

# Age with Wisdom™

## Resources for Seniors and their Caregivers



#### RHODE ISLAND

 RI OHA - Office of Healthy Aging (401) 462-3000

RI resource for elderly, disabilities and their families.

 Senior Centers (401) 462-3001

Find your local center

 RI DHS (Department of Human Services) **Programs and Services** (401) 462-3002

Resources including Energy Assistance Programs, Long Term Services and Support, Medicaid/Medicare, SNAP, SSI

 My Options RI (401) 462-4444

A resource center for seniors, adults living with disabilities, or caregivers. This site helps identify opportunities available to you and helps connect you to resources in your area for free. Explore options for healthcare, employment, and more; get help with applying to public and private programs.

 RI Elder Info (401) 585-0509

Legal assistance specific for seniors

RI Bar - Legal Referral Service for the

**Elderly** (401) 521-5040

RI Bar Lawyer Referral Service will refer you to a lawyer to consult for up to a half hour for free. Reduced fee and legal assistance is available for those who qualify.

 RI Governor's Commission on **Disabilities Home Modification Grant** (401) 462-0103

The RI Livable Home Modification Grant program supplements the cost of staying in one's home.

#### **MASSACHUSETTS**

 HESSCO (781) 784-4944

Aging Services Access Point (ASAP) and Area Agency on Aging (AAA) for South Norfolk County in Massachusetts. Helping older adults and individuals living with a disability remain safe and independent at home for as long as possible.

 State of Massachusetts (800) 243-4636

Services and support designed for older adults in Massachusetts

#### CONNECTICUT

- State of CT Aging and Disability Services
  - Independent Living (860) 424-5055 Maximizing opportunities for the independence and well-being of people with disabilities

and older adults in Connecticut.

 Caregiver Resources (860) 424-5056 Caregiver supports can include;

Counseling and Support groups. Caregiver training, Respite care for caregivers, Minor home modifications and personal emergency response device installation.

- Elderly Abuse and Exploitation Resources (860) 424-5057 Legal assistance
- Care and Advocacy (860) 424-5058 Long Term Care Resources



# Age with Wisdom™

## Resources for Seniors and their Caregivers



### **NATIONAL**

- National Council on Aging
   Comprehensive, free online service to help older adults
  - My Budget CheckUp Plan Learn how you can build a plan to better manage your finances.
  - Benefits CheckUp
     Free online tool to help you find programs in your area to help afford daily expenses, live healthy, and stay independent
  - Aging Well
     Tools and resources to improve quality of life
     and tips to make the most of your money
- AARP (888) 687-2277
   Financial caregiver information
- Administration for Community Living (202) 401-4634
   Information on services for older persons and adult with disabilities
- Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB)
   Office of Older Americans (855) 411-2372
   The Money Smart for Older Adults program

can help older adults, family caregivers, and others prevent, recognize, and report scams, fraud, and financial exploitation

National Adult Protective Services
 Association
 (217) 523-4431
 Elder abuse information and reporting
 contacts
 for every state

- Social Security Administration (800) 772-1213
   Information about and application for representative payee
- Veterans Affairs
   (800) 698-2411

   Information for retirement payees
- The Conversation Project
   An initiative to help everyone talk about their wishes for care through the end of life.
   (Free guides available)
- Stanford Letter Project
   Letter templates to help provide key information for the future: What Matters Most (Advanced Care Directive), Who Matters Most (A letter to your loved ones), and I Matter Too (A Bucket List Template)