



Maryland Access Point ("MAP")

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC), known locally as Maryland Access Point (MAP), were established in 2003. MAPs are administered by the Maryland Department of Aging, in collaboration with the Maryland Departments of Health and Mental Hygiene, Disabilities, Human Resources and the Governor's Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. The ADRC initiative is sponsored by the federal Administration for Community Living, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and the Department of Veterans Affairs, and involves a national network operating in 54 states and territories.

MAP is the designated single entry point for individuals seeking long term Medicaid support services under Maryland's Balancing Incentive Program (BIP) the purpose of which is to create infrastructure and progress to shift the balance on long term services from institutional to community settings. BIP will result in an additional \$106 million in federal funding to support community based services. The MAP sites provide individual, in person counseling to individuals who are in nursing homes and who indicate a desire to move back to the community through the Money Follows the Person Program (MFP) and other state and federal referral programs.

Maryland has twenty MAP sites providing statewide direct telephone and in person assistance for consumers seeking information, referral and program support for long term services. In most cases, the Area Agency on Aging is the lead organization in the MAP structure. MAP partners include local health and social services departments, Centers for Independent Living, behavioral health agencies and other organizations through which people seek assistance.

The MAP program also provides an online, searchable resource directory to serve the public and professionals in identifying, connecting and accessing private and public resources:

www.marylandaccesspoint.info. Individuals can use the website to directly find and contact service providers or they can find an appropriate agency in their local area to contact for counseling and assistance.

Over the next three years, MAP sites will be expanded to:

- serve both older adults and individuals with disabilities;
- provide Options Counseling a person-centered approach to assisting individuals in planning their long-term care needs;
- streamline eligibility determinations;
- increase access to lower cost community-based alternatives that can help avoid institutional care;
- simplify operational infrastructures at the State and local levels by creating clear paths to services and referrals; and,
- provide sustainable funding sources to local sites.

MAP Contacts:

https://acl.gov/programs/connecting-people-services/aging-and-disability-resource-centers-programno-wrong-door (Federal ADRC website)

www.marylandaccesspoint.info (Maryland Access Point searchable website)

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Maryland's Area Agencies on Aging

Contact your local Area Agency on Aging to connect to programs and services for older adults, individuals with disabilities, and their families.

For a downloadable PDF and director listing, visit: https://aging.maryland.gov/Pages/area-agencies-on-aging.aspx

Allegany County
Human Resources Development
Commission

125 Virginia Avenue Cumberland, MD 21502 301-777-5970

Anne Arundel County
Department of Aging and
Disabilities

2666 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401 410-222-4464

Baltimore City
Division of Aging and Care
Services

417 E. Fayette St., 6th Floor Baltimore, MD 21202 410-396-4932

Baltimore County
Department of Aging

611 Central Avenue Towson, MD 21204 410-887-2109

Calvert County
Office on Aging

450 West Dares Beach Road Prince Frederick, MD 20678 410-535-4606 ext. 123

Caroline, Kent, Talbot Upper Shore Aging, Inc.

100 Schauber Road Chestertown, MD 21620 410-778-6000

Carroll County Bureau of Aging and Disabilities

125 Stoner Avenue Westminster, MD 21157 410-386-3800 Cecil County
Department of Community
Services

200 Chesapeake Boulevard Suite 2550 Elkton, MD 21921 410-996-5295

<u>Charles County</u> Aging and Human Services

8190 Port Tobacco Road Port Tobacco, MD 20677 301-934-9305

Dorchester, Somerset, Wicomico, Worcester

MAC, Inc.
909 Progress Circle

Salisbury, MD 21804 410-742-0505 ext. 102

Frederick County
Department of Aging

1440 Taney Avenue Frederick, MD 21702 301-600-1605

Garrett County
Area Agency on Aging
104 East Center Street

Oakland, MD 21550 301-334-9431

Harford County Office on Aging

145 North Hickory Avenue Bel Air, MD 21014 410-638-3025 Howard County
Office on Aging and
Independence

9830 Patuxent Woods Drive Columbia, MD 21046 410-313-6052

Montgomery County
Department of Health and
Human Services

401 Hungerford Drive, 3rd Floor Rockville, MD 20850 240-777-3000

Prince George's

Department of Family Services

6420 Allentown Road Camp Springs, MD 20748 301-265-8450

Queen Anne's County Area Agency on Aging

104 Powell Street Centerville, MD 21617 410-758-0848 ext. 2700

St. Mary's County
Department of Aging & Human

Services

41780 Baldridge Street Leonardtown, MD 20650 301-475-4200 ext. 1070

Washington County
Commission on Aging

535 E. Franklin Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740 301-790-0275 ext. 203

MAP, CIL and Disability Partners Locations

