgefield Road Columbia SC 29206

Tel: 803-787-5000

Forest Lake Park offers programs and services that enrich the quality of life for persons of all ages and abilities. Participants benefit from social recreation and outreach activities that connect multicultural groups and give a chance for social bonding with neighbors.

Friarsgate Park

1712 Chadford Road Irmo SC 29063

Tel: 803-732-3220

Friarsgate Park offers programs and services that enrich the quality of life for persons of all ages and abilities. Participants benefit from recreation leisure activities designed to improve the health and wellness of the whole family.

Hopkins Adult Activity Center

150 Hopkins Park Road Hopkins SC 29061

Tel: 803-776-2778

Open to adults only, ages 21+, the new Hopkins Park Adult Activity Center, offers an affordable environment for socializing, fitness, wellness education, and fun leisure experiences.

Killian Park

1424 Marthan Road Blythewood SC 29016

Tel: 803-754-7980

Killian Park offers programs and services that enrich the quality of life for persons of all ages and abilities. Participants benefit from the provision of equal access to diverse program opportunities. We celebrate cultural awareness and connect groups from all strata of our community.

Richland County Recreation Commission

Email: <u>www.richlandcountyrecreation.com</u>

Pine Grove Community Park

937 Piney Woods Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-213-1296

This multipurpose facility is ideal for all types of community activities; arts & crafts, dancing and

much more.

Senior Resources, Inc.

2817 Millwood Avenue Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-252-7734

Email: www.seniorresourcesinc.org

Shepard's Center - Columbia

3401 Trenholm Road Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-779-4449

Email: www.shepherdcentercolumbia.org

Shepard's Center of Eau Claire

3404 West Beltline Columbia SC 29203

Tel: 803-254-4170

Email: www.shepardscenters.org

Shepherd's Center of Lexington

309 E. Main Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803-359-6838 ext. 110

Email: www.sclex.org

Shepherd's Center of St. Andrews

2600 Ashland Road Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803 731-9394

Website: www.shepherdscenterofstandrews.org

9.6 Tax Preparation Assistance

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program offers free tax help to people who generally make \$54,000 or less, persons with disabilities and limited English speaking taxpayers who need assistance in preparing their own tax returns. IRS-certified volunteers provide free basic income tax return preparation with electronic filing to qualified individuals.

In addition to VITA, the Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) program offers free tax help for all taxpayers, particularly those who are 60 years of age and older, specializing in questions about pensions and retirement-related issues unique to seniors. The IRS-certified volunteers who provide tax counseling are often retired individuals associated with non-profit organizations that receive grants from the IRS.

Department of Revenue Headquarters State Museum Building

301 Gervais Street Columbia SC 29210

Tel: 803-898-5000

Website: www.sctax.org

AARP Foundation Tax Aide

1-888-227-7669

Free tax help: February through April 15

Website: www.aarp.org

W141 S. Shandon Street Suite E "PO Box 7631" Columbia SC 29205

Tel: 803-779-3169 Toll Free: 1-855-722-2017

803-467-3457

Email: Carolyn@cfittstaxsolutions.com website: www.cfittstaxsolutions.com

James E. Clyburn Technology Center

7492 Parklane Road Columbia SC 29223

Tel: 803-462-0064

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)

1-800-906-9887

Free Tax Return Preparation

9.7 Volunteer Opportunities

America Red Cross – Central South Carolina Chapter

2751 Bull Street "PO Box 91 Columbia SC 29202

Tel: 803-540-1200 Toll Free: 1-800 RED CROSS (733-2767)

Website: www.columbiaregionredcross.org

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Columbia

4300 N. Main Street Columbia SC 29204

Tel: 803-691-5700

Email: inquiry@bbbsgc.org website: www.bbbsgc.org

Cass Elias McCarter Guardian Ad Litem Program

Richland County - State Office

1205 Pendleton Street, Suite 447 Columbia, SC 29201

Tel: 1-800-277-0113
Website: www.scgal.org
Fairfield County Office

Estelle Stevenson, Coordinator 124 Wylie Street Chester, SC 29706

Tel: 803-581-0226

Email: estelle.stevenson@admin.sc.gov

Lexington County Office

405 E. Main Street Lexington, SC 29072

Tel: 803-957-6484

Email: <u>lisa.crawford@admin.sc.gov</u>

Newberry County Office

Jane Doolittle, Coordinator 2107 Wilson Road, Room 144 Newberry, SC 29108

Tel:803-321-2155 ext. 145

Email: jane.doolittle@admin.sc.gov

Fairfield County Council on Aging

210 E Washington Street Winnsboro SC 29180

Tel: 803-635-3015

Email: fccoainfo@truvista.net

Lexington County Recreation & Aging Commission

125 Parker Street Lexington SC 29072

Tel: 803-356-5111

Email: lchristison@lcrac.com website: www.lcrac.com

Meals on Wheels, Senior Center Projects, RSVP Projects, Fundraising, Special Events

9.7 Volunteer Opportunities

Lexington Medical Center Volunteer Program

2720 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-791-2573

Website: www.lexmed.com

Newberry County Council on Aging

1300 Hunt Street Newberry SC 29108

Tel: 803-276-8266

Email: info@nccoa.org website: www.nccoa.org

Home Delivered Meals, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), Telephone Reassurance,

Legal Services

Palmetto Animal Assisted Life Services (PAALS)

PO Box 25679 Columbia SC 29169

Tel: 803-788-7063

Email: info@paals.org website:www.paals.org

Palmetto Health Hospital - Volunteer Programs

Website: www.palmettohealth.org
Palmetto Health Baptist: 803-296-5520

Palmetto Health Baptist Parkridge: 803-907-1501

Palmetto Health Richland: 803-434-6242

Auxiliary Volunteers, Personal Touch, HELP, Summer Junior Volunteer Program, Hospice

Ronald McDonald House

2955 Colonial Drive, Columbia, SC 29203

Tel: 803-254-3181

Ronald McDonald Family Room

7 Richland Medical Park Drive, Columbia SC

Tel: 803-434-4193

Website: www.rmhcofcolumbia.org

Ronald McDonald House volunteers are crucial to ensuring that families experience the highest level of care and comfort during their stay. Duties may include organizing the pantry, repairing/cleaning rooms for incoming guest families, completing household tasks, restocking the soda machine, baking cookies, replenishing supplies or other tasks that are crucial to the daily operations of the House. This is perfect for groups seeking a service opportunity or for anyone who wants to let their outgoing personality shine! Those who have a positive outlook, friendly disposition and ability to easily adapt to a changing environment thrive in this position!

9.7 Volunteer Opportunities

Senior Resources Inc.: Volunteer Programs

2817 Milwood Avenue Columbia SC 29205 Tel: 803-252-7734 Toll Free: 1-866-818-6499

Email: info@seniorresourcesinc.org Website: www.seniorresourcesinc.org

Meals on Wheels – Pet Pals – Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) – Fundraising and

special events.

Sexual Trauma Services of the Midlands

Headquarters: 3830 Forest Drive, Suite 201 Columbia, SC 29204

Tel: (803) 790-8208

Website: stsm@stsm.org

Sumter Office: 533C Oxford Street, Sumter, SC 29150

Newberry Office: 1530 Main Street, Suite 201, Newberry, SC 29108

24-Hour Hotline: (803) 771-RAPE (7273) (Richland/Lexington)

1-800-491-RAPE (7273) (Newberry/Sumter)

Sexual Trauma Services of the Midlands has several volunteer opportunities, making it easy for any interested volunteers to find something that will be a good fit for them. Questions about which volunteer position is best for you?

9.9 Grocery Services

Kroger Online Shopping

Website: www.kroger.com

Select your items, reserve pick-up time, Pick up at the store and pay all without leaving your vehicle. ONLY accept Credit or debit for payment.

Publix

Website: www.app.shipt.com

Areas Serving - Cayce, Dentsville, Forest Acres, Irmo, Lexington, Seven Oaks, St. Andrews, West Columbia.

\$14 Monthly / \$99 Yearly Membership Free Delivery on Orders over \$35.00

Sam's Club Pick-Up

Website: www.samsclub.com

Membership required

Sam's saving membership - \$45

Sam's business membership-\$45

Sam's plus membership - \$100

- 1) Shop online for items marked "Pick-up in Club"
- 2) Chose Pick up time
- 3) Check in at the Club Pick up Kiosk inside
- 4) Or pick up at our selected curbside or drive through locations

Walmart - Grocery Pick-up

Website: www.walmart.com/grocery

Instructions:

- 1- Shop for your grocery items add to basket
- 2- Reserve time to pick up
- 3- Pay online
- 4- Walmart Associate will bring your groceries to your vehicle and load them for you.

Quick / Easy / Free