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### When Making an Emergency Call

- Remain calm.
- Be clear about the kind of assistance you need: fire, police, or medical.
- Give the specific location where help is needed. If possible,

- provide the nearest intersection or cross street.
- Stay on the phone and answer all of the operator's questions.

# Telecommunications Devices for the Deaf (TDD)

- · Use Baudot Mode Only.
- Dial 911.
- Press the spacebar until someone answers.

To Report a Wildfire (800) 314-2560 (Toll-free)

### En Caso De Emergencia Llame Al 911

Una emergencia se define como una situación que atenta contra la vida o la propiedad privada y requiere de atención inmediata. Use el servicio del 911 solamente para este tipo de emergencias.

Un despachador del 911 dirigirá su llamada a los bomberos, la policía y los servicios médicos necesarios.

# Cuando esté haciendo una llamada de emergencia

- Mantenga la calma.
- Sea claro en la ayuda que necesita: bomberos, policía, atención médica.

- Especifique el lugar donde se necesita la ayuda. Si es posible, provea el nombre de la intersección o de la calle más cercana.
- Manténgase en el teléfono y conteste todas las preguntas del operador.

### Dispositivos de telecomunicaciones para sordos (TDD, son sus siglas en ingles)

- Use el modo "Baudot" solamente.
- Marque el 911.
- Presione la tecla de espacio hasta que alguien responda.

Para reporta un incendio forestal (800) 314-2560 (Número gratuito)



Welcome to the 2020–2022 edition of *Directions*, the most comprehensive directory of older adult services in Central Oregon.

Earlier this year, as we at the Council on Aging began production of this edition of *Directions 2020–2022:*The Resource Guide for Older Adults in Central Oregon, there was no pandemic—and no notion of the dire impact it would have on elderly populations, our core client group. Today, the Covid-19 virus has been agency- and life-altering. We've had to retool almost every aspect of our operation, which has traditionally involved a lot of in-person contact with seniors, people with disabilities, and their caregiving loved ones.

We've also had to bolster how we support older adults with information that enables good decision-making when addressing aging-based challenges. *Directions* is a huge part of that support. And this year, even more so, because we've expanded the number of regional listings, local resources, and supplemental content.

With this edition, we've also expanded our partnership with Oregon's Aging and Disability Resource

Connection (ADRC), which is a free, one-stop statewide initiative and great complement to the services we provide to Central Oregonians. Based out of Portland, the ADRC team shares our commitment to keeping Oregon's older and disabled residents as healthy, safe, and socially connected as possble—even in a Covid-19 informed world. They also helped underwrite printing costs. For that, we are grateful.

At the Council on Aging, our vision is a world that grows older better, together. With physical distancing a new norm for now, that's been a challenge; however, the comprehensive nature of *Directions 2020–2022* lets us stay connected—in print and online—with our aging community and deliver information and resources that help us realize that vision. We hope you think so, too.

Susan M. Rotella
Executive Director

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# Aging Together

All of us are aging. Sometimes well, sometimes with challenge. It's a fact of life itself.



Whether with grace or struggle, we believe everyone deserves dignity and support in later life.



For forty-five years, the Council on Aging has provided support and guidance to seniors and their unpaid caregivers—their children, close friends, and neighbors—as they navigate the aging process. We've helped:

- A just-turned-65 woman from Prineville who is daunted by Medicare enrollment
- A WWII veteran, 96, in Redmond who struggles with a disability and a fixed income
- A La Pine lady, 73; she's just had a hip replacement and needs some meals while she heals
- An adult son of an 87-year-old woman in Madras who received a scary diagnosis
- A caregiver, 79, who needs respite and empathy as she watches her husband, 84, diminish daily
- A young family in Sisters who knows their elderly neighbor needs help—and hearing aids
- A widower, 77, who is lonesome in the loss of his wife and several of his friends in Terrebonne
- A new-to-Bend empty-nester who, at 62, wants to volunteer and better understand the local community

All these people benefit from the free services and programming offered by the Council on Aging: Meals on Wheels deliveries, respite grants, Medicare enrollment and yearly tune-ups, case management, in-home support, senior dining and social events, the chance to volunteer, and so much more.

As Central Oregon's hub for aging support and social connection, we help older adults live with independence, safety, meaning, well-being, and dignity. This lifeaffirming work cannot be done without the generosity of people like you.

Show your support for the Council on Aging and a world that grows older better, together.

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Bienvenidos a la edición 2020–2022 de *Direcciones*; la guia más completa de recursos comunitarios para personas en la tercera edad del centro de Oregón.

Al comienzo del año, cuando nosotros del Council on Aging empezamos a preparar esta edición de *Direcciones* 2020-2022: La Guia de Recursos Comunitarios Para Personas del Centro de Oregon, no había una pandemia—y no existía una noción del devastante impacto que llegara a imponer en la población anciana, nuestros clientes principales. Hoy, Covid-19 ha cambiado todas nuestros vidas. Hemos tenido que cambiar casi todo nuestro aspecto de operación que tradicionalmente ha involucrado contacto en persona con personas de mayor edad, las personas con discapacidades, y sus cuidadores.

También hemos tenido que reforzar como apoyar ancianos con información que les ayudará a tomar decisiones, relacionados con problemas de edad. Direcciones es un aspecto integral de ese apoyo. Yeste año, más que nunca, porque hemos expandido el número de listados regionales, recursos locales, y contenido suplementario. Con esta edición, también hemos expandido nuestra camaradería en conjunto a Conexión de Recursos de

Envejecimiento y Discapacidad (ADRC), una iniciativa gratis para todo el estado y un cumplido para los servicios que proveemos a Oregonians Centrales. Basados en Portland, el ADRC equipo comparte nuestro compromiso a mantener los ancianos y personas con discapacidades de Oregon saludables, seguros y socialmente conecdos—aún el Covid-19 mundo. También han ayudado a cortar gastos de impresión. Por eso, estamos agradecidos.

En el Council on Aging, nuestra visión es un mundo que crece mejor, juntos. Con distancia física nuestra nueva norma, ha sido difícil; sin embargo, la comprensión natural de *Direcciones* nos deja conectados—en empresa y en línea—con nuestra comunidad envejecida y entrega información y recursos que nos ayuda realizar esa visión. Esperamos que tú también lo pienses.

Susan M. Rotella Directora Ejecutiva

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PRINEVILLE - 430 NW 4TH STREET, PRINEVILLE, OR 97754 (541) 350.8910



# Directions

### 2020-2022

As we go to press, the COVID-19 virus has disrupted life everywhere. The resources listed within have been checked, but some may have changed operations due to social distancing and other recomendations. Please double-check resource hours and availability, or call the ADRC.

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# Over 60 or have a disability?

# We can help.



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Aging and Disability
Resource Connection
of OREGON

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ADRCofOregon.org



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www.adrcoforegon.org

The ADRC is a trusted source for unbiased information and assistance, as well as decision support for seniors and people with disabilities, their families, and caregivers. Professionally trained Information and Referral Specialists provide information and connect customers directly to the correct agency or service. ADRCs also provide options counseling to assist consumers in choosing their best care options. Together, consumers and options counselors weigh each option based on the consumer's circumstances, preferences, and resources. The consumer can make an informed decision about long-term services and supports.

El programa de Conexión de Recursos de Envejecimiento y Discapacidad (ADRC, por sus siglas en inglés) es una fuenta confiable que brinda información a los adultos mayores, a las personas con discapacidades y a los cuidadores de familia cuando necesitan tomar decisiones importantes. Los especialistas del ADRC conectan a las personas directamente con la agencia o el servicio que necesitan. ADRC también ofrece asesoramiento para determinar las opciones de cuidado a largo plazo seqún las necesidades y preferencias del cliente. Juntos, el cliente y el especialista, buscarán opciones de cuidado y podrán comparar cada opción basándose en las circunstancias, las preferencias y los recursos económicos del cliente. Asi el cliente, podrá tomar una decision informada acerca de las opciones disponibles.

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# Advocacy and Information

### **CONSUMER ACTION**

# Better Business Bureau (BBB) (208) 342-4649

www.bbb.org

The BBB promotes ethical business practices by issuing on-demand reports on businesses, investigating advertising claims, mediating and arbitrating consumer disputes, reporting on charitable and soliciting organizations, issuing alerts on scams, and educating consumers.

### Consumer Protection Division, Oregon Department of Justice (DOJ)

(877) 877-9392 (Toll-free Hotline) P.O. Box 14150 Salem OR 97309 www.doj.state.or.us/consumerprotection

The Consumer Protection Division ensures a safe and fair marketplace in Oregon. They help consumers with complaints, prevent fraud, enforce consumer protection laws, and invest in consumer education.

### FRAUD REPORTING

Medicaid Fraud Investigation Unit, DOJ (888) 372-8301 (Toll-free) P.O. Box 14150 Salem OR 97309 www.oregon.gov/dhs

Investigates fraud of Medicaid/Oregon Health Plan programs and provides benefits, food benefits (SNAP), cash assistance (TANF), Oregon Trail card, used for Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT), and childcare benefits.

# Medicare Contact Center Operations (800) 633-4227 (Toll-free Hotline) (877) 486-2048 (TTY) P.O. Box 14150 Salem OR 97309 www.medicare.gov

Con artists may try to get your Medicare number or personal information, so they can steal your identity and commit Medicare fraud. Call, write, or go online to report any signs of Medicare fraud.

# INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

The following agencies provide information, assistance, and referrals to older adults, adults with disabilities, their families and caregivers, and senior service providers.

Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC), a Council on Aging of Central Oregon Partner (855) 673-2372 (Toll-free) www.adrcoforegon.org

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Central Oregon 2-1-1 (855) 673-2372 www.211info.org

Information and Referral program links callers to vital community and social services. People living in Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties can dial 2-1-1 and be connected to a live Information and Referral specialist who will assist them to find the help they need.

Council on Aging of Central Oregon, an ADRC Partner (541) 678-5483 373 NE Greenwood Ave Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

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Health.Gov (240) 453-8282 www.health.gov

Connects health professionals and consumers to the organizations that can best answer their questions by providing up-to-date contact information for the most reliable resources.

National Do Not Call Registry (888) 382-1222 (Toll-free) (866) 290-4236 (TTY) www.donotcall.gov

Restricts the number of calls you receive from telemarketers. Any telephone subscriber can register to have their phone numbers included on the list, free of charge. Sales people are then prohibited from calling you to market products or services for five years from the date you register unless you have authorized them to do so.

NeighborImpact, Redmond (541) 548-2380 2303 SW First St. Redmond OR 97756 www.neighborimpact.org

Helps people by providing or linking to services such as energy assistance, emergency shelter, housing stabilization, homeownership counseling, weatherization, child care resources, and Head Start.

State of Oregon
Public Health Authority
(800) 422-6012 (Toll-free)
800 NE Oregon St.
Portland OR 97232
www.oregon.gov/oha/ph

Call to report a concern or complaint and to seek solutions for local health care facilities, providers, and suppliers.

### USA.Gov (844) 872-4681

www.usa.gov

A clearinghouse for information about federal programs and agencies.
USA.gov information specialists help locate information on federal agencies, programs, benefits, services, and more.

### LOCAL ADVOCACY

Abilitree (541) 388-8103 2680 NE Twin Knolls Dr., Ste. 150 Bend OR 97701 www.abilitree.org

Abilitree supports hundreds of individuals in Central Oregon, who experience a wide range of disabilities, including but not limited to stroke and cancer survivors, and individuals with intellectual, developmental, and physical disabilities. Services they offer include skills training, Social Security advocacy, supported employment with a number of community partners, peer support, support groups, and more.

Human Dignity Coalition (541) 385-3320 155 NW Irving Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.humandignityco.wordpress.com

The Human Dignity Coalition (HDC) works to advance and safeguard

human rights. They promote equality for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) and allied community in Central Oregon.

# Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, Deschutes County Health

(541) 322-7554 1340 NW Wall St. Bend OR 97703

www.deschutes.org/health/page/ intellectualdevelopmental-disabilities-program

Various intellectual/developmental disability services are available in Deschutes County. Eligibility for specific programs varies based on individual need and circumstance.

# Latino Community Association www.latinocommunityassociation.org

Educates and assists individuals and families to access educational, social, legal, health, and employment services. Also educates and assists businesses, organizations, and local governments with the Hispanic community.

Educa y asiste a familias e individuos que necesitan acceso a servicios sociales, legales, educativos, de empleo y de salud. Además, provee servicios educativos a negocios, organizaciones y oficinas gubernamentales sobre cómo interactuar con la comunidad hispana.

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- Bend Office
   (541) 382-4366
   2445 NE Division St., Ste. 200
   Bend OR 97703
- Madras Office (541) 325-6837 715 SW 4th St. Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   (541) 350-8910
   430 NW 4th St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office
   (541) 325-6837
   412 SW 8th St.
   Redmond OR 97756

Let's Talk Diversity Coalition (541) 475-4292 574 SW 4th St. Madras OR 97741 www.letstalkdiversity.net

Let's Talk Diversity Coalition (LTDC) is the Regional Health Equity Coalition funded by the Northwest Health Foundation and the Oregon Health Authority. The LTDC collaborative comprises community members and Central Oregon partner organizations. LTDC focuses on racial justice through the lens of equity, diversity, and inclusion. Community services provided include a comprehensive Cultural Awareness Training Series, English-Spanish translation services, community gatherings, and educational consultations.

Thrive Central Oregon (541) 728-1022 405 SW 6th St., Ste. A Redmond OR 97756 www.thrivecentraloregon.com

Offers assistance and support in accessing housing, physical and mental health services, employment, basic needs, and much more.

### SENIOR ORGANIZATIONS

### **AARP**

(503) 866-5360 9200 SE Sunnybrook Blvd., Ste. 410 Clackamas OR 97015 www.aarp.org

AARP is a nonprofit, nonpartisan membership organization dedicated to making life better for people 50 and over. AARP provides information and resources; engages in legislative, regulatory, and legal advocacy; assists members in serving their communities; and offers unique benefits, special products, and services to members.

Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483 373 NE Greenwood Ave Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

# Crooked River Ranch Senior Group at Heritage House (541) 504-8236

6710 SW Ranch House Rd. Crooked River Ranch OR 97760

Responsible for management of the Crooked River Ranch Senior Center, including rental of the facility for special events. Provides a range of activities including socials and fundraising events.

# La Pine Senior Citizens, Inc. (541) 536-6237

16450 Victory Way La Pine OR 97739 www.lapineseniorcenter.org

Responsible for management of the La Pine Senior Activity Center. Lunches served Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Call for information on events and activities.

### Redmond Council for Senior Citizens, Inc. (541) 548-6325 325 NW Dogwood Ave. Redmond OR 97756

Responsible for management of the Redmond Senior Center including facility rental, activities, and fundraising. Provides congregate dining and Meals on Wheels to eligible seniors 60 and older in the Redmond area.

# Senior Citizens of Jefferson County (541) 475-1148

860 SW Madison St. Madras OR 97741

The Madras Senior Center is available for rent.

### Sisters Senior Council, Sisters Community Church (541) 390-6075 1300 McKenzie Hwy. Sisters OR 97759

Plans activities for the Tuesday senior luncheon.

# Soroptimist International of Prineville

(541) 447-6844

180 NE Belknap St., P.O. Box 553 Prineville OR 97754

Manages and operates the Soroptimist Prineville Senior Center and the Neat Repeat Thrift Store. Provides a full range of services and activities for Prineville seniors, including meals (at the center and home delivery), recreation, and social activities.

### STATE OF OREGON

### Aging and People with Disabilities Programs, Oregon Department of Human Services

www.oregon.gov/dhs

Advocates for seniors, including information and referral to services, guardianships and conservatorships,

and helps with concerns about elder abuse and financial exploitation.

- Bend APD Office
   (541) 388-6240
   1300 NW Wall St., Ste. 102
   Bend OR 97703
- La Pine APD Office
   (541) 536-8919
   16493 Bluewood Pl., Ste. 1
   La Pine OR 97739
- Madras APD Office
   (541) 475-6773
   189 NE Cypress St, Ste. 106
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville APD Office
   (541) 447-4511
   457 NE Ochoco Plz., Ste. C
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond APD Office (541) 548-2206
   1135 Highland Ave.
   Redmond OR 97756

State of Oregon, Long-Term Care Ombudsman (800) 522-2602 (Toll-free) 711 (TTY) 3855 Wolverine St. NE, Ste. 6 Salem OR 97305-1251 www.oltco.org

The office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman (LTCO), an independent state agency, advocates for all longterm care facility residents, ensuring respect, dignity, personal values, and appropriate care and activities. Certified LTCO volunteers in each community respond to concerns of residents in nursing homes, residential care facilities, assisted living facilities, and adult foster care homes. They inform people of their rights, investigate complaints, and seek solutions. Please call with any questions about a long-term facility you are considering, a move-out notice, an involuntary move within a facility, or other issues not addressed by Adult Protective Services.

Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services (DCBS) (503) 378-4100 P.O. Box 14480 Salem OR 97309-0405

www.oregon.gov/dcbs

DCBS is the state's largest regulatory and consumer protection agency. Its protection, education, and advocacy programs help consumers, injured workers, and businesses. DCBS also oversees areas of workers' compensation, occupational safety and health, real estate appraisal, building codes, insurance companies, and financial institutions.

Oregon Public Utilities Commission (PUC) (800) 522-2404 (Toll-free)

(800) 648-3458 (TTY) P.O. Box 1088 Salem OR 97308-1088 www.puc.state.or.us

The PUC regulates public utilities and rates and helps with disputes of regulated utilities. Comments can be made via telephone, email, or letter.

For other services, see ad, pages 84-85.

### U.S. GOVERNMENT

U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO) (202) 512-3000 441 G St. NW Washington DC 20548 www.gao.gov/fraudnet

If you suspect fraud, waste, abuse, or mismanagement of federal funds, GAO FraudNet can help report your allegations to the right people. After reviewing your allegations and obtaining additional information as necessary, FraudNet will refer your allegations to federal, state, or local agencies or departments, as appropriate. FraudNet also supports congressional investigations and audit requests, provides audit and investigative leads to GAO staff, and offers support to government at all levels for establishing and operating hotlines.

# Consumer Product Safety Commission

(800) 638-2772 (Toll-free) (301) 595-7054 (TTY) 4330 East-West Hwy. Bethesda MD 20814 www.cpsc.gov

This agency works to reduce the risk of injuries and deaths from consumer products. Contact the hotline to report an unsafe consumer product or product-related injury.

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# Counseling and Mental Health

Mental health organizations provide professional counseling services to reduce physical and mental abuse in the community, including counseling for adults and ongoing men's and women's support groups. Often, services are subsidized based on ability to pay.

### **ADULT DAY TREATMENT**

Adult day treatment programs provide a therapeutic and safe environment for mentally impaired older adults to spend the day. In addition to providing treatment, these programs may also provide respite for the family and/or caregiver. Programs will screen applicants for both eligibility and appropriateness.

Deschutes County Behavioral Health (541) 322-7500 (Main Clinic) (800) 875-7364 (Toll-free) 2577 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.deschutes.org/health

Mental health consultation, evaluation, treatment, and case management for seniors in nursing homes, foster homes, hospitals, and care facilities. By referral from private medical practitioners.

# COUNSELING AND CRISIS SERVICES

When confronted with natural life changes, it's not unusual to feel sad or anxious. The loss of a spouse or friend can leave a person feeling isolated and lonely. Many older adults also experience health problems, declining mobility, and limited resources. These experiences can lead to depression and mood swings.

It's normal to grieve over a significant loss. But if grief is prolonged, serious physical and mental health problems can develop. It's important to consult with a doctor and/or licensed psychotherapist, as clinical depression can often be treated. Other factors, such as poor nutrition or adverse drug interactions, may also contribute to depression. Doctors may refer patients for specialized treatment, which is usually covered by insurance. Many

# >>> REPORTING ABUSE

If you are a victim of threats or abuse, or if you are aware of a situation in which another person is being victimized, report the incident to the local police department or your local Adult Protective Services' Aging and People with Disabilities office at:

(855) 503-7233 (24/7, Toll-free) (541) 693-2707 (Reporting)

www.oregon.gov/DHS/senior-disabilities/adult-abuse

health clinics and hospitals also provide counseling and will bill insurance.

Counseling and support services are available in Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties to help people in crisis or during life transitions. The agencies below provide outpatient psychotherapy, supportive individual/group counseling, and information and educational resources.

Mental Health Crisis Line (800) 875-7364 (Toll-free, TTY)

Crook: (541) 323-5330 Deschutes: (541) 322-7500

Jefferson: (541) 475-6575

www.oregon.gov/OHA

Suicide is among the leading causes of death in Oregon, and a major public health issue nationally. The Oregon Health Authority and partners across Oregon are working to prevent deaths from suicide.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800) 273-8255 (Toll-free) 2577 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org

24/7 lifeline for anyone in crisis. Your call will be routed to the crisis center nearest to you.

Project Lifesaver Crook County Sheriff's Office (541) 447-6398 308 NE 2nd St. Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/Crook-County/ County-Sheriff/Community-Services/ Project-Life-Saver

Project Lifesaver uses state-of-the-art technology to assist those who care for victims of Alzheimer's and other related mental dysfunction disorders (ARMD) and victims who become lost. The project places radio transmitters on identified persons with ARMD. These transmitters help caregivers and local emergency agencies locate those unable to help themselves.

Senior Loneliness Line (800) 282-7035 (Toll-free, 24/7) (503) 200-1633 www.seniorlonelinessline.org

Call-in support for any aging adult who is experiencing loneliness, isolation, depression, or anxiety.

See ad, page 22.

# St. Charles Behavioral Health www.stcharleshealthcare.org

Diagnoses and treats emotional and mental health issues and behavior problems ranging from mild to severe in a peaceful, safe setting. Services available in English and Spanish.

- Bend
   (541) 706-7730
   2542 NE Courtney Dr.
   Bend OR 97701
- Redmond
   (541) 516-3890
   916 SW 17th St., Ste. 202
   Redmond OR 97756
- Prineville
  (541) 516-3890
  384 SW Combs Flat Road
  Prineville OR 97754

Warm Springs Community Counseling (541) 553-3205 (541) 553-1171 (24/7 Crisis Line) 1115 Wasco St. Warm Springs OR 97761 www.warmsprings-nsn.gov

Provides assessment, evaluation, outpatient counseling, referrals to residential treatment, aftercare services, and intervention, available to all ages.

### **GAMBLING**

# Gamblers Anonymous (855) 222-5542 (Toll-free Hotline) www.gamblersanonymous.org

Gamblers Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength, and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from a gambling problem.

# Oregon Problem Gambling Resource

(877) 695-4648 (Toll-free Hotline) (844) 888-2537 (Español) (503) 713-6000 (Text)

www.opgr.org

Free services for people seeking help with problem gambling, this crisis line is available 24/7; services are also available in Spanish. Trained professional staff members provide screening and stabilization of the immediate crisis, listen, educate, and offer referrals to free confidential treatment services.

### MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES

Inpatient mental health treatment resources on the east side of the Cascades are limited. Call your county mental health department for referrals. See listings in Counseling and Mental Health, page 18.

### **Deschutes County Behavioral Health**

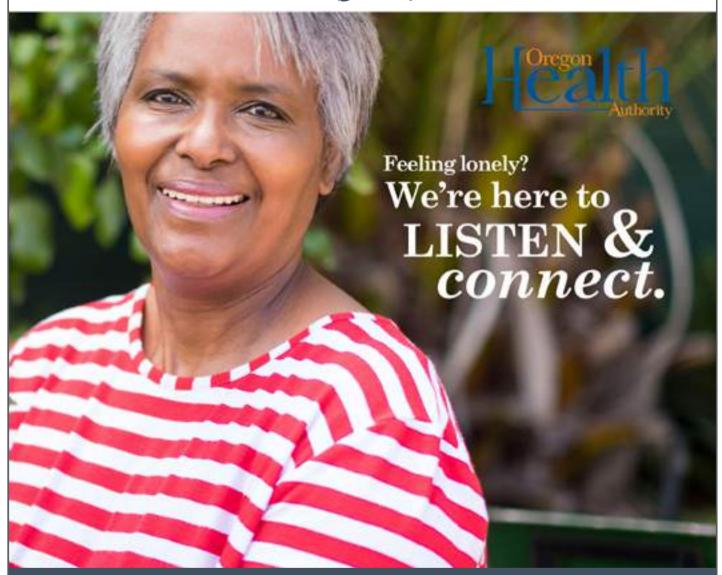
 Adult Intensive Services (541) 322-7500

Services for individuals 18 or older who suffer a serious and persistent mental illness and are receiving services from Deschutes County Health Services.

Crisis and Centralized Intake Services (541) 322-7500 (800) 875-7364 (24/7, Toll-free) 2577 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701

Telephone or face-to-face crisis interventions, assessments, information, and referral. Brief crisis stabilization through individual or group treatment. Any Deschutes County resident is eligible for crisis services, screenings, or assessments to determine their treatment needs.

# SeniorLonelinessLine A STATEWIDE SERVICE + Plineselife



### Connecting with people can keep you healthy.

Nearly 1 in 5 adults over the age of 50 is at risk of social isolation, which may lead to loneliness. Any aging adult who is experiencing loneliness, isolation, depression or anxiety can benefit from a confidential phone call with our Senior Loneliness specialists. Sometimes knowing there is someone who cares and wants to listen can be of great help.

If you or a loved one are experiencing loneliness or isolation, please call us at

800 282-7035 SeniorLonelinessLine.org

### SUBSTANCE ABUSE

### **Alcohol And Drug**

Chronic health problems, more common among the aged, often are worsened by alcohol use. Because older adults may be experiencing many health changes and taking a variety of medications, they need to be aware of the risks of combining medications with alcohol and other drugs. The physical process of aging intensifies alcohol's effects.

If you think you may have a problem with alcohol and/or misuse of any prescription drugs or over-the-counter medications, or any other chemical dependency problems, there are a number of treatment options that provide nonjudgmental, educational support.

Many inpatient and outpatient treatment programs accept Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance, or have a sliding-scale fee schedule. Contact your insurance company to determine what is covered. These services are offered through private and public agencies and clinic referrals.

# Al-Anon Family Groups (888) 425-2666 (Toll-free)

www.al-anon.org

Support for family and friends of people affected by alcohol.

# Alcoholics Anonymous (541) 548-0440 (Hotline)

www.aa.org

Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength, and hope with each other so that they may solve their common problem and help others recover from alcoholism. Requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking.

# Bend Treatment Center (541) 617-4544

155 NE Revere Ave., Ste. 150 Bend OR 97701 www.bendrecovery.com

# BestCare Treatment Services (541) 504-9577

P.O. Box 1710 Redmond OR 97756 www.bestcaretreatment.org

Offers residential and outpatient services for detox, gambling, mental health, pain management, and DUI.

- Bend Outpatient Treatment (541) 617-7365
   908 NE 4th St., Ste. 100
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Latino Residential Treatment (541) 475-5300
   236 SE D St. Madras OR 97741

### >>> CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUPS

Council on Aging Caregiver Support Group (541) 678-5483, ext. 116 Unitarian Universalist Church,

Family caregivers practice self-care, share resources, and discuss challenges of caregiving for a loved one.

First Presbyterian Church (541) 382-4401

Groups for men and women.

Prairie House Assisted Living (541) 508-4111

Discussion topics vary. Activity provided for your loved one while you attend.

Prineville Caregiver Support Group (541) 447-8970

Family caregiver support.

- Madras Community Mental Health (541) 475-6575
  850 SW 4th St., Ste. 302 Madras OR 97756
- Madras Outpatient Treatment (541) 475.4822
  850 SW 4th St., Ste. 201
  Madras OR 97751
- Prineville Community Mental Health (541) 323-5330 1103 NE Elm St. Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Brooks Respite and Recovery Center (541) 316-7520

1470 NW 4th St. Redmond OR 97756

- Redmond Outpatient Treatment (541) 504-2218
   340 NW 5th St., Ste. 202
   Redmond OR 97756
- Redmond Residential Treatment (541) 504-9577
   676 NE Maple Ave.
   Redmond OR 97756

Deschutes County Behavioral Health Adult Treatment Program (541) 322-7500 2577 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.deschutes.org By appointment only. Provides outpatient treatment and services for alcohol or other drug dependence.

# Lines for Life (800) 273-8255 (Toll-free Hotline) www.linesforlife.org

A regional non-profit dedicated to preventing substance abuse and suicide. Offers help and hope to individuals and communities, and promotes mental health and across a spectrum of needs including intervention, prevention, and advocacy. Offers education and advocacy to prevent issues of substance abuse, mental illness, and thoughts of suicide from reaching crisis levels. Available 24/7/365 to intervene with personalized help.

Serenity Lane (541) 383-0844 (800) 543-9905 (Toll-free) 601 NW Harmon Blvd. Bend OR 97703 www.serenitylane.org

Sunstone Recovery (855) 912-6870 (Toll-free) 625 NW Colorado Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.sunstonerecovery.com

### Tobacco

Tobacco-free initiatives provide education and promote community efforts that support tobacco-free

choices and healthy lifestyles. They connect individuals and groups to local tobacco cessation options and offer free information on how to quit, one-on-one counseling, and referrals for you or a loved one.

Oregon Tobacco Quit Line (800) 784-8669 (Toll-free) (877) 777-6534 (TTY) www.quitnow.net/oregon

# SUPPORT GROUPS AND PROGRAMS

Support and encouragement from a peer or a person facing similar problems can make a big difference in coping with situations. Many support groups serve friends as well as patients and family. Most have regular monthly meetings; some provide 24/7, on-call support.

ALS Support Group (541) 977-7502 www.alsa.org

Abilitree (541) 388-8103 x209 www.abilitree.org/support-groups

Alzheimer's Association (800) 272-3900 (24/7, Toll-free) www.alz.org/help-support

American Cancer Society (800) 227-2345 (Toll-free) www.cancer.org

### Amputee Coalition Support Group, Summit Orthopedics and Prosthetics

www.summitonp.com/support

- Bend Office
   (541) 389-5422
   The Center
   2200 NE Neff Rd., Ste. 307
   Bend OR 97701
- Redmond Office
   (541) 923-2552
   333 NW Larch Ave., Ste. 1
   Redmond OR 97756

# Cancer with Compassion (949) 279-1246

www.cancerwithcompassion.com

Cancer with Compassion supports cancer patients and survivors and their loved ones to ease the burden and to share compassion, comfort and hope. They accomplish this through effective listening, compassionate friendship and when desired, prayer.

### Central Oregon Overeaters Anonymous (541) 306-6844

www.centraloregonoa.org

Overeaters Anonymous is a fellowship of individuals who share experience, strength and hope, to recover from compulsive overeating and to carry this message of recovery to those who still suffer.

# Gamblers Anonymous (855) 222-5542 (Hotline)

www.gamblersanonymous.org

Gamblers Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength, and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from a gambling problem.

### East Cascades Women's Group Women's Health Clinic (6541) 389-3300

www.eastcascadewomensgroup.com

### Multiple Sclerosis Society Oregon Chapter (800) 344-4867 (Toll-free)

www.nationalmssociety.org/Chapters/ORC

# National Alliance on Mental Illness (541) 480-1960

P.O. Box 7462 Bend OR 97708

www.namicentraloregon.org

A free, nationwide peer-support helpline with information, resource referrals and support to people living with a mental health conditions, their family members and caregivers, mental health providers and the public. To find support in Central Oregon, contact a local group.

# Parkinson's Support Group (541) 668-6599

354 NE Greenwood Avenue, Ste. 108

# Bend Oregon 97701 www.parkinsonsresources.org

Serves residents of both Oregon and southern Washington from our offices in Beaverton, Eugene and Bend. Visionary volunteers and instrumental philanthropists have set direction and strategy to provide for the needs of thousands of individuals living with a diagnosis of Parkinson's disease.

Partners in Care (541) 382-5882 (24/7) www.partnersbend.org

Saving Grace (541) 389-7021 (24/7) www.saving-grace.org

Domestic violence and sexual assault (rape) support groups.

St. Charles Health Systems (541) 382-4321 www.stcharleshealthcare.org

 Bariatric Support Group (541) 382-4321
 www.stcharleshealthcare.org/ Services/Weight-Loss-Surgery

# Taking Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) (800) 932-8677 (Toll-free)

www.tops.org

Call or go online for group locations near you.

### Women's Resource Center of Central Oregon (541) 385-0750

www.greatnonprofits.org/org/womensresource-center-of-central-oregon

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# Education and Community Health

# ADULT EDUCATION AND LITERACY PROGRAMS

Older adults are able to find adult education classes for learning and enrichment in a variety of settings throughout the community. Teaching methods include remote online courses, many of them interactive, as well as inperson experiences. Undergraduate and graduate level classes and continuing education programs are available across Central Oregon offering a variety of classes of special interest to seniors, as well as re-entry programs designed for adults who have been out of school for an extended period.

# Central Oregon Community College (COCC)

(541) 383-7500 2600 NW College Way Bend OR 97703 www.cocc.edu



- Bend Office
   (541) 383-7700
   2600 NW College Way
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   (541) 550-4100
   1170 E Ashwood Rd.
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office (541) 447-9233
  510 SE Lynn Blvd.
  Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office (541) 504-2900

2030 SE College Loop Redmond OR 97756

 Warm Springs Education Center (541) 504-2950
 1110 Wasco St.
 Warm Springs OR 97761

Oregon State University, Cascades Campus Cascades Hall (541) 322-3100 1500 SW Chandler Ave. Bend OR 97702 www.osucascades.edu

### **AUDIO BOOKS**

Learning Ally (800) 221-4792 (Toll-free) 20 Roszel Rd. Princeton NJ 8540 www.learningally.org

A national non-profit dedicated to helping students with print disabilities, including blindness, visual impairment, and dyslexia.

Oregon Talking Book and Braille Library (800) 452-0292 (Toll-free) 250 Winter St. NE Salem OR 97301-3950 www.oregon.gov

A free library for any Oregonian with a print disability, which includes visual, physical, and reading impairments.

Although located in Salem, we loan Braille and audio books and magazines to eligible readers across the entire state.

### **COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

AARP Driver Safety Classes (800) 350-7025 (Toll-free) 1277 University of Oregon Eugene OR 97403-1277 www.aarpdriversafety.org

Drivers who take the AARP Smart Driver™ online course may be eligible for a multi-year discount on their auto insurance. Safer driving can save more than just money. The course teaches proven driving techniques to help keep drivers and their loved ones safe on the road.

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, University of Oregon (541) 728-0685 (Local) (800) 824-2714 (Toll-free) www.osher.uoregon.edu/central\_ oregon/index.php

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the University of Oregon (OLLI-UO) is part of a national network of over 120 programs designed to engage seasoned adults in the continued pursuit of knowledge. OLLI-UO is an intellectual and social community of engaged adult learners with two sites: Central Oregon and Eugene/Springfield.

See ad, page 28.

Road Scholar (800) 454-5768 (Toll-free) www.roadscholar.org

Road Scholar is a not-for-profit educational travel organization for adults, offering educational tours in the U.S. and more than 150 countries.

### **HEALTH EDUCATION**

American Red Cross, Oregon Mountain River Chapter (541) 382-2142 815 SW Bond St., Ste. 110 Bend OR 97702 www.redcross.org/or/bend

Offers standard first aid with automated external defibrillator (AED) training and community CPR classes for a fee. Offers free classes for new and current volunteers for disaster services.

### RESOURCE LIBRARIES

Central Oregon Community College (COCC) Barber Library (541) 383-7560 2600 NW College Way Bend OR 97703 www.cocc.edu/departments/library

Crook County Library (541) 447-7978 175 NW Meadow Lakes Dr. Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/library

# Deschutes Public Library District www.deschuteslibrary.org

- Bend Downtown (541) 617-7050 601 NW Wall St. Bend OR 97703
- Bend East
   (541) 330-3760
   62080 Dean Swift Rd.
   Bend OR 97702

- La Pine
   (541) 312-1090
   16425 1st St.
   La Pine OR 97739
- Redmond
   (541) 312-1050
   827 SW Deschutes Ave.
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters
   (541) 312-1070
   110 N. Cedar St., Box 1209
   Sisters OR 97759
- Sunriver
   (541) 312-1080
   56855 Venture Ln.
   Sunriver OR 97707

Family History Center (FHC) (541) 382-9947 (541) 633-0508 1260 NE Thompson Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.ldsfamilysearch.net

To assist with ancestry research, the Oregon LDS Family Search has developed Oregon family history centers as adjuncts to the Family History Library in Salt Lake City.

Jefferson County Library (541) 475-3351 241 SE 7th St. Madras OR 97741 www.jcld.org Servicios Latinos (541) 312-1056 601 NW Wall St. Bend OR 97703 www.deschuteslibrary.org/services/ servicios-latinos

# The Library Rendezvous Program (541) 617-7054 601 NW Wall St. Bend OR 97703 www.deschuteslibrary.org

The Library Rendezvous Program is available to retirement homes who wish to provide their residents with a recreational outing and the opportunity to use library materials at Deschutes Public Library locations.

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## Emergency Services

For emergencies, call 911. See page 2 for more details.

En casa de emergencias, llame al 911. Vé la página 2 para más detalles.

# NON-EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Use the following city, county, or state contact numbers in non-emergency situations:

### **By City**

Bend Police Department (541) 693-6911

Black Butte Ranch Police Department (541) 595-2191

Deschutes Crooked River Ranch Terrebone County Sheriff (541) 923-8270

Culver Police Department (541) 546-6494

La Pine Deschutes Sheriff's Office (541) 536-1758

Madras Police Department (541) 475-2424

Metolius Sheriff's Department (541) 475-2201

Redmond Police Department (541) 693-6911

Sisters Deschutes Sheriff's Office (541) 549-2302

Sunriver Police Department (541) 593-1014

Warm Spring Police Department (541) 553-3272

### By County & State

Crook County Sheriff's Office (541) 447-6398

Deschutes County 24-Hour Dispatch (541) 693-6911

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office (541) 475-6520

Oregon State Police Department (541) 388-6213

# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND RAPE

Saving Grace (541) 389-7021 (24/7 Helpline) www.saving-grace.org

Provides comprehensive family violence and sexual assault services for Central Oregon. Promotes the value of living life free from violence.

### **ELDER ABUSE**

Adult Protective Services, Central Abuse Management System (855) 503-7233 (24/7, Toll-free Reporting)

www.oregon.gov/DHS/seniordisabilities/adult-abuse

Elder abuse affects millions of Americans each year. Abuse of older people and adults with disabilities is a societal

problem that is getting worse with the aging of the population. Education about the risks, along with effective investigation of abuse, is essential to prevent abuse of vulnerable Oregonians.

### State of Oregon Long-Term Care Ombudsman

For a full listing, see Advocacy and Information, page 17.

# EMERGENCY AIR/GROUND TRANSPORTATION

### **Critical Air Transport**

AirLink Critical Care Transport (541) 233-6355 (Membership) (800) 621-5433 (24/7 Dispatch) 2500 NE Neff Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.airlinkcct.org

AirLink is the St. Charles Preferred Provider, which offers membership for AirLink critical transport service and covers most of Central Oregon.

Life Flight Network (800) 982-9299 (Membership) (800) 232-0911 (24/7 Dispatch) P.O. Box 3841 Portland OR 97208 www.lifeflight.org

Life Flight offers membership for Life Flight Network critical transport service and covers some of Central Oregon.

Note: AirLink Critical Care Transport and Life Flight Network do not have reciprocity agreements, so it is best to have a membership with both.

### **Critical Ground Transport**

# FireMed Program (541) 241-4772

www.firemed.us

FireMed is an ambulance membership program that covers plan participants and entire households for emergency medical treatment and transport services for one low annual fee. If a member requires medically necessary ambulance transport, the department will bill the member's insurance coverage and write off any remaining balance. To enroll in the FireMed program, contact Local Fire and EMS Departments or AirMedCare Networks.

### **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

### **National Emergency Management**

American Red Cross, Oregon Mountain River Chapter (541) 382-2142 815 SW Bond St., Ste. 110 Bend OR 97702 www.redcross.org/or/bend

Red Cross disaster relief focuses on meeting people's immediate disastercaused emergency needs. They provide shelter, food, and emotional health services to meet basic human needs and assist individuals and families in resuming their normal daily activities independently.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) (800) 621-3362 (Toll-free) (800) 462-7585 (TTY) 130 228th St. SW (Regional Office) Bothell WA 98021-8627 www.fema.gov

FEMA provides rental and unemployment payments, grant money for minor repairs and major disaster relief, small business loans, low-interest loans, loans for farmers, ranchers, and aquaculture operators, and other relief programs including crisis counseling, income tax assistance for filing casualty losses, veterans benefits, and social security matters.

### **Regional Emergency Management**

These resources provide planning assistance and information to the community to prepare for an area emergency.

Oregon Office of Emergency Management (503) 378-2911 P.O. Box 14370 Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/oem

### >>> ELDER ABUSE

There are different forms of abuse; many go recognized and unreported. Sometimes abuse is not reported because the abuser is a family member or caregiver who is responsible for caring for the person. Fatigue-related stress, money worries, ill health, or family problems can be contributing factors when caregivers become abusers. While some forms of physical abuse are readily detected, not all forms of abuse are apparent or easily detected.

Oregon law defines abuse as:

### **Abandonment**

The desertion or willful forsaking of an elder or the withdrawal or neglect of duties and obligations owed a dependent adult by a caretaker or other person.

### **Emotional Abuse**

The use of derogatory names, phrases, or profanity; ridicule; harassment, coercion, threats, or intimidation toward an individual; or denial of civil rights, which results in emotional injury.

### **Financial Exploitation**

The illegal, unauthorized,

or improper use of another individual's resources by someone in a trusting relationship.

### **Neglect**

The failure, whether intentional, careless, or due to inadequate experience, training, or skill, to provide basic care or services when agreed to by legal, contractual, or assumed responsibility.

### **Physical Abuse**

The use of excessive force, physical assault, or physical contact with an individual including, but not limited to, hitting, slapping, biting, pinching, or shoving.

### **Self-Neglect**

One's inability to understand the consequences of his/her actions or inactions, which leads or may lead to harm or endangerment to themselves or others.

### **Sexual Abuse**

Forced, tricked, threatened, and/ or otherwise coerced sexual contact upon another person.

To report or find assistance, see Elder Abuse, page 32.

The office coordinates and maintains a statewide emergency services system for emergency and disaster communications.

#### **EMERGENCY HOUSING**

# American Red Cross, Central and Eastern Oregon

See full listing in Education and Community Health, pages 29-30.

Bethlehem Inn (541) 389-2820 3705 N Hwy. 97 Bend OR 97701 www.bethleheminn.org

This agency is a community-supported emergency shelter that provides a warm, safe place to sleep, nourishing meals, and case management services for adults and children experiencing homelessness in Central Oregon.

Jericho Road (541) 699-2099 P. O. Box 1623 Redmond OR 97756 www.jerichoroadofredmond.org

The mission of Jericho Road is to provide consistent, nurturing, and tangible support to the homeless and those in need within the Redmond area.

Redemption House Ministries (541) 362-5642

(541) 903-0709 445 NW 3rd St. Prineville OR 97754 www.prinevillenazarene.org

A homeless shelter in Prineville for women and children, which provides shelter, assistance, and a safe place to find love, hope, and faith.

Salvation Army (541) 389-8888 541 NE Dekalb Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.bend.salvationarmy.org

# FAMILY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESOURCES

Crook County Health Department (541) 447-5165 375 NW Beaver St., Ste. 100 Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/health

Deschutes County Emergency Management (541) 388-6501 63333 W. Hwy. 20 Bend OR 97703 www.sheriff.deschutes.org

Deschutes County Public Health Department (541) 322-7400 2577 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.deschutes.org Jefferson County Health
Department
(541) 475-4456
715 SW 4th St.
Madras OR 97741
www.jeffco.net/publichealth

NeighborImpact (541) 548-2380 (Main) (800) 735-2900 (TTY) www.neighborimpact.org

NeighborImpact is Central Oregon's largest non-profit organization serving Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties and the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs. Services assist people in building a future for themselves and their families while recognizing that for some, a continuum of support may be needed throughout their lives.

- Energy Assistance Hotline (541) 504-2155
- Bend Office All Services (541) 548-2380
   20310 Empire Ave, #A100
   Bend OR 97703
- Redmond Office All Services (541) 548-2380
   2303 SW First St.
   Redmond OR 97756
- Redmond Office Child Care Resources (541) 323-6513

3113 SW Hwy. 97, #104 Redmond Oregon 97756

- La Pine Office HomeSource (541) 536-8511 16405 1st St.
   La Pine OR 97739
- Madras Office HomeSource (541) 548-2380
   374 SW 5th St., Ste. B
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
  (541) 548-2380
  422 NW Beaver St.
  Prineville OR 97754

#### St. Vincent De Paul

- Bend
  (541) 389-6643
  950 SE Third St. #B,
  Bend OR 97702
  www.stvincentdepaulbend.org
- La Pine
  (541) 536-6135
  51484 Morson St.
  La Pine OR 97739
  www.centraloregonsvdp.org
- Prineville
   (541) 447-7662
   1103 NE Elm St., Ste. 140
   Prineville OR 97754
   www.svdpofcc.org

Redmond
 (541) 923-5264
 651 SW Veterans Way
 Redmond OR 97756
 www.stvincentdepaulredmond.com

#### **VICTIMS ASSISTANCE**

These programs advocate for and give support to victims of crime. Services include accompaniment to court, information on individual cases and the criminal justice system, crisis intervention, and help filing for crime victim compensation and restraining orders.

If you are a victim, or are concerned that another person is being threatened or abused, report the incident to local police or your local crime victims assistance program.

#### Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Victims of Crime (541) 553-1161

1233 Veterans St., P.O. Box C Warm Springs OR 97761 www.warmsprings-nsn.gov

The Warm Springs Tribe works in unison with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and United States Attorney's Office with major federal crimes. And the FBI victims of crime servicer staff works in unison with the Tribal VOCS Office when the need arises. The Victims Specialists, Warm Springs VOC's and Warm Springs Police Department work together to offer the needed services for victims.

Crook County Victims' Assistance (541) 447-4158 300 NE 3rd St., Rm. 22 Prineville OR 97754

www.co.crook.or.us/Crook-County/ Victims-Assistance

Deschutes County Victims'
Assistance
(541) 388-6525
1164 NW Bond St.
Bend OR 97703
www.dcda.us/c5/victimsassistance

Jefferson County Victims'
Assistance
(541) 475-4463
129 SW E St., Ste. 102
Madras OR 97741
www.jeffco.net/justice/page/victim-assistance-program

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### **Employment**

# CENTRAL OREGON WORKFORCE CONNECTION AGENCIES

Older adults sometimes re-enter the work force, change jobs, or seek part-time employment. The following programs assist people with connecting to meaningful employment and/or provide specialized job training. Employment opportunities range from unskilled to professional positions. Job

vacancy listings may be available online and locally at some of these agencies.

#### **Abilitree**

See full listing under Advocacy and Information, page 14.

#### Goodwill

www.goodwilljobconnection.org

Provides vocational services to people with barriers to employment. Assistance covers resumes, job leads, interview skills, interview practice, and work clothing upon hire. Services are free to individuals aged 16+ who are legal to work in the U.S., able to pass a drug screen, and competitively employable.

- Bend Branch
   (541) 322-7222
   61315 S Business 97
   Bend OR 97702
- Redmond Branch
   (541) 516-4284
   2067 N Business 97
   Redmond OR 97756

Opportunity Foundation of Central Oregon (OFCO) (541) 548-2611 835 SE Hwy. 126 Redmond OR 97756 www.opportunityfound.org

Provides employment, job search, vocational training, and housing opportunities for people with disabilities.

#### Vocational Rehabilitation Services, Oregon Department of Human Services

www.oregon.gov/DHS/employment/VR

Assists people with various disabilities who want to return to work with counseling, evaluation, physical restoration, skill training, and job placement.

- Bend Office
   (541) 388-6336
   1645 NE Forbes Rd., Ste. 100
   Bend OR 97701
- La Pine Office
   (541) 388-6336
   16493 Bluewood Pl.
   La Pine OR 97739
- Madras Office

   (541) 388-6336
   1170 E Ashwood Rd.

   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   (541) 447-3851 x314
   1495 East 3rd St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office
   (541) 388-6336
   2158 SE College Loop #A
   Redmond OR 97739

Oregon Employment Department (800) 323-3710 (Toll-free) www.oregon.gov/EMPLOY

Helps job seekers find jobs that match their skills and employers' needs. Provides up-to-date information about trends in occupations and skills needed for success in the job market.

- Bend Office
   (541) 388-6070
   1645 NE Forbes Rd., Ste. 100
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   (541) 475-7118
   281 SW 3rd St., Ste. B
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office (541) 447-8076
   2321 NE 3rd St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office
  (541) 548-8196
  2158 SE College Loop, Ste. B
  Redmond OR 97756

Warm Springs Tribal Government
Personnel Office
(541) 553-3262
1233 Veterans St.
Warm Springs OR 97761
warmsprings-nsn.gov/job-opportunities

# Worksource, Oregon Employment Department

www.worksourceoregon.org

Supports economic stability for Oregonians and communities during times of unemployment through payment of unemployment benefits. Serves businesses by recruiting and referring the best-qualified applicants to jobs and provides resources to diverse job seekers in support of their employment needs. Develops and distributes quality workforce and economic information to promote informed decision making.

- Bend Office
   (541) 388-6070
   1645 NE Forbes Rd., Ste. 101
   Bend OR 97701
- La Pine Office
   (541) 536-5380
   16493 Bluewood Pl., Ste. 3
   La Pine OR 97739
- Madras Office
   (541) 475-7118
   281 SW 3rd St., Ste. B
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   (541) 447-8076
   2321 NE 3rd St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office (541) 548-8196
  2158 SE College Loop, Ste. B Redmond OR 97756

DISCRIMINATION, LABOR LAWS, AND ENFORCEMENT

#### Bureau of Labor and Industries (BOLI) (971) 673-0761 800 NE Oregon St., Ste. 1045 Portland OR 97232 www.oregon.gov/boli

Protects employment rights, advances employment opportunities, and protects access to housing and public accommodations, free from discrimination.

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### End-of-Life Services

#### **DEATH BENEFITS**

#### Social Security

When someone who has worked and paid into Social Security dies, survivor benefits can be paid to certain family members, such as widows and widowers (and divorced widows and widowers), children, and dependent parents. Apply for benefits promptly, because in some cases benefits may not be retroactive. Apply by telephone or in person.

Social Security Office (800) 772-1213 (Toll-free) (800) 325-0778 (TTY) 250 NW Franklin Ave., Ste. 201 Bend OR 97703 www.ssa.gov/benefits

#### **Veterans Death Benefits**

Veterans benefits may include life insurance, burial expense reimbursement, burial flag, interment in national cemeteries, headstones/markers, and non-service-connected death pensions. Most funeral directors have information about some of these benefits, and the Department of Veterans Affairs can help with all of them.

Department of Veterans Affairs (800) 827-1000 (Toll-free) (800) 829-4833 (TTY)

#### **ESTATE ORGANIZATION**

There is a direct correlation between how well families are prepared to face incapacity, death, or catastrophic loss and their ability to recover. A file of information about the practical aspects and decisions that need to be made prior to a loss is a valuable tool in an emergency. Whether a crisis is caused by loss due to a natural disaster, incapacity, or death, the information needed to cope efficiently should be in place.

As a minimum, when the details of the estate are being organized, the following issues should be addressed prior to a loss:

- Medical directives
- Wills and trusts

- Financial data
- List of online accounts and passwords
- Safe deposit boxes and keys
- Insurance policies
- Funeral plans
- Disposition of the body
- List of people to notify

The benefits of good planning include reduced stress in a time of crisis and the acknowledgment of a person's own wishes. It also helps the survivors to function and can facilitate healing. If no friend or family member is available, the public administrator of the county will be appointed to handle legal details.

#### **Birth and Death Certificates**

A funeral director can obtain certified copies of death certificates. Several certified copies may be requested for insurance claims and for other benefits. Certificates are held at the local health department for up to six months after death. After that, they are sent to Oregon Vital Records, where birth and death certificates are housed and where copies may be obtained.

Vital Records - Oregon Center for Health Statistics (971) 673-1190 (888) 896-4988 (Toll-free) 771 (TTY)



#### >>> DOCUMENT CHECKLIST

Organize the following documents. Let family members and/or a friend know the location of the information or documents.

A complete list of important names, addresses, and phone numbers for:

- Medical providers and suppliers, lawyers, financial advisors, accountants, insurance agents, real estate agents
- Banks and other financial institutions
- Personal representative(s)
- Safe deposit and/or post office box keys and location information of any hidden valuables
- Insurance policies
- Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid numbers and identification cards
- Rental agreement and other business contracts
- Veterans information, including copies of discharge papers

A complete list of assets:

- Savings, checking, and money market accounts
- Stocks, bonds, and other securities
- Real estate deeds
- Titles to automobiles, boats, and other vehicles
- Business ownership and partnership agreements
- Profit-sharing and pension plans
- Retirement accounts

A complete list of debts:

- Routine and recurring
- Household bills
- Personal property appraisals and copies of federal and state tax returns from the past three to five years
- Receipts for property taxes and other large recent payments
- Personal loan records
- Pertinent computer files, such as financial and legal, and how to access them

P.O. Box 14050
Portland OR 97293
www.oregon.gov/OHA/PH/
BirthDeathCertificates/GetVitalRecords

Oregon law requires all vital events such as birth, marriage, divorce, registered domestic partnership, dissolution of registered domestic partnership, fetal death, and death be permanently recorded and registered. These are legal records documenting a vital event. Certified copies of vital records are required to get social security benefits, a driver's license, passport, and other legal documents.

#### FINAL ARRANGEMENTS

#### **Unattended Death**

When someone dies at home without the presence of medical personnel, it is considered an unattended death. In this case, call local law enforcement. They will provide the initial support.

#### **Organ and Tissue Donations**

Some people wish to "will" their bodies to science or donate tissue or vital organs after death. A living will may be used to provide direction for donating one's organs or tissues, or donating one's body for medical research. Discuss your wishes in advance with your physician and family.

#### **Burial Information**

Daniel Family Funeral Homes (541) 382-2471

www.bendfuneralhomes.com

See ad, page 41.

Donate Life Northwest (503) 494-7888 (800) 452-1369 (Toll-free) P.O. Box 532

# >>> THREE CRUCIAL DOCUMENTS

#### Be sure to have:

- 1. An updated and valid will or trust ensures that belongings will be allocated as desired and reduces the likelihood of family conflict or a complicated probate process.
- 2. A springing durable power of attorney, which allows a designated person to make legally binding decisions in the event of incapacitation.
- Advance directives, which specify wishes concerning medical care and name someone to make decisions in case of incompetency.

Portland OR 97207 www.donatelifenw.org

Maintains the donor registry for the state of Oregon and offers events, educational programs, and an award-winning, high-school curriculum.

Oregon Health Science University, Body Donation Program (503) 494-8302 3181 SW Sam Jackson Park Rd.

#### Portland OR 97239 www.ohsu.edu

Every year, hundreds of citizens of Oregon and the greater Pacific Northwest donate their bodies to the OHSU Body Donation Program.

## HOSPICE AND TRANSITION SUPPORT

Hospice provides compassionate support for individuals in the final phase of a terminal illness. Hospice care seeks to enable patients to spend their last days with dignity in as comfortable and as pain-free a



manner as possible. Hospice care can be provided in a number of settings: in the privacy of the home, in a hospice facility, or in a nursing center.

Services are available regardless of ability to pay and are funded by Medicare, donations, and some private insurance policies. To qualify for hospice, patients must be diagnosed with a life expectancy of six months or fewer. Services may include:

- 24/7 on-call nursing
- Intermittent nursing visits
- Management of pain and symptoms
- Personal care, such as bathing
- Physical and other therapies
- Medical supplies and equipment
- Medications related to terminal diagnosis
- Trained volunteers
- Spiritual and pastoral support
- Counseling
- · Bereavement and grief support

Heart 'n Home Hospice (800) 467-7423 (Toll-free) www.gohospice.com/bend

See ad, this page.

Bend Office
 (541) 508-4036
 745 NW Mt. Washington Dr.
 Ste. 205
 Bend OR 97703

La Pine Office
 (541) 536-7399
 51681 Huntington Rd.
 La Pine OR 97739

Hospice of Redmond (541) 548-7483 (877) 244-0858 (Toll-free) 732 SW 23rd St. Redmond OR 97756 www.hospiceofredmond.org

See ad, this page.

Partners in Care (541) 382-5882 (24/7) www.partnersbend.org

See ad on back cover.

- Bend Office 2075 NE Wyatt Ct. Bend OR 97701
- La Pine Office
   51530 Huntington Rd., Ste. 1
   La Pine OR 97739
- Redmond Office
   141 NW 6th St.
   Redmond OR 97756

Sacred Art of Living (541) 383-4179 20273 SE Reed Ln. Bend OR 97702 www.sacredartofliving.org

Organizations and individuals directly involved with the terminally

ill can become certified through the Sacred Art of Living and Dying National Certification Programs.

St. Charles Hospice (541) 706-6700 www.stcharleshealthcare.org

- Bend Office
   2275 Northeast Doctors Dr., Ste. 3
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   470 Northeast A St.
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   446 NW 3rd St.
   Prineville OR 97754



Redmond Office
 1251 Northwest Canal Blvd.

 Redmond OR 97756

### PROBATE SERVICES AND INFORMATION

The probate process is a potentially complex series of actions involving attorneys or personal representatives and the courts. In simple terms, the purpose of probate is to determine the validity of a will. If a will does not exist, the probate court names an administrator. Probate administration can be a time-consuming and expensive process.

There are ways to avoid probate through joint ownership of property, beneficiary designation, and revocable living trusts.

#### **Oregon Advance Directive**

A two-part booklet, "Making Health Care Decisions," contains a legal form called the Oregon Advance Directive. This allows you to express, in advance, your wishes to accept or refuse certain life-sustaining treatments should you become unable to decide for yourself in the future. The form requests that you designate a healthcare representative who can follow your desired instructions as specified in the directive. It is important that you let your healthcare representative know

about your wishes well in advance, so that if you are unable to communicate, the representative can act on your behalf. The booklet is available from health care facilities or may be purchased in some stationery stores.

# Portable Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (POLST)

The POLST form allows a person to express, in writing, his or her wishes and medical preferences for life-sustaining treatment should the person become unable to respond. The form must be signed by a doctor and should be placed in a prominent location, such as on a refrigerator, so that people assisting in an emergency will have a clear understanding of the non-responsive person's wishes when direct communication is impossible. The POLST should also be provided to any hospital or nursing center where one is treated. The form can be obtained from a physician or hospital.

Note: POLSTs will also be uploaded into an Oregon State database.

# Death With Dignity National Center (503) 228-4415

520 SW 6th Ave., Ste. 1220 Portland OR 97204 www.deathwithdignity.org

Promotes Death with Dignity laws based on our model legislation,

the Oregon Death with Dignity Act, both to provide an option for dying individuals and to stimulate nationwide improvements in end-of-life care.

Oregon Health Decisions (503) 692-0894 (800) 422-4805 (Toll-free) 7451 SW Coho Ct., Ste. 101 Tualatin OR 97062 www.oregonhealthdecisions.org

Comprehensive information and planning guide to help make decisions in order to develop an Advance Directive.

#### SUPPORT SERVICES

When someone close to you comes to the end of their life, whether it is expected or happens suddenly, it is important that you receive support from family members and friends. There are also individuals and groups in the community whose experience working with grief may help you to cope with your loss. Hospice organizations offer various types of assistance to the terminally ill and their families. See Hospice and Transition Support, page 44.

#### **TRANSITIONS**

These programs assist individuals and their families as they cope with life-limiting illness.

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### **Financial Services**

#### **DIRECT DEPOSIT**

Individuals who receive Social Security benefits, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Civil Service or Railroad Retirement Annuity, or Veterans Administration (VA) payments may have their checks deposited directly into their bank, credit union, or savings and loan association accounts. This payment option avoids the possibility of a check being stolen.

#### FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Consumer Credit Counseling Service, Money Management International (866) 889-9347 (12/7, Toll-free) 10260 SW Greenburg Rd., Ste. 412 Tigard OR 97223 www.moneymanagement.org

This non-profit, full-service credit counseling agency provides confidential financial guidance, financial education, and counseling to help consumers take control of their finances and live debt free.



When the loan is due and payable, some or all of the equity in the property that is the subject of the reverse mortgage no longer belongs to borrowers, who may need to sell the home or otherwise repay the loan with interest from other proceeds. The lender may charge an origination fee, mortgage insurance premium, closing costs and servicing fees (added to the balance of the loan). The balance of the loan grows over time and the lender charges interest on the balance. Borrowers are responsible for paying property taxes, homeowner's insurance, maintenance, and related taxes (which may be substantial). We do not establish an escrow account for disbursements of these payments. A set-aside account can be set up to pay taxes and insurance and may be required in some cases. Borrowers must occupy home as their primary residence and pay for ongoing maintenance; otherwise the loan becomes due and payable. The loan also becomes due and payable (and the property may be subject to a tax lien, other encumbrance, or foreclosure) when the last borrower, or eligible non-borrowing surviving spouse, dies, sells the home, permanently moves out, defaults on taxes, insurance payments, or maintenance, or does not otherwise comply with the loan terms. Interest is not tax-deductible until the loan is partially or fully repaid.

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#### HOME EQUITY PROGRAMS

# NeighborImpact, HomeSource (541) 323-6567

20310 Empire Ave, Ste. A110 Bend OR 97701 www.neighborimpact.org

HomeSource of NeighborImpact is a HUD-approved housing counseling agency serving Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties.

#### PROPERTY TAX DEFERRAL

See Government Information, page 58.

# REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE AND MONEY MANAGEMENT

If a person becomes unable to manage his or her own funds, the Social Security Administration should be notified. Arrangements can be made to send benefits to a relative or other person who agrees to use the money for the beneficiary's well-being. This person is called the "representative payee."

Note: A person who has power of attorney for the beneficiary does not automatically qualify to be the representative payee.

#### REVERSE MORTGAGES

Reverse mortgages may enable homeowners aged 62+ to borrow money safely from the equity in their homes. In some cases, no payments need to be made for as long as the homeowners live in their home—no matter how many years that may be. Older adults considering this option should carefully review loan provisions before signing.

Reverse mortgage models may include:

- A monthly income for life
- A lump sum
- A line of credit for future needs
- · A combination of the above

There are a variety of reverse mortgage products available. Homeowners should compare available programs to see which one works best for their situation.

All Seasons Mortgage (541) 419-7078 15 SW Colorado Ave., Ste. 120 Bend OR 97702

www.asmnorthwest.com

Offers coaching session to help homeowners aged understand the pros and cons of a reverse mortgage and various other options for maintaining home ownership.

See ad, page 50.

Finance of America Mortgage (541) 390-4934

233 SW Wilson Ave. Bend OR 97702 www.foamortgage.com

See ad, page 48.

HomeSource, NeighborImpact (541) 323-6567

20310 Empire Ave, Ste. A110 Bend OR 97701

https://www.neighborimpact.org/ homesource

Offers a neutral third-party coaching session to help homeowners aged 62+ understand the pros and cons of a reverse mortgage and various other options for maintaining home ownership.

#### **SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS**

With Social Security, people pay taxes into the system during their working years, and upon retirement or disability receive monthly benefits. Upon the beneficiary's death, certain family members such as a surviving spouse, minor children, or dependent parents can collect the benefit.

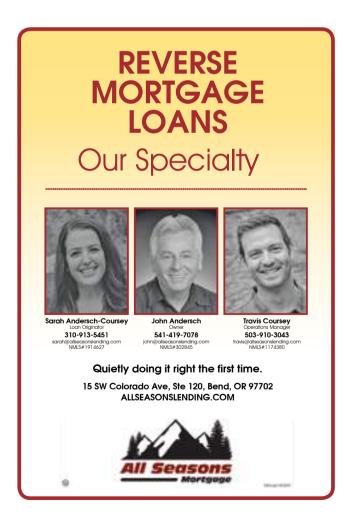
Social Security Administration (800) 772-1213 (Toll-free) (800) 325-0778 (TTY) 250 NW Franklin Ave. Ste. 201 Bend OR 97703 www.ssa.gov

#### **Right of Appeal/Overpayments**

When the Social Security office makes a decision that affects eligibility, they send a letter explaining the decision. If the recipient disagrees with the decision, they can appeal in writing to ask that the case be reviewed. If the initial decision was made in error, it will be changed.

Sometimes Social Security recipients receive overpayments in error; recipients have the right to appeal an overpayment notice.

Some recipients may have a change in their financial situation, which merits



an adjustment to benefits by the Social Security office. Social Security representatives can assist with the appeal and adjustment processes.

# SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME (SSI)

People aged 65+, or those of any age who are blind or disabled, may be eligible for a Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefit. This program is funded by federal revenues, not Social Security taxes. With SSI benefits, people with limited income and assets may receive a monthly cash benefit. Those who are eligible for SSI are also eligible for Medicaid.

Applications can be made via telephone and at the Social Security office.

Applications for Medicaid or the Oregon Health Plan can be made through the Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) programs; see page 11.

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# Food and Nutrition

## EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRIES

Some supplemental programs distribute government commodities on specific

days; others offer emergency meals and food boxes, or brown-bagged groceries. Contact the Council on Aging for service hours and available resources.

#### **Bend**

Eagle Mountain Church (541) 312-9345 2221 NE 3rd St. (Lower Level) Bend OR 97701

Foundry Church (541) 382-3862 60 NW Oregon Bend OR 97701 (Pick up in Church Office)

Nativity Lutheran (541) 388-0765 60850 Brosterhous Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.nativityinbend.com/ministry/food-pantry

#### St. Vincent de Paul

See full listing under Emergency Assistance, pages 36-37.

**Salvation Army** (541) 389-8888 515 NE 3rd St. Bend OR 97701

The Giving Plate (541) 797-6883 1245 SE 3rd St., Ste. C7 Bend OR 97702 www.thegivingplate.org **Water Church** (**541**) **706-0121** 21300 Bear Creek Rd. Bend OR 97701

Westside Church (541) 382-7504 2051 Shevlin Park Rd. Bend OR 97701

# Culver, Madras, Metolius, and Warm Springs

Metolius Friends
Community Church
(541) 546-4974
575 Hood Ave. #2335
Metolius OR 97741
www.metoliusfriends.church

#### La Pine/Sunriver Food Pantries

Care and Share at Sunriver Storage (541) 593-3653 56898 Enterprise Dr., Unit F-125 Sunriver OR 97707 www.sunriverowners.org

La Pine Community Kitchen (541) 536-1312
16480 Finley Butte Rd.
La Pine OR 97739
www.lapinecommunitykitchen.org

Little Deschutes Grange Hall (541) 548-2380 51518 Morson St. La Pine OR 97739

#### St. Vincent de Paul

See full listing under Emergency Assistance, pages 36–37.

The Door at Three Rivers Church (541) 550-3088
56885 Enterprise Dr.
Sunriver OR 97707
www.thedoor3r.org

#### **Madras and Warm Springs**

Jefferson Food Bank, Seventh-day Adventist Church (541) 475-3344 556 SE 7th St. Madras OR 97741

Madras United Methodist Church (541) 475-2150 49 NE 12th St. Madras OR 97741 www.madrasumc.org

Warm Springs Presbyterian Church (541) 553-1237 1141 Warm Springs St. Warm Springs OR 97761 www.warmspringspc.org

#### **Prineville**

First Baptist Church (541) 447-7717 460 SE Fairview St. Prineville OR 97754 www.fbcprineville.org Fresh to You Mobile Pantry Mosaic Medical (541) 447-0707 375 NW Beaver St. Prineville OR 97754

Oasis Soup Kitchen (541) 447-7727 398 NW Deer St. Prineville OR 97754 www.prinevillenaz.weebly.com

#### St. Vincent de Paul

See full listing under Emergency Assistance, pages 36–37.

#### **Redmond/Terrebonne**

Assembly of God (541) 548-4555 1865 W Antler Ln. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondchurchofgod.com

Faith Harvest Helpers (541) 383-3515 5th St. and Evergreen Ave. Redmond OR 97756 www.grandmashouseofco.org

Friends in Service to Humanity (F.I.S.H.) (541) 350-2871 536 SW 10th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondchristian.org

#### NeighborImpact Regional Food Bank (541) 548-2380 2303 SW First St.

Redmond OR 97756

Old Fire Hall, Crooked River Ranch (541) 504-8236 6971 SW Shad Rd.

Terrebonne OR 97760

Redmond Community Church (541) 923-3023 237 NW 9th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondcc.org

Seventh-day Adventist Center (541) 923-0301 945 SW Glacier Ave. Redmond OR 97756

Smith Rock Community Church (541) 548-1315 8344 11th St. Terrebonne OR 97760 www.smithrockchurch.org/events/food-bank

St. Alban's Episcopal Church
Food Pantry
(541) 548-4212
3277 NW 10th St.
Redmond OR 97756
www.episcopalchurch.org/es/parish/stalbans-episcopal-church-redmond-or

#### St. Vincent de Paul

See full listing, pages 36-37.

#### **Sisters**

Bread of Life Food Distribution, Westside Sisters Church, (541) 549-4184 442 Trinity Way Sisters OR 97759 www.westsidesisters.org

Sisters Kiwanis (541) 419-1950 328 W Main St. Sisters OR 97759 www.sisterskiwanis.org/food-bank

## MEALS ON WHEELS PROGRAMS

Home-delivered meals to eligible home-bound seniors 60+ or clients with disabilities. Call the Council on Aging to determine home-delivery eligibility. A donation is suggested but not required for adults aged 60+, their spouse, or family caregiver.

#### **Bend**

Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 687-5439 373 NE 3rd St. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

#### La Pine

La Pine Senior Activity Center (541) 797-9107

www.lapineseniorcenter.org

#### **Madras**

Senior Citizens of Jefferson County (541) 475-1148

#### **Prineville**

Prineville Soroptimist Senior Center (541) 447-6844

#### Redmond

Redmond Senior Center (541) 548-6325 www.redmondseniors.org

#### **Sisters**

Sisters Community Church (541) 678-5483 www.sisterschurch.com

#### **NUTRITION RESOURCES**

Hunger Prevention Coalition of Central Oregon (541) 408-1978 P.O. Box 8711 Bend OR 97708 www.hungerpc.org

Volunteer-run coalition that accepts donations to ensure funding for non-profit agencies proven to provide nutritious food for those in need in Central Oregon.

High Desert Food & Farm Alliance (541) 390-3572

354 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.hdffa.org

Supports a healthy, thriving food and farm network in Central Oregon. Cooking skills courses (using fresh veggies) teach participants cooking from scratch and shopping on a budget. Supports access for all Central Oregonians to fresh, locally grown food through its Food and Farm Directory and fresh food donations to the local food bank.

## SENIOR-ONLY\* AND COMMUNITY DINING

Nutritional resources are available to serve people of all ages. Costs, days, and times vary; call or check online.

#### **Bend**

\* Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483 1036 NE 5th St. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

Family Kitchen-Red Door, Trinity Episcopal Church (541) 760-5677 231 NW Idaho Ave. Bend OR 97703 www.familykitchen.org

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Larkspur Community Center, Home of the Bend Senior Center (541) 388-1133
1600 SE Reed Market Rd.
Bend OR 97702
www.bendparksandrec.org

Open Door Cafe, Bend Methodist Church (541) 382-1672 680 NW Bond St. Bend OR 97701 www.bendumc.org

Salvation Army (541) 389-8888 515 NE DeKalb St. Bend OR 97701 www.bend.salvationarmy.org

Shepherd's House (541) 388-2096 1854 NE 5th St. Bend Or 97701

#### **Culver, Madras, and Warm Springs**

Culver Community Lunch Program, Culver City Hall (541) 546-6494 200 First St. Culver OR 97734 www.cityofculver.net/pages/calendar

\* Seniors Citizens of Jefferson County (541) 475-1148 860 SW Madison St. Madras OR 97741 United Methodist Church (541) 475-2150 49 NE 12th St. Madras OR 97741 www.madrasumc.org

\* Warm Springs Senior Center (541) 553-3313 2331 High Lookee St. Warm Springs OR 97761

#### La Pine/Sunriver

La Pine Community Kitchen (541) 536-1312
16480 Finley Butte Rd.
La Pine OR 97739
www.lapinecommunitykitchen.org/the-kitchen-the-red-building

\* La Pine Senior Activity Center (541) 536-6237 16450 Victory Way La Pine OR 97739 www.lapineseniorcenter.org

#### **Prineville**

\* Prineville Soroptimist Senior Center (541) 447-6844 180 NE Belknap St. Prineville OR 97754

#### **Redmond/Terrebonne**

Crooked River Ranch Senior Center (541) 504-8236 (Lunch Site) 6710 SW Ranch House Rd.

Crooked River Ranch OR 97760 www.crookedriverranch.com/index.php/ member-pages/ranch-services

Jericho's Table, Church of God 7th Day (541) 699-2099 205 NW 4th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.jerichoroadofredmond.org

Lavender Thrift & Gift Hope Center (541) 390-1594 724 SW 14th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.houseofhope-bend.org

\* Redmond Senior Center (541) 548-6325 325 NW Dogwood Ave. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondseniors.org

Shepherd's Table, City Center Church (541) 548-7128 549 SW 8th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.citycenter.church/events/calendar

#### **Sisters**

\* Sisters Senior Dining, Sisters Community Church (541) 678-5483 1300 W. McKenzie Hwy. Sisters OR 97759 www.sisterschurch.com

# SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)

Through this federal program, previously known as food stamps, the Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS), provides food benefits to Oregon residents of all ages. The Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) branch of DHS administers this program for older adults.

SNAP's focus is to improve health and well-being by helping to meet the nutritional needs of low-income individuals, the elderly, and people with disabilities. Eligibility is based on income, shelter, utility costs, and medical expenses for older adults and people with disabilities.

See page 11.

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# Government Information

#### **GOVERNMENT OFFICES**

Bureau of Land Management (BLM) (503) 808-6422 1220 SW 3rd Ave. Portland OR 97204 www.blm.gov

# Certified Ombudsman Program Office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman

See Advocacy and Information, page 17.

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City of Bend (541) 388-5505 710 NW Wall St. Bend OR 97703 www.bendoregon.gov

City of Culver (541) 546-6494 200 First St. Culver OR 97734 www.cityofculver.net

City of Madras (541) 475-2344 125 SW E St. Madras OR 97741 www.ci.madras.or.us

City of Metolius (541) 546-5533 636 Jefferson Ave. Metolius OR 97741 www.cityofmetolius.org

City of Prineville (541) 447-5627 387 NE Third St. Prineville OR 97754 www.cityofprineville.com

City of Redmond (541) 923-7710 411 SW 9th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.ci.redmond.or.us

City of Sisters (541) 549-6022

520 E Cascade Ave. Sisters OR 97759 www.ci.sisters.or.us

Crook County Clerk's Office (541) 447-6553 300 NE 3rd St. Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us

Deschutes County Clerk's Office (541) 388-6549 1300 NW Wall St. Ste 202 Bend OR 97703 www.deschutes.org

Governor's Commission on Senior Services (541) 618-7854 500 Summer St., NE, E02 Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov

Group of volunteers and two legislators working to ensure quality of life for all older Oregonians. Through cooperation with other organizations and advocacy, the commission works to ensure that seniors have access to services that provide choice, independence, and dignity.

Jefferson County Board of Commissioners (541) 475-2449 66 SE D St. Madras OR 97741 www.jeffco.net

# Legislative Action Center (202) 225-1772

Call to inquire about the status of a bill in the House of Representatives or the Senate.

Social Security Administration (800) 772-1213 (Toll-free) (800) 325-0778 (TTY) 250 NW Franklin Ave. Ste. 201 Bend OR 97703 www.ssa.gov

#### PROPERTY TAX DEFERRAL

Senior Citizens Property Tax
Deferral, Oregon Department of
Revenue
(541) 388-6139
951 SW Simpson Ave.
Bend OR 97702
www.oregon.gov/DOR/programs/
property

Oregon homeowners, if qualified, may delay property taxes on their residences. There are age, ownership, residency, and income requirements.

#### TAX ASSISTANCE

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide (888) 687-2277 (Toll-free) www.aarp.org/money/taxes

Provides free tax assistance to middleand low-income taxpayers. Volunteers are trained, in cooperation with the IRS, on the latest changes in tax laws and those provisions of the tax code most important to older people. Available February 1 through April 15. Call or go online for referral to the closest site or call your local senior center.

Internal Revenue Service (800) 829-1040 (Toll-free) (800) 829-4059 (TTY) www.irs.gov

Oregon Department of Revenue (800) 356-4222 (Toll-free) 955 Center St. NE Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/DOR

State income tax information or problem resolution.

#### **VOTER INFORMATION**

League of Women Voters of Deschutes County Bend OR 97701 www.lwvdeschutes.org

A nonpartisan organization that promotes political responsibility and informed participation in government. Membership open to men and women.

#### **VOTER REGISTRATION**

Crook County Clerk's Office (541) 447-6553

(800) 735-2900 (TTY) 300 NE 3rd St., Rm. 23 Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/county-clerk

Deschutes County Clerk's Office (541) 388-6547 1300 NW Wall St., Ste. 202 Bend OR 97703 www.deschutes.org/clerk

Jefferson County Clerk's Office (541) 475-4451 66 SE D St., Ste. C Madras OR 97741 www.jeffco.net

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# Health and Wellness

# CANCER TREATMENT PROGRAMS

American Cancer Society (800) 227-2345 (Toll-free) (866) 228-4327 (TTY) www.cancer.org

#### **DENTAL SERVICES**

Medicare does not cover routine dental care such as X-rays, cleaning, fillings, extractions, or dentures; however, many dentists will provide a break on pricing and offer clients a payment plan.

Geriatric Dental Group (503) 772-3677 6319 SE Powell Blvd. Portland OR 97206 www.geriatricdental.org

Provides general dentistry to people over 55 or who require a wheelchair accessible clinic. Reduced rates and long term payment plans.

Oregon Health Science University, School of Dentistry (877) 262-1538 (Toll-free) 2730 SW Moody Ave. Portland OR 97201 www.ohsu.edu/xd/health/services/ dental-clinics

Provides general dentistry and dentures at reduced rates.

#### DIABETES AND SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS

Deschutes County Health Services 1130 NW Harriman St., Ste. A Bend OR 97703

- Diabetes Prevention Program (541) 322-7446
   www.deschutes.org/preventdiabetes
- Living Well Central Oregon (541) 322-7430

#### St. Charles Healthcare

See Hospitals, pages 63, 68.

### Warm Springs Health and Wellness Center

See Health and Wellness, pages 70-71.

## FITNESS AND THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

Exercise greatly influences the length and quality of life. Regular exercise helps to attain or maintain the physical and mental health necessary for more independent living.

Cascade Boomer Fitness (541) 233-6765 100 SE Bridgeford Blvd., Ste. A Bend OR 97702

www.cascadeboomerfitness.com

Crook County On the Move Program (541) 362-1210 P.O. Box 1061

Prineville OR 97754 www.crookcountyonthemove.org

Live healthy in Crook County. Visit the website for ideas on how to Keep Moving, Be Nourished, and Stay Refreshed.

First Presbyterian Church of Bend, The Center for Wellbeing and Wisdom (541) 382-4401 230 NE Ninth St. Bend OR 97701 www.bendfp.org Classes offered every week day (class, date, time are all on website, www. bendfp.org/the-center-for-wellbeing-wisdom. They welcome everyone, without discrimination for any reason such as race, religion, color, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, age, national origin, (dis)ability, or marital status.

Healing Reins (541) 382-9410 60575 Billadeau Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.healingreins.org

Interactive, enjoyable, horse-centered therapy for children, teens, and adults with disabilities. The programs are accredited, safe, effective, and fun for participants of all ages and abilities.

OsteoStrong (541) 241-7067 1543 NE 3rd St. Bend OR 97701 www.osteostrong.me

See ad, page 61.

#### **FOOT CLINICS**

Area senior centers offer foot care; an appointment is required along with a \$35 fee. Participants receive a foot exam, soaking, nail trimming and filing, and a foot massage. For listing of local senior centers, see pages 104–105.

## HEALTH AND FITNESS RESOURCES

#### Health.Org, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (240) 453-8282

www.health.gov

Helps connect health professionals and consumers to the organizations that can best answer their questions by providing up-to-date contact information for the most reliable resources.

#### **HEALTH SCREENINGS**

Health screenings and information for balance, cholesterol, glucose, lipids, and



vision are available for free or at low cost from regular services for hospitals, health care providers, and local agencies. They also offer special screenings and information at health fairs.

# Crook County Health Department (541) 447-5165

1375 NW Beaver St, Ste. 100 Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/health

Provides health education, prevention services, and treatment to those living in Crook County.

#### Jefferson County Senior Center (541) 475-1148 860 SW Madison St. Madras OR 97741

Larkspur Community Center Home of the Bend Senior Center (541) 388-1133 1600 SE Reed Market Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.bendparksandrec.org

See ad, page 100.

Redmond Senior Center (541) 548-6325 325 NW Dogwood Ave. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondseniors.org

A place where older adults can congregate and fulfill social, physical, emotional, and intellectual needs.

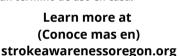
#### **Stroke Awareness Oregon**

Know the signs of stroke



SAO is dedicated to supporting stroke survivors and their families in recovery, through a resource directory support groups, and social activities. SAO also strives to make F.A.S.T. a household term.

SAO esta dedicado a apoyar a sobrevivientes de derrame cerebral y a sus familias en la recuperación, a través de grupos de apoyo, directorio de recursos y actividades sociales. SAO además se esmera por hacer de F.A.S.T un término de uso en casa.



695 SW Mill View Way Bend, OR 97702 541-323-5641

St. Charles Healthcare www.stcharleshealthcare.org

- Cross Roads Plaza
   (541) 706-7717
   547 NE Bellevue, Ste. 105
   Bend OR 97701
- Family Care Bend South (541) 706-7717
   61250 SE Coombs Pl.
   Bend OR 97702
- Madras ER Lab
   (541) 475-3882
   480 NE A St.
   Madras OR 97741

- Pioneer Laboratory (541) 447-6254
   384 SE Combs Flat Rd.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond 4th St. Lab (541) 706-7717
   1245 NW 4th St.
   Redmond OR 97756
- Heart and Lung Center (541) 706-7717
   2500 Neff Rd.
   Bend OR 97701

#### **Hearing Resources**

In-depth audiological testing to evaluate the nature and degree of hearing loss is reimbursable by Medicare at 80% of the approved charges after the Part B deductible has been met. Medicare does not cover hearing aids or routine hearing examinations directly related to the prescribing, fitting, or changing of hearing aids. Medicare covers diagnostic hearing evaluations if referred by a Medicare-certified physician.

Hearing Loss Association of Oregon (541) 689-7242 (Voice/TTY)
P.O. Box 22501
Eugene OR 97402
www.hlaa-or.org

Supports people with hearing impairments. Offers a free manual providing information on coping with all aspects of hearing loss.

#### Oregon Lions Sight and Hearing Foundation (503) 413-7399 1010 NW 22nd Ave., Ste. 144 Portland OR 97210 www.olshf.org

Provides referral to local Lions Clubs for hearing tests and rebuilt hearing aids for adults. Financial assistance with ear surgery. Recipients must verify financial need.

Starkey Hearing Foundation (800) 328-8602 (Toll-free) 6700 Washington Ave. S South Eden Prairie MN 55344 www.starkeyhearingfoundation.org

Designed to assist people with no other resources available to them.

#### Speech

Bend Outpatient Speech Therapy, St. Charles Healthcare (541) 706-7725 2500 NE Neff Rd. Bend OR 97701

#### **Stroke**

Stroke Awareness Oregon (541) 323-5641 695 SW Mill View Way Bend OR 97702 www.strokeawarenessoregon.org

See ad, page 62.

#### **Vision**

Medicare is very specific about what it will and will not cover in the area of eye care and vision correction. Medicare does not cover routine testing directly related to the prescribing or fitting of eyeglasses or the purchase of frames or lenses. Speak to an ophthalmologist or optometrist about which conditions are covered. Eye problems such as macular degeneration and glaucoma are common in older adults.

www.allaboutvision.com www.ohsu.edu

#### **HOSPITALS**

**St. Charles Healthcare** www.stcharleshealthcare.org

- Bend
   (541) 382-4321
   2500 NE Neff Rd.
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras

   (541) 475-3882
   470 NE A St.

   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville
   (541) 447-6254
   384 SE Combs Flat Rd.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond (541) 548-8131







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Dr. Stratton



# Self-Advocate for Better Health. It's Time.

By Kristin A. Stratton, MD Summit Medical Group Oregon Internal Medicine

As a primary care provider, I have witnessed the emotional and physical toll the stress of the COVID-19 pandemic has had on seniors in Central Oregon. Isolation has led to increased levels of fear, anxiety, and depression. Many individuals have stopped or limited their healthy lifestyles, resulting in weight gain and decreased physical activity. As a result, many chronic health conditions have worsened. Fear of going to the doctor has led to delays in medical diagnoses and made conditions more serious and harder to treat.

Here's some simple advice to inspire all individuals to be self-advocates, take control of what they can, and enjoy life to the fullest and healthiest regardless of external circumstances within the context of current Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and local guidelines.

#### **Stay Connected**

- 1. Stay emotionally connected to friends and family. Use all forms of communication send a handwritten letter, email, talk on the phone, have a video conference, etc.
- 2. Learn and embrace new technology including video apps. Ask for help if needed.
- 3. Be creative and transition activities to virtual settings if in-person is not an option book clubs, bridge clubs, exercise programs, or other social activates.
- 4. Make new friends
- 5. Be positive and focus on the good.
- 6. Reach out to those in need. I have seen how newly widowed individuals and people who have recently moved to the area experience social isolation and loneliness.
- 7. Decide what you are passionate about and get involved locally.

#### Stay Physically and Intellectually Active

- 1. Spend time outdoors in nature.
- 2. Participate in daily exercise. Exercise improves many physical and emotional conditions. It has also been shown to prevent future falls.
- 3. Use your brain daily. Learn new material. Read about your passions. Staying intellectually challenged likely helps to preserve cognitive abilities.
- 4. Eat well-rounded healthy meals.

#### Address Your Health Care Needs

- 1. Take care of your physical and emotional health.
- 2. Set up a medical team and get to know your doctors or providers. Find a primary care provider who listens to your preferences and gets to know you as a person. Find a provider who you respect, who communicates openly, and inspires you to live a fulfilling, healthy life.
- 3. Catch up on medical care that has been put off. Call and schedule your yearly check in, cancer screenings, and dermatologic exams.
- 4. If you have new health concerns or symptoms, then seek medical care early.
- 5. If you experience anxiety, depression, loneliness, or are just not feeling as emotionally strong as you previously did, then tell someone and schedule an appointment with your doctor.
- 6. Let your family know your values with regards to your health care and end of life wishes. Fill out advanced directives. This is a hard conversation to have but very important for individuals to get to make their own future choices.

By taking these recommended steps to prioritize your health and well-being today, you will begin to feel empowered and more engaged in the longevity of

Kristin A. Stratton, MD, is board certified in Internal Medicine and has practiced at Summit Medical Group Oregon (SMGOR) since 2016. Dr. Stratton is SMGOR's Primary Care Section Chief. She received her degree from the University of Colorado School of Medicine and completed her residency and chief residency through the University of Colorado Internal Medicine Residency Program.



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#### IMMUNIZATION/FLU

Immunization against influenza and pneumonia is important preventive care. Too many older adults die annually from these preventable diseases. Those over age 65 or at increased risk should receive the flu vaccine annually before early November; they should also receive a once-in-a-lifetime immunization against pneumonia. (There are some limited circumstances when people should be revaccinated for pneumonia. Talk with your health care provider.) Influenza and pneumonia vaccines are reimbursed under Medicare.

## Crook County Health Department (541) 447-5165

375 NW Beaver St., Ste. 100 Prineville OR 97754 www.co.crook.or.us/health

Provides family planning, public health, and immunization services to individuals, while working with the community's medical providers to improve access to care for everyone.

# Deschutes County Health Department

www.deschutes.org/health

Deschutes County Health Services has a primary responsibility to help

address the basic health and wellness of Deschutes County residents.

- Bend
   (541) 322-7400
   2577 NE Courtney Dr.
   Bend OR 97701
- La Pine
   (541) 322-7400
   51340 S Hwy. 97
   La Pine OR 97739
- Redmond
   (541) 617-4775
   412 SW 8th St.
   Redmond OR 97756

Jefferson County Health
Department
(541) 475-4456
715 SW 4th St.
Madras OR 97741
www.jeffco.net/publichealth

#### **OUTPATIENT CLINICS**

Fresenius Medical Dialysis Center (800) 881-5101 (Toll-free Helpline) www.freseniuskidneycare.com

- Bend Office
   (541) 385-8668
   1239 NE Medical Center Dr.
   Ste. 100
   Bend OR 97701
- Redmond Office (541) 548-2778

### **Home Visiting Doctor**

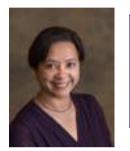
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Bend Offices
 (541) 389-7741
 Hospital District
 2088 NE Kim Ln.
 Bend OR 97701

Shevlin Park 2175 NW Shevlin Park Rd. Bend OR 97703

Upper Mill 929 SW Simpson Ave., Ste. 300 Bend OR 97702

- Redmond Office
   (541) 548-7134
   1001 NW Canal Blvd.
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters Office
   (541) 549-9609
   354 W Adams Ave.
   Sisters OR 97739

Integrity Wellness (541) 420-9482 P.O. Box 520 Redmond OR 97756 www.integritywellness.net

See ad, this page.

# La Pine Community Health Center (541) 536-3435

P.O. Box 3300 La Pine OR 97739 www.lapinehealth.org

Mosaic Medical (541) 383-3005

www.mosaicmedical.org

See ad, page 71.

- Bend Office
   2577 Courtney Dr., Ste. 100
   Bend OR 97701
- Bend Office
   2084 NE Professional Ct.
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   850 SW 4th St., Ste. 101
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   375 NW Beaver St., Ste. 101
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office
   1250 SW Veterans Way, Ste. 120
   Redmond OR 97756

Summit Medical Group, BMC www.bendmemorialclinic.com

See ad, pages 63-67.

 Eastside Clinic (541) 382-4900 1501 NE Medical Center Dr. Bend OR 97701

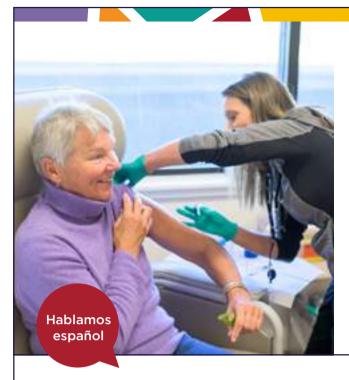
- Old Mill District Clinic (541) 706-25552 815 SW Bond St. Bend OR 97702
- Redmond Clinic
   (541) 550-4602
   865 SW Veterans Way, Ste. 2
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters Clinic
   (541) 706-5440
   231 E. Cascade Ave.
   Sisters OR 97759

Volunteers in Medicine Clinic (541) 330-9001 2300 NE Neff Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.vim-cascades.org

VIM provides healthcare on a donation basis to working adults aged 18 to 64 in Central Oregon with no medical insurance or means to pay for care. Eligibility screening required.

Warm Springs Health and Wellness Center (541) 553-2460 6700 Washington Ave. S South Eden Prairie MN 55344 www.warmsprings-nsn.gov

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#### St. Charles Healthcare

- Family Care Bend East (541) 706-4800
   2695 NE Conners Ave., Ste. 127
   Bend OR 97701
- Family Care Bend South (541) 706-5935
   61250 SE Coombs Pl.
   Bend OR 97702

- Family Care Prineville
   (541) 447-6263
   384 SE Combs Flat Rd.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Family Care Redmond (541) 548-2164
  211 NW Larch Ave.
  Redmond OR 97756
- Family Care Sisters (541) 549-1318
  630 N Arrowleaf Trl. Sisters OR 97759

#### **Immediate Care**

#### St. Charles Healthcare

- Immediate Care Bend East (541) 706-3700
   2600 NE Neff Rd.
   Bend OR 97701
- Immediate Care Bend South (541) 706-5930
  61250 SE Coombs Pl.
  Bend OR 97702
- Immediate Care La Pine (541) 666-7930
  51781 Huntington Rd.
  La Pine OR 97739
- Immediate Care Prineville (541) 447-8750
   384 Southeast Combs Flat Rd. Prineville OR 97754

### PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION PROGRAMS

AARP Pharmacy Service (877) 422-7718 (Toll-free) www.aarppharmacy.com

AARP members can save on FDA approved prescriptions not covered by Medicare Part D.

Oregon Prescription Drug Program (877) 279-3424 (Toll-free) www.staterxplans.us/oregon.html

State-sponsored prescription discount card program. Free enrollment; no age or income limit. All under-insured Oregonians can join; save up to 80% on generics. All FDA-approved drugs prescribed by a licensed clinician are eligible for discounts.

SHIBA Program, Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483 (800) 722-4134 (Toll-free) 373 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org/find-help/medical-resources/medicare-counseling

The Council on Aging's Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance (SHIBA) volunteers offer free, unbiased and confidential assistance with Medicare insurance choices.

Take Meds Seriously Oregon,
Deschutes County Health Services
www.takemedsseriouslyoregon.org

Emphasizes three key practices:

- 1. Use only medications prescribed and as directed.
- 2. Securely store medication.
- Safely dispose of unused medications at one of the 19 disposal locations throughout Central Oregon.

Visit the website for more information or to find a disposal location.

#### REHABILITATION SERVICES

Arthritis Support Group 865 SW Veterans Way Redmond OR 97756

Education, information, and referrals. Contact: alyce1002@gmail.com or kristenjones1227@gmail.com

### St. Charles Healthcare, Outpatient Rehabilitation

www.stcharleshealthcare.org

- Bend Office
   (541) 706-7725
   2500 NE Neff Rd.
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   (541) 460-4016
   470 NE A St.
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office
   (541) 447-8455
   384 SE Combs Flat Rd.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Office
   (541) 516-3828
   1523 NW Canal Blvd.
   Redmond OR 97756

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### Health Insurance

#### APPLYING FOR MEDICARE

To apply for Medicare, contact the Social Security Administration.

Social Security Administration (877) 405-0302 (Toll-free, Local) (800) 772-1213 (Toll-free, National) (800) 325-0778 (TTY) 250 NW Franklin Ave., Ste. 201 Bend OR 97703 www.ssa.gov

Enroll for Medicare benefits at the local Social Security office (or online) beginning in the three months prior to your 65<sup>th</sup> birth month.

### CENTRAL OREGON CLINICS THAT ACCEPT MEDICARE

Medical clinics may or may not accept new patients with Medicare depending on the availability of their doctors. There may be waiting lists. To identify clinics in your area, visit www.medicare.gov.

### LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE

People often think, mistakenly, that Medicare, Medicare Advantage, and Medigap pay for custodial care. These

#### >>> HOW MEDICARE WORKS

#### Part A: Hospital Insurance

Inpatient care is financed by the portion of payroll tax that also pays for Social Security.

#### Part B: Medical Insurance

A quarter of the cost is financed by monthly premiums paid by people who choose to purchase the insurance and three quarters by the federal government.

#### Part C: Medicare Advantage Plans

These private health plan options, which can cover all Medicarecovered health care, can include prescription drug coverage, vision care, and dental care. There are monthly premiums. Seniors should carefully research these policies before choosing one, and the free service SHIBA (see page 72) can help older adults make the best possible decisions about these options.

### Part D: Prescription Drug Coverage

These policies help cover drug costs. There are monthly premiums and low-income subsidies are available.

programs do pay for "skilled care" in a nursing home when medically necessary, but only if particular requirements are met and only for a limited term. Custodial care (extended residential care) is not covered by Medicare, even if received in a skilled nursing facility.

Many insurance companies sell long term care insurance as separate policies. Call your insurer for more information.

Oregon Insurance Division Consumer Advocates (888) 877-4894 (Toll-free)

P.O. Box 14480 Salem OR 97309 www.dfr.oregon.gov/gethelp

#### **MEDICAID**

Oregon's Medicaid program provides for health care (medical benefits) and long-term care services for low-income or disabled individuals who meet income and asset requirements and other specific criteria. Medicaid is funded by state and federal funds. The local Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) programs office has information on qualifying.

Bend (541) 388-6240

La Pine (541) 536-8919

Madras (541) 475-6773

Prineville (541) 447-4511

Redmond (541) 548-2206

Financial Aid Center for Long Term Care, Inc. (888) 870-5467 (Toll-free) P.O. Box 2200 Grants Pass OR 97528 www.oregonmedicaidhelp.com

Assists with determining Oregon Medicaid eligibility and qualification and protecting assets.

See ad, this page.

#### **MEDICARE**

Medicare is a federal health insurance program for people aged 65 or older, people under 65 receiving SSDI income, and people of any age who have permanent kidney failure. Medicare insurance has four parts: Part A, Hospitalization; Part B, Physician/Outpatient Medical; Part C, Medicare Advantage; and Part D, Prescription Drug Plans.

Medicare Customer Representative (800) 633-4227 (Toll-free) www.medicare.gov

### MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAM

This program pays the qualifying recipient's Part B Medicare premiums, increasing their monthly Social Security benefits by the amount of the premiums. Depending on the level of assistance, Medicare deductibles and co-pays may be covered. A recipient must be eligible for Medicare parts A and B. Applications are required, and eligibility is based on income and asset limitations. For

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What can SHIBA (Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance) volunteers do for you?

- Guide you through your health insurance options
- Provide you with FREE local counseling and assistance
- Answer questions about:
  - Billing and claims
  - Long-term care
  - Medicare plan comparisons
  - Medicare savings programs
  - Medicare Supplement
  - Prescription drugs
  - Rights and protections

Federal funding for the State Health Insurance Assistance Programs (SHIP) is intended to strengthen the capability of states to provide all Medicare-eligible individuals with information, counseling, and assistance on health insurance matters. The Council on Aging of Central Oregon has a network of trained volunteer counselors to provide accurate and objective health insurance information and assistance in making informed health coverage decisions and understanding related rights and protections.

Call a local SHIBA representative at (541) 678-5483, ext. 211

complete information and an application for the Medicare Savings Program, contact the Council on Aging's SHIBA program at (541) 678-5483, ext. 211, or contact the nearest Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) office.

Bend (541) 388-6240

La Pine (541) 536-8919

Madras (541) 475-6773

Prineville (541) 447-4511

Redmond (541) 548-2206

### OREGON HEALTH PLAN (OHP)

The Oregon Health Plan provides medical coverage for low-income Oregonians who are not eligible for Medicare. For these residents, eligibility is based on income and assets.

Oregon Health Plan (800) 699-9075 (Toll-free, To Apply) (800) 273-0557 (Toll-free, Members) 500 Summer St.NE Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/OHA

### REPORTING MEDICAID AND MEDICARE FRAUD

Fraud is a major cost to our government and to your taxes. Report suspicious billing errors, such as being billed twice for the same service, or other questionable activities you observe. If you are in doubt as to whether an activity may be fraudulent, do not hesitate to call.

See Fraud Reporting, page 12.

# SENIOR HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS ASSISTANCE (SHIBA)

Trained SHIBA volunteers provide free information and assistance on: Medicare benefits and limitations; evaluation of Medicare supplemental insurance and long term care policies; billing problems; and referrals for legal assistance with Medicare.

SHIBA Program, Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483, ext. 211 (800) 722-4134 (Toll-free) 373 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

Volunteer counselors provide free counseling to people with Medicare (and those looking to sign up at age 65) to resolve issues with supplemental insurance, Medicare claims or bills, doctor's bills, and problems with insurance companies regarding the payment of bills. They also support older adults during open enrollment periods.

### SUPPLEMENT INSURANCE: MEDIGAP

Medicare provides basic coverage for health care costs, but it will not pay all medical expenses. For this reason, many private insurance companies sell a range of Supplement Insurance or Medigap policies. Beneficiaries can choose from ten standardized plans.

Oregon law gives the right to enroll in any of the Medicare Supplement plans approved for sale in the State of Oregon to anyone who is within the first six months of enrolling in Medicare Part B, including people on Medicare

by reason of disability. To learn more, request *The Oregon Guide to Medicare Insurance Plans*, published by the Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services by calling your local Council on Aging SHIBA program.

### THE MEDICARE AND YOU HANDBOOK

This tool explains Medicare benefit periods, deductible charges, and various procedures. Contact Medicare to obtain a copy.

(800) 633-4227 (Toll-free) www.medicare.gov

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# Home Healthcare and In-Home Assistance

### CAREGIVING AND THE CAREGIVER

Taking care of a loved one can be demanding and stressful. The pressure of balancing a personal schedule and an older adult's needs often becomes overwhelming and can be a danger to the caregiver's health. The following resources can provide information to help make caregiving easier and offer ideas for maintaining a healthy balance.

#### **Caregiver Support Groups**

Many churches and other organizations throughout Central Oregon offer caregiver support groups. The Council on Aging also offers groups for caregivers. Call for more information.

(541) 678-5483

See page 24.

### HOME HEALTHCARE AGENCIES

Home health care services are provided to homebound patients by a state-licensed home health agency. Your physician must prescribe and direct the type of care, how often it is to be provided, and the duration of treatment. The agency must be licensed and certified by Medicare and Medicaid to entitle patients to receive benefits under these programs.

Services provided by home health care include nursing, physical therapy, home health aide services, occupational therapy, and speech therapy. Medicare will pay home health care costs only if certain criteria are met.

Medicaid also pays for most home health services provided by certified home health agencies. When you call the home health agency, discuss which benefits may be covered. Partners in Care (541) 382-5882 2075 NE Wyatt Ct. Bend OR 97701 www.partnersbend.org

St. Charles Home Health (541) 706-7796 63031 NE Layton Ave. Bend OR 97701

Tribal Home Health/CHR Program and Public Health Nursing, Warm Springs Health and Wellness Center (541) 553-1196 1270 Kot-num Rd. Warm Springs OR 97761 www.ihs.gov/portland/ healthcarefacilities/warmsprings

#### HOSPICE

Hospice programs provide a full range of services to patients facing a terminal illness, as well as their families.

See End-of-Life Services, pages 44-46.

#### IN-HOME ASSISTANCE

These agencies help people remain healthy and safe in their own homes. Staff assists with housekeeping, transportation, and personal care.



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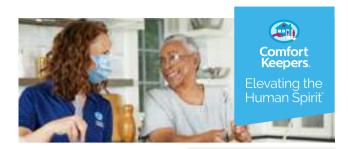




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www.athomecaregroup.com

See ad, page 81.

Comfort Keepers (541) 241 3225

354 NE Greenwood, Ste. 204 Bend OR 97701

www.seniorcarecentraloregon.com

See ad, this page.

Evergreen In-Home Care Services (541) 389-0006

243 SW Scalehouse Loop, Ste. 3A

Bend OR 97702 www.evergreeninhome.com

See ad, page 82.

Helping Hands Home Care (541) 241-1950

61396 S Hwy. 97, Ste. 106 Bend OR 97702

www.helpinghandshomecare.com

Home Instead Senior Care of Central Oregon (541) 330-6400 296 SW Columbia St., Ste. C Bend OR 97702

www.homeinstead.com

Interim HealthCare of Central Oregon

(541) 639-4400

230 SE 3rd St., Ste. 100

Bend OR 97702

www.interimhealthcare.com/bendor/home

Pro Quality Home Care (541) 923-4041 605 SW 5th St.

Redmond OR 97756

www.proqualityhomecare.com

Right at Home In-Home Care and Assistance

(541) 633-7436

2195 NE Professional Ct.

Bend OR 97701

www.rightathome.net

Safe Haven Care (541) 678-5838 1005 NW Galveston Ave., Ste. 200 Bend OR 97703 www.safehavencare.com

Touching Hearts at Home (541) 633-9214
2510 NE Ocker Dr.
Bend OR 97701
www.touchingheartsathome.com/
centraloregon

See ad, page 79.

Visiting Angels (541) 617-3868 2920 NE Conners Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.visitingangels.com

### MEDICAL AND ASSISTIVE EQUIPMENT

Home medical equipment, sometimes called durable medical equipment (DME), includes shower chairs, adaptive toilets, walkers, and other equipment. Determine costs before ordering equipment, as many items are not covered by insurance or have a deductible. Several local agencies have equipment that may be available on loan.

Access Technologies, Inc. (800) 677-7512 (Toll-free) 2225 Lancaster Dr. NE



Salem OR 97305 www.accesstechnologiesinc.org

Offers a range of solutions that increase independence throughout an individual's daily life. Services include technology assessments and trainings, hands-on device demonstrations, and a comprehensive Device Lending Library. Maintains a marketplace of new and slightly used equipment, and listings of used items for sales.

Advanced Mobility of Bend (541) 382-6016 1045 NE 3rd St. Bend OR 97701 www.advancedmobilityofbend.com



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Bath Techs (541) 639-9497 1562 NW 1st St. Bend OR 97703 www.bathtechs.com

See ad, page 88.

First Presbyterian Church of Bend (541) 382-4401 230 NE Ninth St. Bend OR 97701

Loans out various medical equipment to those in need for no charge. Typical loans are for approximately six weeks, but this may be negotiable. There is no cost for this service. Items may include wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, bedside commodes, shower and tub benches. Call first for to check availability.

Independent Living Aids (800) 537-2118 (Toll-free) 137 Rano Rd.
Buffalo NY 14207
www.independentliving.com

Medic Alert Foundation (800) 432-5378 (Toll-free) 5226 Pirrone Ct. Salida CA 95368 www.medicalert.org

Provides 24/7, toll-free telephone access to medical information through a variety of membership levels, starting at \$30. Also sells a variety of Medic Alert products.

Oregon Public Utility Commission (800) 848-4442 (Toll-free) (800) 648-3458 (TTY) (971) 239-5845 (VP) www.tdap.oregon.gov

Offers specialized telephone equipment or tablets at no cost to Oregon's residents who have a loss in hearing, mobility cognition, vision, and speech.

See ad, pages 84-85.

St. Charles Lifeline
(541) 706-7796
2500 NE Neff Rd.
Bend OR 97701
www.stcharleshealthcare.org/services/
home-health-care/lifeline-services

### NEEDS ASSESSMENT/CASE MANAGEMENT

For some, living independently has become difficult. Assistance with housekeeping, shopping, or meal preparation may make all the difference in their ability to keep living at home.

Services may be available from a variety of sources with different financing requirements.

### Bend Senior Care Management (541) 782-8381

2855 NW Crossing Dr., Ste. 201 Bend OR 97703

https://bendseniorcaremanagement.com

#### Oregon Home Care Commission Registry and Referral System (877) 867-0077 (Toll-free)

500 Summer St. NE, E-15 Salem OR 97301 www.or-hcc.org

An online Registry and Referral System of people interested in doing in-home work.

#### Oregon Project Independence (OPI), Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483

373 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

Helps with in-home tasks such as bathing, dressing, fixing meals, and

safety/sanitation housekeeping. OPI is for people aged 60+ or for those under 60 with dementia who could not remain in their own homes without assistance.

#### **OUT-OF-HOME CARE**

Deciding to move from your home to a supported living environment or a nursing home is one of the most important and difficult decisions that a person may have to make, either for themselves or for a family member. There are a variety of senior living choices in Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties. Ideally, individuals will plan ahead to learn about available options and how each can meet various needs. Planning ahead eases the stress that accompanies making a change in living arrangements.

Information and services are available to assist seniors and their family members who are considering placement outside the home.

### Information and Referral, Council on Aging of Central Oregon

See the ADRC listing, page 11.

#### RESPITE CARE

Eldercare Locator (800) 677-1116 (Toll-free) www.eldercare.gov

### Do you qualify for a discount?

Oregon Lifeline is a federal and state government program that provides a discount of up to \$12.75 on phone or high-speed internet service with participating companies for qualifying low-income households.

#### Apply if you receive:

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Veterans or Survivors Pension
- Federal Public Housing Assistance, or
- Your total household income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty guidelines

#### **Proof of eligibility:**

You may be required to provide proof that you qualify. Apply online, or print the application at: www.lifeline.oregon.gov/discount





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Info/application: www.tdap.oregon.gov puc.rspf@state.or.us





The Eldercare locator is a nationwide directory assistance service designed to help older adults and caregivers locate local supports and resources for aging Americans.

Family Caregiver Support Program, Council on Aging of Central Oregon (877) 704-4567 (Toll-free) 373 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.councilonaging.org

Connects Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson county residents caring for special needs individuals to respite ("time away") from their caregiving duties. Also has lists of available providers to call, out-of-home respite opportunities, and financial assistance (subsidies) for respite.

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# Housing and Support Services

### HEAT, FUEL, AND UTILITY ASSISTANCE

If you are unable to pay your bill, call your utility company before you are disconnected. Charges and fees to reconnect service after disconnection are costly. Most utility companies have some type of program or work with other agencies to assist customers

in paying utility bills, such as:

- Installment payment plans
- Payment of a set monthly amount
- Funds set aside to help low-income families
- Arrangements with the Neighbor Impact assistance program
- Referrals to local agencies that provide utility assistance
- Rebates for home upgrade that improve energy efficiency.

#### NeighborImpact, Home Energy Assistance (541) 504-2155

www.neighborimpact.org

Offers assistance to income-qualified households for the following heat sources: electricity, natural gas, propane, oil, wood and pellets. Must meet eligibility requirements.

Salvation Army (541) 389-8888 541 NE Dekalb St. Bend OR 97701 www.bend.salvationarmy.org

#### St. Vincent De Paul

See full listing and locations under Emergency Assistance, pages 36-37.

### HOME PURCHASE, REPAIR, AND REHABILITATION

Resources are available to assist residents with the purchase of affordable housing in Central Oregon. Home repair and rehabilitation assistance is also available through a number of programs. Inquire with the following agencies for help.

Advanced Mobility of Bend (541) 382-6016 1045 NE 3rd St. Bend OR 97701 www.advancedmobilityofbend.com

Cascade Sotheby's (541) 383-7600 650 SW Bond St., Ste. 100 Bend OR 97702 www.cascadesothebysrealty.com

See ad, page 89.

City of Bend Fire Department, Safety Outreach for Seniors (541) 322-6300 1212 SW Simpson Ave. Bend OR 97702 www.bendoregon.gov/fire

Safety Outreach for Seniors (SOS), a FREE safety program provided by the City of Bend Fire Department, helps identify harmful conditions in and around your home that may place you, your guests, and pets at risk of injury or even death and suggests solutions.

### Habitat for Humanity www.habitat.org

Habitat for Humanity works in partnership with people in need to build simple, decent shelter that is sold to partner families at no profit, through affordable, no-interest mortgages. Family selection is based on the need for appropriate housing, ability to pay, and willingness to partner. Home repair services may be available.

- Jefferson County Office (541) 475-9722
   49 NE 12th St.
   Madras OR 97741
- Redmond Office
   (541) 548-1406
   1242 S Hwy. 97
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters Office
   (541) 549-1193
   141 W Main Ave.
   Sisters OR 97759
- Sunriver/Newberry Office (541) 593-5005
  P.O. Box 3364
  Sunriver OR 97707

### Habitat for Humanity, ReStore www.habitat.org/restore

Non-profit home improvement stores and donation centers that sell new and gently used furniture, home accessories, building materials, and more.

- Bend Store
   (541) 312-6709
   224 NE Thurston Ave.
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Store
   (541) 475-9722
   84 SW K St.

   Madras OR 97741
- Newberry Store
   (541) 536-3234
   52684 Hwy. 97
   La Pine OR 97739
- Prineville Store
  (541) 447-6934
  1427 NW Murphy Ct.
  Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Store
   (541) 548-1406
   1242 S Hwy. 97
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters Building Supplies Store (541) 549-1621
   254 W Adams St.
   Sisters OR 97759
- Sisters Store
   (541) 549-1740
   141 W Main St.
   Sisters OR 97759

Kôr Community Land Trust (541) 797-4418 P.O. Box 6993



Bend OR 97708 www.korlandtrust.org

Kôr Community Land Trust provides permanently affordable, environmentally sustainable, and equitable homeownership opportunities for low- to moderate-income households in Bend.

See ad, page 90.

#### NeighborImpact www.neighborimpact.org

Administers a federal grant in partnership with area governments to assist low-income families and the elderly with necessary home rehabilitation. Improves the health, safety, and energy efficiency of homes for low- and moderate-income

people. Repairs such as caulking, insulating, and repair or replacement of furnaces are performed.

- Bend Office
   (541) 323-6567
   20310 Empire Blvd.
   Bend OR 97701
- Madras Office
   (541) 475-0442
   374 SW 5th St., Ste. B
   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Office (541) 416-0107 422 NW Beaver St. Prineville OR 97754



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 Redmond Weatherization Program (541) 316-2034 2303 SW First St. Redmond OR 97756

USDA Rural Development (541) 923-4358, ext. 4 625 SE Salmon Ave., Ste. 5 Redmond OR 97756 www.rd.usda.gov/or

Designed to enable very low- and low-income households to purchase modest homes in rural areas.

#### HOUSING ASSISTANCE

Housing Works (541) 923-1018 (866) 327-8877 (TTY) 405 SW 6th St. Redmond OR 97756 www.housing-works.org

Administers the HUD Housing Choice Voucher program for Central Oregon.

NeighborImpact, Rent Assistance Program (541) 548-2380 2303 SW 1st St. Redmond OR 97756 www.neighborimpact.org

Households interested in applying for deposit or rental assistance must fill out a rental assistance application.



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When funds are available, clients will be contacted based on need. Applications are available at all NeighborImpact locations.

#### Oregon Housing and Community Services (503) 986-2000 725 Summer St. NE, Ste. B Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/ohcs

Provides information on financing single-family homes, rental housing assistance, low cost rental housing by community and section 8 services.

### SENIOR/DISABLED/LOW-INCOME HOUSING

The following residences offer accommodations for low-to moderate-income older adults and people with disabilities. Rents are generally calculated based on a person's income. Older adults must be able to live independently.

#### **Bend**

Crest Butte Apartments (541) 389-9107 1695 NE Purcell Blvd., Ste. 13 Bend OR 97701

Discovery Park Lodge (541) 312-9940 2868 NW Crossing Dr. Bend OR 97701

Mountain Laurel Lodge (541) 389-7800 990 SW Yates Dr. Bend OR 97702

Pacific Crest Affordable Housing (541) 383-3618
5 NW Minnesota Ave, Ste. 210
Bend OR 97703
www.pacificcrestaffordablehousing.org
See ad, page 91.

Pilot Butte Retirement Center (541) 383-4674 (800) 714-9177 (Toll-free) 1350 NE 27th St. Bend OR 97701













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Vintage at Bend (541) 617-3985 611 NE Bellevue Dr. Bend OR 97701

#### La Pine

Little Deschutes Lodge (541) 536-5400 51725 Little Deschutes Ln. La Pine OR 97739

#### **Madras**

Canyon Villa Estates (541) 475-3202 306 SW C St. Madras OR 97740

Golden Age Manor (541) 475-3202 289 SW C St. Madras OR 97740

Madras Estates (541) 475-1969 242 SW 3rd St. Madras OR 97741

#### **Prineville**

Desert Gardens (541) 447-1320 705 NW 10th St. Prineville OR 97754

Grasshopper Village (541) 382-9046 850 NW 10th St. Prineville OR 97754

Ochoco Manor (541) 447-5811 601 NW Deer St. Prineville OR 97754

Riverside Apartments (541) 416-2117 635 S Main St. Prineville OR 97754

#### Redmond

Brentwood Manor (541) 788-3742 1121 SW Kalama Ave. Redmond OR 97756

Cottonwood Apartments (541) 548-7111 211 NW Greenwood Ave. Redmond OR 97706

Redmond Triangle (541) 923-2142 787 NW Canal Blvd. Redmond OR 97756 Reindeer Meadows (541) 548-2660 1601 SW Reindeer Ave. Redmond OR 97756

Silvergate Apartments (541) 385-1515 2001 SW Salmon Ave. Redmond OR 97756

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# Legal Assistance and Information

#### **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

If you find yourself in conflict with a neighbor, business, landlord/ tenant, or family or need help with other disputes, a trained neutral third party may be able to help.

Cascades Mediation (541) 382-3822 747 SW Mill View Way Bend OR 97702 www.mediation-bend.com

Specialize in all aspects of divorce (custody, parenting time, asset/ debt division, support, etc.) and issues involving seniors (placement, care, financial arrangements, etc.

### Community Solutions of Central Oregon

(541) 383-0187 1010 NW 14th St., Ste. 104 Bend OR 97703 www.solutionsco.org

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#### **ELDER ABUSE**

See Emergency Services, page 32.

#### FINDING AN ATTORNEY

There are several ways to find the right attorney:

- Ask friends who have used legal services for their recommendations.
- Check the attorney's references.
- Find out the attorney's specialization.
- Discuss the extent and recency of their experience in the area of concern.

A written fee agreement with the attorney, specifying hourly rates and fees, is advisable.

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#### LEGAL SELF-HELP

Several options are available to settle a dispute or debt with a neighbor or someone owing money.

### Small Claims Court (541) 617-4758

www.deschutes.org

Handles disputes involving deposits, monetary debts, or damages less than \$10,000. Attorneys are not allowed to represent either side at the hearing. If your claim is larger, you may waive the amount above

\$10,000 or hire an attorney to take your case to a higher court.

- Crook County Courthouse (541) 447-6541
   203 NE Court St., Rm. 21
   Prineville OR 97754
   www.co.crook.or.us/county-clerk
- Deschutes County Circuit Court (541) 388-5300 1100 NW Bond St. Bend OR 97703 www.courts.oregon.gov/courts
- Jefferson County Courthouse (541) 475-3317
   129 SW E St.
   Madras OR 97741
   www.courts.oregon.gov/courts/ jefferson

#### LEGAL SERVICES

Brinich and Bertalan, LLP (541) 382-4980 250 NW Franklin Ave., Ste. 101 Bend OR 97703 www.bboregonlaw.com

See ad, page 96.

De Alicante Law Group (541) 390-8961 19570 Amber Meadow Dr., Ste. 140 Bend OR 97702 www.dealicante.com

See ad, inside front cover.

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See ad, page 94.

Legal Aid Services of Oregon (541) 385-6950 (800) 678-6944 (Toll-free) 42 NW Greeley Ave. Bend OR 97703 www.lasoregon.org

A quarterly service providing free legal advice and/or representation to low-income clients in certain civil law matters.

Legal Issues for Older Adults, Oregon State Bar (800) 452-8260 (Toll-free) 16037 SW Upper Boones Ferry Rd. Tigard OR 97224 www.osbar.org

An Oregon legal information and reference guide for older adults focusing on issues of direct concern to seniors such as health care, wills, housing, property management, and age discrimination. A free PDF version is available on the website.

Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program (800) 522-2602 (Toll-free) (503) 378-6533 3855 Wolverine NE, Ste. 6 Salem OR 97305 www.oltco.org

See Advocacy and Information, page 17.

Will Dennis, Attorney at Law (541) 388-3877 438 NE Irving Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.willdennislaw.com

See ad, page 95.

#### LEGAL TERMS AND TOOLS

Without a valid will, state law determines who will receive the belongings or proceeds of an estate. There are many ways to determine how to distribute an estate. The following are some simple definitions and different methods of handling estate planning.

#### Conservatorship

The court appoints and holds a conservator accountable to assist someone who is mentally or physically incapable of managing his or her financial affairs. A conservator can be a private individual, a family member or friend, or a private company such as a bank or trust company.

#### Guardian

A guardian is a person appointed by the court to make health-care



decisions for someone who is unable, due to mental incapacity, to make those decisions for him- or herself.

#### **Handwritten or Holographic Wills**

A holographic will is entirely handwritten and signed by the testator, without witnesses. Valid in only about half of the states or under special circumstances, e.g. a soldier on the battlefield; they are not valid in Oregon.

#### Intestate

To die intestate means to die without a valid will, in which case state law determines who will receive the property of the estate. Normally this is the decedent's closest living relatives.

#### **Living Trust**

A living trust is established during one's lifetime. It is fully amendable and can be revoked during the life of the person writing it. It provides for the distribution of a person's assets to the beneficiaries in a manner indicated in the trust. Thus, upon death the person's assets passing through the trust avoid probate. A trustee named in the trust performs distribution of the assets.

Establishing a living trust for single or married persons is a fairly simple and relatively quick process and does not involve the probate court. It can be expensive to set up, so be sure to determine costs before proceeding.

### Oregon Advance Directive for Health Care

See End-of-Life Services, page 46.

#### **Personal Representative**

A personal representative can be named in a will to ensure that the decedent's estate is distributed according to his or her wishes. If no personal representative is named, the court will appoint an administrator—possibly a friend or relative, or a private entity.

For legal advice, always consult an attorney.

#### **Powers of Attorney**

A power of attorney for assets appoints an agent to manage an estate and finances in the event of a person's physical or mental incapacity. One should be careful when assigning these powers, because they can be misused by the appointed agent. All powers of attorney in Oregon are durable, which means they survive the author's incapacity. The power of attorney ceases to be effective after death, so it is not a substitute for a will or living trust.

#### **Probate**

A judicial process that establishes whether a will is a valid public document and the true last testament of the deceased.

#### **Representative Payee**

See Financial Services, page 48.

#### **Testamentary Trust**

A testamentary trust is established by a will and does not avoid probate. This type of trust becomes effective only after death and after probate of a will.

#### Will

A will specifies how assets held in your name will be distributed after your death. Assets passing under a will may require probate.

#### **NOTARY PUBLIC**

Notaries public are listed in the Yellow Pages and online. Notaries may also be found at many banks, real estate offices, and title companies. Some notaries are also mobile and can come to your home or office.

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# Recreation, Social, and Travel

Staying active as one ages is not just fun—it's healthy! In addition to local classes, you can join other older adults for art, music, dining, hobbies, socializing, sports, and travel.

#### ARTS AND CULTURE

The Art Station (541) 617-1317 313 SW Shevlin Hixon Dr. Bend OR 97702 www.bendparksandrec.org/facility/theart-station

Studio dedicated to teaching the community about the world of clay and even multimedia. Youth and adult classes offered.

Cascades Theatrical Company (541) 389-0803
148 NW Greenwood Ave.

Bend OR 97701 www.cascadestheatrical.org

This non-profit organization supports local artists and strives to provide the community with enriching entertainment. The website provides info about the mission, the schedule of theatrical productions, ways to get involved, and how to purchase tickets/donate.

### Central Oregon Symphony (541) 317-3941

15 SW Colorado Ave., Ste. 320 Bend OR 97702 www.cosymphony.com

Connects people with an array of symphony related information, including dates of upcoming events, details about programs they are hosting (e.g. 5K run), ways to purchase tickets, etc.

Jefferson County Arts Association, Art Adventure Gallery (541) 475-7701 185 SW 5th St., P.O. Box 376 Madras OR 97741 www.artadventuregallery.com

Showcases local artists. Information regarding past and future events, as well as the artists themselves, can be found on their website.

Redmond Community Concert Association (541) 350-7222

#### (541) 350-2211 (Urgent contact) P.O. Box 91 Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondcca.org

An organization working to provide Central Oregon residents with affordable performances, outreach programs, music scholarships, etc. Information regarding ticket sales, subscriptions, and FAQs can be found on their website.

Sunriver Music Festival (541) 593-1084 (541) 593-9310 (Tickets) Sunriver Village Building 13 P.O. Box 4308 Sunriver OR 97707 www.sunrivermusic.org

Provides information about upcoming events and scholarships available.

Announcements are posted regularly to keep the public informed about job and volunteer openings, concerts, etc.

#### **BICYCLING/COMMUTING**

Central Oregon Trail Alliance P.O. Box 555 Bend OR 97709 www.cotamtb.com

Commute Options (541) 668-6138 50 SW Bond St. Bend OR 97702 www.commuteoptions.org Actively promotes bicycling, walking, carpooling, teleworking, and use of public transportation to create livable communities and enhance the quality of life in Central and Eastern Oregon.

Pedestrian and Bicycle Program, Oregon Department of Transportation (541) 774-5925 355 Capitol Street NE, MS 11 Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/odot/programs/ pages/bikeped.aspx

This program, also known as the Oregon Bicycle and Pedestrian Program, provides direction to the Oregon Department of Transportation in support of walking and bicycling. The website provides links for Oregon state and Oregon coast bicycling and walking paths.

#### **EVENTS**

Deschutes County Fairgrounds and Expo Center (541) 548-2711 (541) 585-1569 (RV park) 3800 SW Airport Way Redmond OR 97756 expo.deschutes.org/expo

Event facility that offers more than 200,000 square feet of flexible meeting space with in-house catering and state-of-the-art amenities.



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**SOCIAL ACTIVITIES** 



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LIFELONG LEARNING



**SWIMMING & AQUATICS** 

You're invited to join in fun, invigorating activities and connect with others at the new Larkspur Community Center. Home of the Bend Senior Center.

With a new warm water pool, indoor walk/jog track, fitness center and group exercise rooms, Larkspur continues the senior center's great programming with even more activities including expanded therapeutic fitness offerings.

Visit bendparksandrec.org and discover everything Larkspur has to offer.

Larkspur Community Center, Home of the Bend Senior Center 1600 SE Reed Market Rd., Bend, Oregon 97702 p. (541) 388-1133 | bendparksandrec.org

#### **MUSEUMS**

Area museums depict the natural environment, history, and culture that have shaped the region.

A.R. Bowman Museum (541) 447-3715 246 N Main St. Prineville OR 97754 www.crookcountyhistorycenter.org

This museum hosts students and visitors, publishes books and field guides, presents a lecture series, conducts historical field trips, and links its collection with museums and libraries throughout the world via the Internet.

**Deschutes Historical Museum** (541) 389-1813 129 NW Idaho Ave. Bend OR 97703 www.deschuteshistory.org

This organization's aim is to gather, preserve, and make available museum, library, and other historical material relating to the history of Central Oregon

The High Desert Museum (541) 382-4754 59800 US-97 Bend OR 97702 www.highdesertmuseum.org Discover the natural world and cultural history of the West's High Desert through artful exhibits, alluring animals, engaging programs, and living history.

The Museum at Warm Springs (541) 553-3331

2189 Hwy. 26, P.O. Box 909 Warm Springs OR 97761 www.museumatwarmsprings.org

Experience the rich and colorful cultures that make up the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation Of Oregon.

Redmond Museum (541) 316-1777 529 SW 7th St. Redmond OR 97756 https://www.deschuteshistory.org/ redmond

#### **OBSERVATORIES**

Pine Mountain Observatory (541) 382-8331 56100 Pine Mountain Rd.

Bend OR 97701

https://pmo.uoregon.edu

Tours start at sunset on Friday and Saturday. Donations requested.

Sunriver Nature Center and Observatory (541) 593-4394 (General) (541) 593-4442 (Admin) 57245 River Rd.
Sunriver OR 97707
www.sunrivernaturecenter.org

Serves as the area's foremost authority on the natural sciences.

#### PARKS AND RECREATION

#### **National and State**

National Recreation Reservation Service (877) 444-6777 (Toll-free)

www.recreation.gov

Provides information about 1,700+ different recreation locations, available tours and tickets, and instructions for obtaining permits, etc.

Ochoco National Forest and Crooked River National Grassland (541) 416-6500 3160 NE 3rd St. Prineville OR 97754

Offers information about recreational activities people can engage in, passes and permits available, and local news and upcoming events.

www.fs.usda.gov/ochoco

Oregon Parks and Recreation Dept. (503) 986-0707

725 Summer St. N.E., Ste. C Salem OR 97301 www.oregon.gov/OPRD Provides information about the state parks (activities, facilities available, rates, etc). Sells annual Day Use passes. Provides information and contacts for short-term and extended-stay hosting opportunities.

State Parks and Recreation Dept., Eastern Region Office (541) 388-6211 1645 NE Forbes Rd., Ste. 112 Bend OR 97701 www.oregonstateparks.org

Provides and protects outstanding nature and scenic, cultural, historic, and recreational sites for the enjoyment and education of present and future generations.

#### U.S. Forest Service and Deschutes National Forest (541) 383-5300 63095 Deschutes Market Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.fs.usda.gov/deschutes

Works in collaboration with communities and partners to provide access to resources and experiences that promote economic, ecological, and social vitality.

#### Regional

Bend Park and Recreation District (541) 389-7275 799 SW Columbia St. Bend OR 97702 www.bendparksandrec.org Maintains a system of parks and sports facilities that offer a broad range of recreation programs and special events.

See ad, page 100.

Crook County Parks and Recreation
Department

(541) 447-1209 (541) 447-7546 (Pool) 296 S Main St. Prineville OR 97754

www.ccprd.org

Manages 13 parks and 2 campgrounds. Offers diverse recreation programs and classes for all ages.

Juniper Swim and Fitness Center (541) 389-7665 800 NE 6th St. Bend OR 97701 www.bendparksandrec.org

Offers water and exercise classes that keep seniors fit and energized. Senior rates available.

La Pine Park and Recreation (541) 536-2223 16405 1st St. La Pine OR 97739 www.lapineparks.org

Promotes healthy and active lifestyles for residents of Central Oregon by providing educational and recreational activities in safe and inviting facilities for people of all ages.

### Madras Aquatic Center (541) 475-4253

1195 SE Kemper Way Madras OR 97741 www.macrecdistrict.com

Provides water aerobics classes and other programs geared toward older adults. On Tuesdays, seniors are admitted for free.

#### Redmond Area Park and Recreation District (RAPRD) (541) 548-7275

465 SW Rimrock Dr. Redmond OR 97756 www.raprd.org

Offers an array of recreational programs for the greater Redmond, Oregon community.

Activity Center, RAPRD

 (541) 526-1847
 2441 SW Canal Blvd.
 Redmond OR 97756
 www.raprd.org/activity-center

Offers classes designed specifically for seniors.

Cascade Swim Center, RAPRD (541) 548-6066

465 SW Rimrock Dr. Redmond OR 97756 www.raprd.org/swim-center

Provides the community with a multitude of aquatic health and swim

programs. Classes are available for all levels of exercisers; from athletes to health seekers, with some specifically geared towards the senior population.

### Sisters Park and Recreation District (SPRD)

(541) 549-2091

1750 W. McKinney Butte Rd. Sisters OR 97759

www.sistersrecreation.com

Full service parks and recreation district with facilities and programs that meet the needs of constituents of all ages. Adult fitness classes are offered.

#### PASSES AND PERMITS

### The Access Pass (888) 275-8747 (Toll-free)

store.usgs.gov/access-pass

These passes for veterans and disabled person are available from a participating Federal recreation site or office, or via mail order from USGS. \$20 annually or \$80 lifetime for seniors.

### Interagency Senior Pass (541) 383-5300

63095 Deschutes Market Rd. Bend OR 97701

www.fs.usda.gov/detail/deschutes/ passes-permits

Available to U.S. citizens or permanent residents 62 and older.

Provides 50 percent discount at federal campgrounds and free entrance to most national parks and monuments. \$20 annual pass, \$80 lifetime pass. The pass, which is not transferable, can only be obtained in person at any federal recreation site. Call for a location near you.

Northwest Forest Pass (541) 383-5300 63095 Deschutes Marked Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.fs.usda.gov/detail/deschutes

Required at many National Forest trailheads and day-use sites. Day passes are available at any Forest Service office and many sporting/outdoor recreation retail vendors. \$30 annual; \$5 per day.

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (503) 947-6000 (800) 720-6339 (Toll-free) 4034 Fairview Industrial Dr. SE Salem OR 97302 www.dfw.state.or.us

Provides fishing and hunting licenses and information on wildlife habitat and fishing areas that are accessible to people with disabilities. Pioneer licenses are available to people 65 and over who have resided in the state for at least 50 years; includes an elk tag discount. Licenses must be purchased at the Bend office.

- Bend
   (541) 388-6363
   61374 Parrell Rd.
   Bend OR 97702
   www.dfw.state.or.us/agency
- Prineville

   (541) 447-5111
   2042 SE Paulina Hwy.
   Prineville OR 97754
   www.dfw.state.or.us/agency

Oregon Parks Day Use Permit (800) 551-6949

725 Summer St. NE, Ste. C Salem OR 97301 www.oregonstateparks.org

26 Oregon State Parks require a Day Use permit. Passes are available to purchase at some retail outlets, over the phone, or at any State Park District office.

Sno-Park Permits (503) 945-5000 1905 Lana Ave NE Salem OR 97314 www.oregondmv.com/dmv2u

A valid Sno-Park permit is required between November 1 and April 30. Permits are sold at all DMV offices, by permit agents, and in some retail outlets.

#### SENIOR CENTERS

These centers provide community connection for older adults. Activities,

services, and programs are just some of the benefits to be found at local centers.

Crooked River Ranch Senior Group at Heritage House (541) 504-8236 6710 SW Ranch House Rd. Crooked River Ranch OR 97760

La Pine Senior Activity Center (541) 536-6237 16450 Victory Way La Pine OR 97739 www.lapineseniorcenter.org

Larkspur Center (541) 388-1133 1600 SE Reed Market Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.bendparksandrec.org

See ad, page 100.

Madras Senior Center (541) 475-1148 860 SW Madison St. Madras OR 97741

Prineville Senior Center (541) 447-6844 180 NE Belknap St. Prineville OR 97754

Redmond Senior Center (541) 548-6325 325 NW Dogwood Ave. Redmond OR 97756 www.redmondseniors.org Sisters Senior Council, Sisters Community Church (541) 549-1201 1300 West McKenzie Hwy. Sisters OR 97759 www.sisterschurch.com

Warm Springs Senior Center (541) 553-3313 2331 High Lookee St. Warm Springs OR 97761 www.warmsprings-nsn.gov

#### **TRAVEL**

#### **Airlines**

Alaska (800) 252-7522 (Toll-free)

American (800) 433-7300 (Toll-free)

Delta (800) 455-2720 (Toll-free)

United Express/SkyWest (800) 864-8331 (Toll-free)

#### **Airport**

Roberts Field Redmond Airport (541) 504-3499 2522 SE Jesse Butler Cir. Redmond OR 97756

#### **Passport**

Applications are available at local county clerk's offices, post offices, and online. Bring an original or certified copy of your birth certificate, two identical passport photos, and a driver's license or ID card. The \$110 passport fee must be a money order or check. There is an additional and separate handling fee of \$35.

www.passportusa.org

#### **Rail Service**

Amtrak (800) 872-7245 (Toll-free) (800) 523-6590 (TTY)

www.amtrak.com





# Caregiver Support Day Respite



- 15/hr. (DHS Accepted)
- Lunch Provided
- Transportation
- Social Activities
- Intergenerational



Monday - Friday 10-4 1350 NW Canal Blvd. Redmond 541-548-3049

#### **REAL-ID**

Beginning October 2021, domestic travelers will need a REAL-ID card (or passport) to travel by air in the U.S. To get a REAL-ID-compliant state driver's license or identity card, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security requires applicants provide documentation showing their full legal name, date of birth, Social Security Number, two proofs of address of principal residence, and lawful status. REAL-ID driver licenses cost \$35; for those who do not drive. ID cards cost \$30.

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# Residential and Long-Term Care

#### **ADULT DAY SERVICES**

These community-based programs address the needs of functionally and/or cognitively impaired adults and provide much-needed assistance and respite for caregivers. Any individual who needs supervision, increased social opportunities with peers, or assistance with personal care and daily living activities will benefit from adult day services.

Thelma's Place (541) 548-3049 1350 NW Canal Blvd. Redmond OR 97756

See ad, this page.



At Prestige, our goal is to not only provide quality care, but to keep our residents active and engaged, nurturing body, heart, soul and mind.

Our assisted living community offers **Celebrations**, a wellness-focused lifestyle program that focuses on an array of wellness opportunities designed to help you celebrate life and feel your best, no matter your age.

Call (541) 312-2003 to schedule a tour today!

Prestige Senior Living High Desert 2660 NE Mary Rose Pl. - Bend, OR 97701 www.PrestigeCare.com



Prestige Senior Living, L.L.C.

#### **ADULT FOSTER HOMES**

These homes care for two to five residents at a time in a residential home setting. They offer assistance with bathing, meals, medications, laundry, cleaning, and personal needs. They are overseen by the Department of Human Services (DHS) Aging and People with Disabilities Programs, which licenses different homes to offer different levels of care.

## ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTIAL CARE COMMUNITIES

Assisted living (also known as board and care, residential care, community-

based retirement facilities, personal care, adult living, and adult foster care) is the most popular type of residential housing for older Americans. It provides a combination of residential housing, personalized supportive services, and health care that meets the needs of those who require help with activities of daily living such as dressing, bathing, and grooming but not the skilled medical care provided in a nursing center.

Ashley Manor (888) 376-7298 (Toll-free) www.ashleymanorseniorliving.com

Brookdale (844) 320-1378 (Toll-free) www.brookdale.com

- Bend Office
   (541) 210-8802
   1099 NW Watt Way
   Bend OR 97701
   www.brookdale.com/en/communities/brookdale-bend.html
- Redmond Office
   (541) 210-9864
   1942 SW Canyon Dr.
   Redmond OR 97756
   www.brookdale.com/en/communities/brookdale-redmond.html

Brookside Place (541) 504-1600 3550 SW Canal Blvd. Redmond OR 97756 www.brooksideplace.net

See ad, page 109.

Cascades of Bend Retirement Community (541) 389-0046 1801 NE Lotus Dr. Bend OR 97701 www.cascadesofbend.com

Country Side Living of Redmond (541) 548-3049 1350 NW Canal Blvd. Redmond OR 97756 www.countrysideliving.com

East Cascade Memory Care (541) 475-2273 175 NE 16th St., Bldg. A Madras OR 97741 www.eastcascadeshm.org

East Cascade Retirement Community (541) 475-2273 175 NE 16th St. Madras OR 97741 www.eastcascadeshm.org

Enlivant Company (866) 389-7531 (Toll-free) www.enlivant.com

Awbrey Place Assisted Living (458) 202-2823 2825 Neff Rd. Bend OR 97701

- Carriage Place
  (541) 416-0500
  150 SE Williamson Dr.
  Prineville OR 97754
- Chinook Place
   (541) 475-6425
   470 NE Oak St.
   Madras OR 97741

High Lookee Lodge (541) 553-1182 2321 Ollalie Ln. Warm Springs OR 97761 www.warmsprings-nsn.gov

Juniper Springs Senior Living (541) 632-6423 590 NW 23rd St. Redmond OR 97756 www.compass-living.com

See ad, inside back cover.

Mill View Memory Care (458) 202-7020 1290 SW Silver Lake Blvd. Bend OR 97702 www.millviewmemorycare.com

Mt. Bachelor Memory Care (541) 318-3322 20225 Powers Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.bendmemorycare.com

Prairie House Assisted Living (541) 508-4111 51485 Morson St.

La Pine OR 97739 www.prairiehousealf.com

Prestige Senior Living (541) 312-2003 2660 NE Mary Rose Pl. Bend OR 97701 www.prestigecare.com

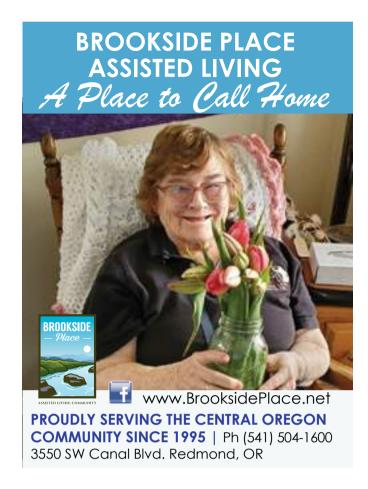
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## Regency Pacific www.regency-pacific.com

- Ochoco Village
   (541) 416-3600
   830 NE Elm St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- The Heights
   (541) 923-5452
   3000 SW 32nd St.

   Redmond OR 97756
- The Summit
   (541) 317-3544
   127 SE Wilson Ave.
   Bend OR 97701

The Lodge in Sisters (541) 549-5634 411 E Carpenter Ln. Sisters OR 97756 www.thelodgeinsisters.com



## CONTINUING CARE COMMUNITIES

These life care communities are residential campuses that provide a continuum of care from private units to assisted living and skilled nursing as needed, in one location. They guarantee a lifelong residence, unlike retirement communities, assisted living facilities, and nursing centers.

Aspen Ridge (541) 385-8500 (Retirement) (541) 312-4300 (Memory Care) 1010 NE Purcell Blvd. Bend OR 97701 www.aspenridgeretirement.com Fox Hollow, Regency Pacific (541) 383-2030 2599 NE Studio Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.regency-pacific.com

Mt. Bachelor Assisted Living and Memory Care (541) 388-9800 20215 Powers Rd. Bend OR 97702 www.mtbachelorassistedliving.com

Touchmark Mt. Bachelor Village (541) 316-8445 19800 SW Touchmark Way Bend OR 97702 www.touchmarkbend.com

## EXPLORING HOUSING OPTIONS

The Council on Aging Information and Referral Specialist has lists of potential housing availability. Contact the Council on Aging for more information.

#### **HOME CARE SERVICES**

Home care is a cost-effective alternative to hospital care or other institutional care. Clients receive health care or personal care services in their homes with the assistance of a home-care agency or via a statewide referral system of private caregivers. Daily, monthly, and hourly care (up to 24

hours a day) services are available to people of all ages. Increasingly, older people are choosing to live independently and take advantage of home care services. Services can include medical and non-medical care such as assisting with shopping, laundry, meals, and companionship.

See Home Healthcare and In-Home Assistance, page 78.

#### INDEPENDENT LIVING

Active senior communities (apartments, single family homes, condominiums, and mobile homes) are designed to enable independent older adults to enjoy a lifestyle filled with recreational, educational, and social activities among their peer group. Active senior communities often include a variety of amenities such as golf courses, tennis courts, swimming pool/spas, exercise facilities, clubhouse/lounge facilities, and library/reading lounges.

Stone Lodge (541) 516-1639 1460 NE 27th St. Bend OR 97701 www.stonelodgeretirement.com

Whispering Winds (866) 299-2920 2920 NE Conners Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.whisperingwinds.info

#### **OVERSIGHT**

Oregon Safety, Oversight, and Quality Office (503) 373-2227 P.O. Box 54930 Salem OR 97309 Itclicensing.oregon.gov

Offers a searchable directory of adult foster homes, assisted living, residential care, and nursing facilities in Oregon with information on inspections, penalties, and substantiated complaint cases that have been completed.

#### REFERRAL SERVICES

A Place for Mom (866) 518-0936 www.aplaceformom.com

A Senior Moment (541) 408-0570 (541) 788-3487

www.aseniormoment.us

See ad, this page.

## SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES

These facilities provide room and board, personal care, protective supervision, and medical care. They are licensed and regulated by the state Department of Human Services. Individually certified by the state for Medicare and Medicaid, these



A Senior Moment is committed to personally assisting you with finding the right community to meet your needs at no cost to you!

- Retirement living
- Foster care
- Memory/Alzheimer's care
- Nursing homes
- Independent living
- Assisted living

Nancy Gotchy, 541-408-0570 Tiffany Plagmann, 541-788-3487



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facilities accept a variety of payment options: Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance carriers, and private pay.

Skilled nursing facilities provide three levels of care:

- Basic Care Provides the support required to maintain a resident's activity of daily living. Personal care, ambulation, supervision, and safety.
- Skilled Care Provides the services of a registered nurse, on a regular basis, for treatments and procedures.
- Sub-Acute Provides comprehensive inpatient care to those who have had an acute illness, injury, or exacerbation of a disease process.

For a current comprehensive list of licensed nursing homes, contact a local Aging and People with Disabilities programs office or the Council on Aging Information and Referral specialist.

Bend Transitional Care (541) 382-0479 900 NE 27th St. Bend OR 97701 www.bendtransitionalcare.com

East Cascade Retirement Community (541) 475-2273 175 16th St. Madras OR 97741 www.eastcascadeshm.org

Pilot Butte Rehabilitation Center (541) 382-5531, ext. 1009 1876 NE Hwy. 20 Bend OR 97701 www.pilotbutterehab.com

Redmond Health Care Center (541) 548-5066 (877) 252-4469 3025 SW Reservoir Dr. Redmond OR 97756 www.nursinghomes.com

Regency Care of Central Oregon (541) 382-7161 119 SE Wilson Ave. Bend OR 97702 www.regency-pacific.com Regency Prineville Rehabilitation and Nursing Center (541) 447-7667 950 NE Elm St. Prineville OR 97754 www.regency-pacific.com

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## **Transportation**

There are a variety of transportation modes in Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson counties, including emergency transport, prearranged escort, fixed route, and intercity public transportation.

#### **AUTOMOBILE**

Driver and Motor Vehicles (DMV) (503) 945-5000 www.oregon.gov/ODOT/DMV

- Bend Office
   (541) 388-6322
   63085 N Hwy. 97, Ste. 110
   Bend OR 97701
- Prineville Office
   (541) 447-7855
   1595 E 3rd, Ste. A-3
   Prineville OR 97754
- Madras Office
   (541) 475-3382
   249 SW 3rd St., COCC Bldg.
   Madras OR 97741

## >>> AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) AND TRANSPORTATION

For people who are unable, due to a disability, to use the public fixed route transportation, paratransit services must be made available. These special transportation services use taxis and vans with lifts for wheelchair users.

If you need special transportation to take you to the doctor, the market, and other important places and you are unable to ride the regular bus, you may be eligible for paratransit. Call the ADA helpline: (800) 514-0301 (Toll-free)

- La Pine Office
  (541) 388-6322
  51515 Huntington Rd., Ste. 2
  La Pine OR 97739
- Redmond Office (541) 548-0140 3835 SW 21st Pl. Redmond OR 97756

## CURB-TO-CURB TRANSPORTATION

Many service agencies provide transportation to special needs clients. Some older residents may qualify. Ask your health care provider about Uber Health or other transportation help.

Dial-a-Ride, Cascade East Transit (541) 385-8680 334 NE Hawthorne Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.cascadeseasttransit.com/guide/ policies/ride-assist

Dial-a-Ride is a curb-to-curb transportation service for eligible low-income older adults and the disabled. Service coverage varies from area to area. All vans are wheelchair accessible. Registration is required.

Road to Recovery
American Cancer Society
(800) 227-2345
www.cancer.org

Provides rides to patients who have no way to get to their cancer treatment.

Warm Springs Senior Transportation (541) 553-3313 (For Senior Dining) (541) 553-2460 (For Medical Appointments)

#### INTERCITY BUS LINES

Central Oregon Breeze (541) 389-7469 (800) 847-0157 (Toll-free) 64970 Deschutes Pleasant Ridge Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.cobreeze.com

Greyhound Bus Lines
Hawthorne Station
(541) 923-1732 (Ticket, Schedule,
Route, Customer Assistance)
334 NE Hawthorne Ave.
Bend OR 97701
www.greyhound.com

Passengers with disabilities can receive special assistance. A 5 percent

discount is available for people 62+; must show photo ID as proof of age.

Pacific Crest Bus Lines www.pacificcrestbuslines.com

People Movers Grant County (541) 575-2370 (844) 808-8964 (Toll-free) Oregon Relay 711 (TTY) 229 NE Dayton St. John Day OR 97845 www.grantcountypeoplemover.com

POINT Intercity Bus Service Eastern Route (888) 846-4183 (Toll-free) P.O. Box 7881 Bend OR 97708 www.oregon-point.com

#### >>> DISABLED DRIVER PERMITS

Oregon issues parking permits to disabled people. Vehicles displaying these permits may park in specially designed and designated spaces; they are also allowed other parking privileges.

These parking permits are linked to the disabled person's driver's license or ID card. Each time the driver's license or ID card is renewed, the permit can be renewed for four or eight years, with a certificate of disability.

To apply for a disabled person parking permit, the disability must be certified by a licensed physician on an application form obtained from any local Motor Vehicles Division office, or through a request mailed to:

DMV Issuance Unit 1905 Lana Ave. NE Salem OR 97314 (503) 945-5000 www.oregon.gov/ODOT/DMV

#### **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**

Cascade East Transit (541) 385-8680 334 NE Hawthorne Ave. Bend OR 97701 www.cascadeseasttransit.com

Serving Bend, La Pine, Madras, Prineville, Redmond, Sisters, and Warm Springs, with connector routes beyond Central Oregon. Senior discount available.

Redmond Airport Shuttle (541) 382-1687 (855) 427-4888 (Toll-free) P.O. Box 5324 Bend OR 97708 www.redmondairportshuttle.net

Trip Check (800) 977-6368 (Toll-free) www.tripcheck.com

Provides accurate, reliable, multi-model transport information in Oregon.

## WHEELCHAIR AND SPECIAL NEEDS TRANSPORTATION

Fee-based services pick up passengers at homes, transport them to their destinations, and provide further assistance to reach the exact appointment location.

American Medical Transit (541) 317-3915 2200 NE Neff Rd. Bend OR 97701 www.americanmedicaltransit.com

High Desert Transport (541) 385-9238 60255 Arapaho Ln. Bend OR 97702

## Loving Lift Transportation (541) 977-6886

Provides Vet-focused, non-emergency, transportation in Central Oregon.
Wheelchair vans are available.

Modus Transportation (541) 604-0838 850 NW 12th St. Bend OR 97701 www.modustransportation.com

WayToGo Wheelchair Transport (541) 420-9281 1680 NE Cliff Dr. Bend OR 97701

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## **Veterans Services**

## VETERANS BENEFITS/ HEALTHCARE

For war veterans returning home with honor, free confidential readjustment counseling is available, including individual and group counseling and referrals for post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) treatment, alcohol and drug assessment, and suicide prevention.

Veterans with wartime service who are permanently and totally disabled and meet asset and income limits are eligible for Veterans Administration (VA) pension benefits. The Office of Veterans Services assists with filing claims for service/non-service benefits and enrollment in the VA medical program.

For Veterans Death Benefits, see page 40.

Central Oregon Vet Center (541) 749-2112 (877) 927-8347 (Toll-free, After Hours) 1645 NE Forbes Rd., Ste. 105 Bend OR 97701 www.va.gov

## Central Oregon Veterans Outreach (COVO) Rural Health Transportation (541) 383-2793 61510 S Hwy. 97, Ste. 100

Bend OR 97702

www.covo-us.org

Free service for all veterans requiring medical care at the Veterans Administration (VA) Medical Center and Hospital in Portland. Offers rides to the Bend Veterans Clinic for veterans in areas outside of Bend.

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, VA Outpatient Clinic Bend (541) 647-5200 (800) 827-1000 (Toll-free) 2650 NE Courtney Dr. Bend OR 97701

Note: NO EMERGENCY SERVICES are available at this location. Services offered: audiology, business office, clinical pharmacist. HUD/VASH, laboratory services, mental health services, optometry/eye, physical therapy, primary care, sleep studies, tele-specialty services.

Veterans Administration Hospital, Portland VA Medical Center (800) 949-1004 (Toll-free) 3710 SW U.S. Veterans Hospital Rd. Portland OR 97239

Provides health care services to veterans in Oregon.

### **Veterans Services County Offices**

Veterans Services Offices advocate for and assist veterans and their family members in applying to the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs, and other local agencies for all benefits that may be available to them.

Crook County
 (541) 447-5304
 422 NW Beaver St.
 Prineville OR 97754

- Deschutes County
   (541) 385-3214
   1130 NW Harriman St.
   Bend OR 97701
- Jefferson County (541) 475-5228
   66 SE D St.
   Madras OR 97741

#### **VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS**

#### **American Legion**

- Crook County Post 29
   (541) 447-5651

   405 N. Main St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- La Pine Post 45
   (541) 536-1402
   52532 Drafter Rd.
   La Pine OR 97736
- Madras Post 131
   (541) 325-5219
   3920 E. Ashwood Rd.
   Madras OR 97741
- Redmond Post 44
   (541) 548-5688
   704 SW 8th St., P.O. Box 145
   Redmond OR 97756
- Sisters Post 86
  (541) 903-1123
  520 E. Cascade Ave., P.O. Box 682
  Sisters OR 97759

### **Central Oregon Band of Brothers**

- Bend Chapter (541) 977-7883
- La Pine Chapter (541) 419-0372
- Prineville Chapter (541) 480-3533
- Redmond Chapter (541) 815-2642
- Sisters Chapter (541) 647-0897

Central Oregon Veterans Ranch (541) 706-9062 65920 61st St. Bend OR 97703 www.covranch.org

A working ranch that restores purpose and spirit to veterans of all ages.

Military Officers Association of America (800) 234-6622 (Toll-free) 201 N Washington St. Alexandria VA 22314 www.moaa.org

Non-profit organization serves members of the uniformed services, families, and survivors. Dedicated to preserving earned benefits for retired military and maintaining national defense.

US Department of Veteran Affairs (800) 827-1000 (Toll-free) (800) 829-4833 (TTY) (800) 273-8255 (Crisis Line) 810 Vermont Ave. NW Washington DC 20420 www.va.gov

Runs programs benefiting veterans and members of their families.

Offers education opportunities and rehabilitation services. Provides compensation payments for disabilities or death related to military service, home-loan guarantees, pensions, burials, and health care that includes the services of nursing homes, clinics, and medical centers.

## Veterans of Foreign Wars www.vfw.org

Fosters camaraderie among U.S. veterans of overseas conflicts.
Serves our veterans, their families, the military, and our communities.
Advocates on behalf of all veterans.

- Bend Post 1643
   (541) 389-0775
   1503 NE 4th St.
   Bend OR 97701
- La Pine Post 7242
   (541) 508-2701
   16480 Finley Butte Rd.
   La Pine OR 97739

- Madras Post 12141

   (541) 610-9117
   860 SW Madison Ave.

   Madras OR 97741
- Prineville Post 1412
   (541) 447-5651
   405 N. Main St.
   Prineville OR 97754
- Redmond Post 4108

   (541) 548-4108
   491 SW Veterans Way

   Redmond OR 97756

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter #820 (800) 882-1316 (Toll-free) (541) 306-9207 P.O. Box 8523 Bend OR 97708 www.vva.org

Welcomes veterans who served in Vietnam between February 28, 1961, and May 7, 1975, or in any duty location between August 5, 1964, and May 7, 1975.

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## Volunteer Opportunities

Certified Ombudsman Program
Office of the Long-Term Care
Ombudsman

See Advocacy and Information, page 17.

Council on Aging of Central Oregon (541) 678-5483

373 NE Greenwood Ave. Bend OR 97701

www.councilonaging.org

Volunteer opportunities include sign-in and kitchen assistance for senior dining and driving for Meals on Wheels. Call the Council on Aging for an application.

Volunteer Central Oregon
Better Together
(541) 693-5678
2804 SW Sixth St.
Redmond OR 97756
www.bettertogethercentraloregon.org

Better Together Central Oregon is a regional, cross-sector partnership working collectively to improve educational outcomes for children and youth from cradle to career.

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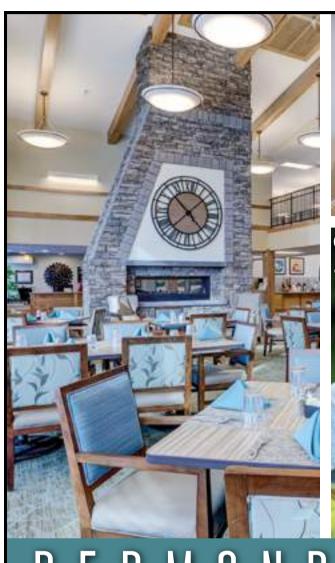
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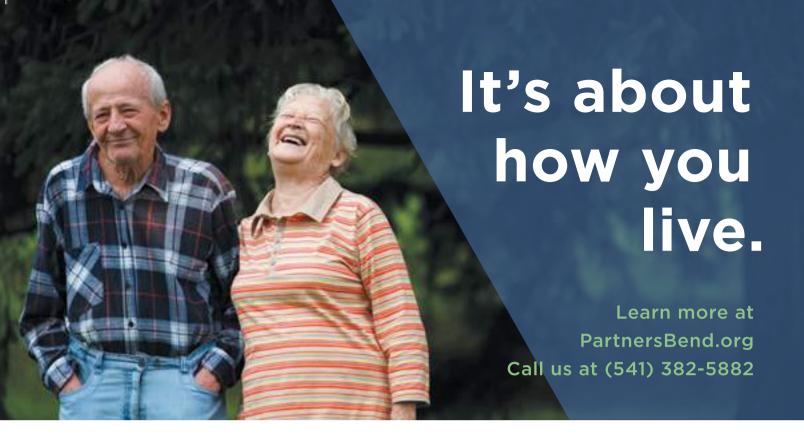
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