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Department of Senior Affairs 714 7th Street SW Albuquerque, NM 87102

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Dear Friends:

The Department of Senior Affairs is pleased to welcome Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Mexico as the new sponsor of our Quick Guide to Senior Services. The 2014 Quick Guide to Senior Services contains contact information about new resources as well as those that have served the Albuquerque area throughout the years. Our seniors, their Caregivers and friends will all have

a wealth of information in one place to help them live better and answer their questions in our updated Quick Guide to Senior Services.

Look inside these pages to see the variety of resources available to you in our community, including:

- Benefits and Assistance Programs
- Consumer and Legal services
- Education Programs
- Health and Wellness Programs
- Home Services
- In-Home Care and Caregiver Resources
- Senior Centers
- Nutrition Resources
- And More!

Please call our Senior Information Line at (505) 764-6400 for information regarding the services and program offered by the City of Albuquerque's Department of Senior Affairs. Individuals are available to help you Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. If you prefer to gather information via the computer, our website is <a href="www.cabq.gov/seniors">www.cabq.gov/seniors</a> and our e-mail address is <a href="seniorinformation@cabq.gov">seniorinformation@cabq.gov</a>.

Age Well Albuquerque!

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# Senior Information...*Linking Seniors and Services Together* 505-764-6400

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714 Seventh Street SW Albuquerque, NewMexico 87102 www.cabq.gov/seniors Fax: (505)764-6455; TTY (505)764-6405

(505)764-6400

#### SERVICES AND OPPORTUNITIES

### **Senior Information Line** (505)764-6400

- \* Information, referrals, and assistance on senior concerns/issues.
- \* Linkages to senior services and to other community resources.

#### Recreation

- Breakfast and Lunch
- Recreation and Learning
- 4 Sports and Fitness Ctrs & Programs
- 6 Senior Centers
- 2 Multigenerational Center
- Planet 50+ Activities

#### **Senior Social Services** Care Coordination

- Home Chores, Repair, Retrofit
- Senior Information Line

#### **Volunteer Programs**

- Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (R.S.V.P.)
- Foster Grandparent Program
- Senior Companion Program

#### **Transportation/Nutrition**

- Home-Delivered Meals
- Satellite Senior Centers Recreation Lunch
- Transportation

The information in this Quick Guide to Senior Services is correct, to the best of our knowledge, as of January 2014. Inclusion of a service does not imply endorsement, nor does exclusion reflect on the quality of service.

The Department of Senior Affairs requests contributions to offset expenses for some services and materials: meals, exercise classes, transportation, and Home Chores, Home Repair, and Home Retrofit services. No one will be denied service if he/she chooses not to contribute.

### **INFORMATION**

**Department of Senior Affairs – DSA Senior Information, 714 Seventh SW......764-6400** 

Information & referral to community services for Bern caregivers, and service providers.	alillo County residents aged 60+,
Ask United Way – Albuquerque, 2340 Alam 2nd Floor, M-F, 8a.m. – 5p.m	o Ave SEMain: 247-3671 Info & Referral: 211 or 245-1735
<b>AARP Information Center – Albuquerque,</b> 19 MonThurs., 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Fri. 10a.m 1 p.m.	930 Juan Tabo Blvd NE, Ste J, 87112 <b>830-3096</b>
	- 8 p.m., Eastern Time1-800-677-1116 www.eldercare.gov
	DisabilitiesTTY 505-272-0321
Santa Fe (Aging & Disability esource Cent	ors outside Bernalillo County: Deptwww.nmaging.state.nm.us er)1-800-432-2080222-4500 or 1-866-842-9230
<b>Sandoval County Senior Program</b> Camino del Pueblo, (Mail: P.O. Box 40, Bernalillo 87004	<b>867-753-5711</b>
<b>Torrance County Senior Office</b>	
<b>Valencia County Older American Program</b> 715-A South Main, Belen 87002	864-6739 or 864-2663
EMER	GENCY
Emergency911	Albq Citizens Contact Center For City Wide Information 311 (Mon Sat. 6 a.m - 9 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m 6 p.m.)
Non-Emergency	
Sheriff's Department798-7000 Co Adult Protective Services (APS) (24/7)*	ty Fire/Rescue833-7397 bunty Fire Department/Rescue798-7000 Adult1-866-654-3219
Sheriff's Department798-7000 Co Adult Protective Services (APS) (24/7)*	exploitation of individuals 18 years & older. Offers  277-3013 or 1-866-HELP-1-NM
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#### BENEFITS AND ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

#### **Medicare and Related Programs**

The statewide HIBAC benefits counseling program provides information, assistance, and counseling relating to Medicare, Medicaid, supplemental health insurance, and other benefits programs.
Health Insight New Mexico
Medicare Information1-800-633-4227
Provides information about enrollment, replacement cards, change of addresswww.medicare.gov plan choices, billing questions, Medicare approved discount cards, Medicaid & more.
<b>Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP),</b> N.M. Aging & Long Term Services Dept1-800-432-2080 Educates Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries on ways to protect Medicare and Medicaid funding. Responds to concerns about providers who perhaps have committed fraud against Medicare and Medicaid. Free counseling services for beneficiaries regarding Medicare & Medicaid billing.
Social Security Eligibility and Applications

## New Mexico Human Services Department Income Support Division (ISD)

www.state.nm.us/hsd

Northeast: 4330 Cutler NE	222-9600
for residents east of San Mateo & north of Central, Mon Fri., 8a.m 4:30p.m.	
Northwest: 1041 Lamberton Place NE	841-7700
for residents west of San Mateo & north of Central	
Southeast: 1711 Randolph Rd SE	383-2600
for residents south of Central & east of the river, including the East Mountain area	
Southwest: 3280 Bridge SW	841-2300
for residents west of the river & south of Central, including Isleta Pueblo	

**EBTCard/SNAP, formally Food Stamps** – Eligibility information at your nearest area office. (See addresses/phone #s listed above.)

#### **Medicaid (Institutional)**

Coverage for high or low level nursing homecare, other medicale xpenses and Medicare Part B premium. Must qualify medically and financially. (See addresses/phone #s listed above.)

Security Income (SSI) at the Social Security Administration.

#### **QMB – (Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries)**

Assistance with Medicare co-insurance, Medicare deductible and Medicare Part B premium for low income Medicare beneficiaries. (See addresses/phone #s listed above.)

#### **SLIMB-(Specified Low Income Medicare Beneficiaries)**

Assistance with Medicare Part B premium only for low income Medicare beneficiaries. (See addresses/phone #s listed above.)

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#### **Social Security Administration**

Social Security Administration, 4300 Cutler NE ......1-800-772-1213 (Toll Free)
Open 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.....www.socialsecurity.gov

#### **Disability Benefits**

Benefits determined by past earnings for permanently disabled persons who have worked 5 of the last 10 years prior to becoming disabled.

#### Retirement (age 62 - 67) Dependent, Survivor's Benefits.

Benefits determined by earnings & averaged over most of a worker's lifetime.

#### **Supplemental Security Income (SSI)**

Supplemental financial assistance for persons who are blind, disabled or 65 years old or older and whose income and certain assets are below the SSI eligibility amount. Recipients automatically qualify for Medicaid.

#### V.A. Administration and Benefits/Services

**Mayor's Office of Veterans' Affairs**, City of Albuquerque, One Civic Plaza NW......(505)768-3011 Offers are source center for many different kinds of services for all veterans in Albuquerque. Help is provided for veterans' families and survivors in achieving the quality of life deserved after their service for our country. Assists in referring veterans and family members to the most appropriate resources that can address needs such as immediate counseling after serving on a combat deployment; assistance with a disability claim; find ing healthcare; locating employment; education support; or meeting housing concerns. Additional information is available at http://www.cabq.gov/mayors-office-of-veterans-affairs/.

**Social Work Services, VA Medical Center, 1501 San Pedro Drive SE......265-1711ext 4878**Provides treatment and coverage of social services to veterans.

#### **Utility Assistance Programs**

**Good Neighbor Fund (Electric only)**The Storehouse, 106 Broadway SE. Funding available year round. Assistance provided only once per calendar year. Open Tuesday through Friday, 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. for funding.

for residents south of Central & east of the river, including the East Mountain area

for residents west of the river & south of Central, including Isleta Pueblo

Low Income Telephone Assistance Program (LITAP) - Century Link or LHEAP.....1-800-244-1111 A link-up service that provides a discount on telephone service to Medicaid, Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB) & LIHEAP recipients. Required documentation: Medicaid card or LIHEAP certificate.

Call to find out the date, time and location of our next Senior Assistance Fair.

<b>Low-Income Water Credit Program</b>
For other available resources, call <b>DSA Senior Information</b>
CONSUMER AND LEGAL ASSISTANCE
Advance Directives: Packet containing NM Power of Attorney for Health Care and Instructions for Health Care and End-of-Life Decisions, and Cremation Authorization.  Available at the Department of Senior Affairs' Senior Information office (764-6400) and at monthly Advance Directives workshopsprovided by the Senior Citizens' Law Office at North Valley Senior Center (761-4025). Financial power of attorney forms also available at these workshops.
Albuquerque Bar Association
Lawyer Referral Service
Housing924-3450
Attorney General's Office
Consumer Protection Division222-9000, 222-9100 or 1-800-678-1508
Santa Fe1-800-678-1508
Assistance with consumer complaintswww.ago.statenm.us
Better Business Bureau of Southwest
Bridge to Justice Program
<b>Certificates</b> Certified copies of certificates of births occurring in New Mexico. \$10 fee. Valid government-issued photo ID required. Information on how to get out-of-state birth certificates. Death Certificates not issued in Albuquerque, however, available through NM Vital Records in SantaFe.*
Vital Records, Albuquerque
Birth Certificates 841-4185 Death Certificates 1-866-534-0051 *New Mexico Vital Records & Health Statistics, Santa Fe. 841-4185 www.vitalchek.com
Division of Insurance, N.M. Public Regulation Commission, Santa Fe
Investment Fraud, Securities Division, 2550 Cerrillos Rd, Santa Fe, NM1-800-704-5533 ext 3 PO Box 25101, 87504-5101
Law Access New Mexico
with civil legal problems. Weekdays Monday thru Friday.
Money Management International/CCCS 24hr Service1-888-845-5669 Helps people help themselves solve financial problemswww.moneymanagement.org
through counseling, debt management and education.
through counseling, debt management and education.  New Mexico Long Term Care Ombudsman

New Mexico Regulation and Licensing Departmentwww.rld.state.nm.us/securities New Mexico Legal Aid (Medicaid, FS, GA, TANF, unemployment)243-7871 Provides assistance with legal and denial of benefits issues to income-eligible clients in Bernalillo County.
Office of Guardianship(505) 476-7332 or 1-888-779-6183 Provides guardianship services to income & resource eligible adults.
Public & Legal Services Dept.  Lawyers Care – 30 min./\$30.00 consultation w/attorney
Senior Citizens' Law Office
State Bar of New Mexicowww.nmbar.org UNM Law Clinic
DISABILITIES PROGRAMS
Albuquerque Stroke Club
Community Outreach Program for the Deaf (COPD)
<b>Curb-Side Residential Trash Collection</b> , City of Albuquerque Solid Waste Dept <b>761-8100</b> or <b>311</b> Requires a doctor's letter that can be faxed "Attention Residential."(FAX) <b>761-8187</b> Special arrangements for people with a disability or illness who need assistance getting garbage cart to curb.
Curb-Side Solid Waste Collection 761-8100 Residential trash collection (FAX) 761-8300
<b>DSA Home Retrofit Program, Department of Senior Affairs764-6400</b> Wheelchair ramps, grab bars, safety rails and bathroom safety equipment for income-eligible people of all ages living within city limits. Services to income-eligible county seniors aged 60+ as funding allows.
<b>Adelante</b> (Back in Use)
Handicap License Plates and Placards Refer to Transportation Section of this Quick Guide under ID Card/Motor Vehicle Division or call DSA Senior Information
Independent Living Resource Center 4665 Indian School Rd Ste #100
Center for Development and Disability Information Network1-800-552-8195 Information & referrals to appropriate programs for New Mexicans who have disabilities272-8549
New Mexico Commission for the Blind

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New Mexico Commission for Deaf	(Voice/TTY) <b>1-800-489-8536</b>
<b>&amp; Hard of Hearing Persons</b> - 8 am - 5 pm Lending library, workshops, communication access assistance, equipment.	881-8824
loan bank & advocacy services.	www.iiiicaiiii.org
New Mexico Technology Assistance Program	1-800-866-2253
435 St. Michael's Dr Bldg D. SantaFe	www.nmtap.com
Relay New Mexico2	<b>92-0454</b> or <b>1-800-659-1779</b>
Free telephone service for deaf, hard of hearing, and speech impaired pers	onswww.relaynm.org
Telephone equipment available to New Mexico residents free of charge the	rough the Commission for Deaf
and Hard of Hearing (CDHH) - see above listing.	1 000 650 0331
Voice/TTY	1-800-659-8331
EDUCATION	
Defensive Driving Classes	
Classes for persons aged 50+ which can entitle them to a discount on their	auto insurance.
Small fee for classes.	
AAA Driver Improvement Program	291-6611
Classes on-line	291-6611
American Automobile Association, 10501 Montgomery Blvd. NE	
Mon Fri., 9 a.m 5:30 p.m., Sat., 10 a.m 2p.m.	
AARP Driver Safety Program/Mature Driving 1931 Juan 7	Гаbo Blvd. NE. Suite J
To register for a class, contact a local senior center. <b>For class info</b>	rmation,
call the AARP Information Center, Mon Fri., 10 a.m. – 4 p.n	n830-3096
Central New Mexico Community College (CNM)	Info Desk 224-3000
Offers occupational & trade classes, Arts & Science courses	Enrollment 224-3160
a customized workforce training program	www.cnm.edu
Community EducationFor Registration	n and information 224-5506
Lifelong learning opportunities for students of all ages on many top	oics
ranging from basic art classes, computer literacy, and more. Fees are	e reasonable.
G.E.D., Adult Basic Education, and English as a Second	<b>Language:</b> \$10 <b>224-4282</b>
Department of Senior Affairs – DSA Senior Centers	
Offer a variety of classes including computer, language, literature/writing, a	art, dance,
drama, and more for ages 50+. Call individual senior center for details.	
(See "Senior Centers" for telephone numbers.)	
Life Long Learning for NewMexicans (LLL)	888-7370; Catalog 888-7370
	ww.lifelonglearningnm.org
No membership fee. Small fee per class.	222 222
OASIS (Enriching the Lives of Mature Adults)	889-0927
Arts, humanities and health maintenance classes/fieldtrips for persons age Membership & class fees. Volunteer opportunities. Intergenerational tutori	
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UNM Continuing Education	www.ace.unm.eau
Information and Registration10% discount for senior citizens aged 65+ for most classes.	277-0077
EMPLOYMENT	
<b>New Mexico Work Force Connections</b> 501 Mountain Road NE - Testing and assessment, resumé assistance	843-1900
DUT MOUNTAIN KOAD NE - TESTING AND ASSESSMENT, resume assistance	www.jobs.state.nm.us
employment counseling, assistance with job placement & training. Information on unemployment benefits, etc	841-4000

#### **Title V Senior Employment Programs**

Work experience programs to retrain low-income persons aged 55+ and assist them with job placement. Twenty hours per week at minimum wage.

Goodwill Industries Senior Community Service Employment Program	881-6401
5000 San Mateo NE	998-2896
National Indian Council on Aging	292-2001

#### **HEALTH CARE**

#### **Addiction Referral Programs**

ALANON www.nmal-anon.org	262-2177
Alcoholics Anonymous Information	
Gamblers Anonymous	260-7272
Gamblers Hotline (New Mexico Council on Problem Gambling)	
Narcotics Anonymous	260-9889
Nicotine Anonymous	265-8113
Overeaters Anonymous	
Albuquerque Metropolitan Central Intake (AMCI)	

#### **Health Information Lines**

Alzheimer's Helpline	266-4473 or 2	4 - hour hotline 1-800-272-3900
Answers questions about Alzheimer's, dementia and	aid programs; gives re	eferrals to appropriate services.

New Mexico Health Exchange......www.bewellnm.com.....1-855-NMHIX (66449)
Health insurance under the Affordable Care Act.

**Prescription Drug Information Line.....1-800-432-2080** NM State Attorney General's Office compares prices......www.ago.state.nm.us of randomly selected drugs at local pharmacies.

#### Health Programs - Senior

American Heart and Stroke Association......(505)353-5800 Mission is to build healthy lives free of Cardio Vascular diseases and stroke.

#### **GEHM Clinics - Geriatric Education and Health Maintenance - UNM College of Nursing**

Nurse-managed clinics provide a variety of health promotion services for persons 55 & over. Services include: blood pressure & diabetes screening; health assessments; counseling related to nutrition, health problems, aging process, medication management; diabetic self-management education and more. Appointments required for fitness physicals. Donations accepted but not required. All clinics held from 9 a.m. - 1p.m. Call the following senior centers for clinic dates at their centers:

<b>Barelas</b> , 714 7th SW	764-6436
Highland, 131 Monroe NE	
Los Volcanes, 6500 Los Volcanes NW	
Manzano Mesa Multigenerational Center, 501 Elizabeth SE	275-8731
NorthDomingo Baca Multigenerational Center, 7521 Carmel Ave. NE	764-6475
NorthValley, 3825 4th NW	761-4025
South Valley Multi-purpose Center, 2008 Larrazolo Rd. SW	

#### Senior Health Center, University Hospital,.....272-1754

1101 Medical Arts Avenue NE (Build-ing 4, Suite A)

Healthcare professionals evaluate and treat the special medical problems of people 65 and older. Monday through Friday, 7a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

### Health Programs - Other

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<b>Albuquerque Speech, Language and Hearing Center</b>	h
<b>Community Dental Services, Inc.</b> (Medicaid accepted). Appointments required for 6 & dentures/partials/crowns. Early AM emergency clinic. Call first for details.  General dentistry at:	general dentistry
2116 Hinkle SE	<b>00</b> or <b>345-8309</b>
Dental Care in Your Home.  Complete dental care for individuals who are home bound due to illness, accident, special	615-0951 needs or age.
First Choice Community Health Care For information regarding locations and medical/dental appointments, call831-25 Healthcare clinics. Fees based on income (bring proof of income). Medicare assignment an accepted. Prescription discounts fo rincome-eligible persons.	<b>34</b> or <b>873-7400</b> d Medicaid
Stanford Public Health Office, 1111 Stanford NE Preventive health services. S.T.D. (Sexually Transmitted Disease) clinic. Issues birth certificate	<b>841-4100</b> res.
<b>Prescription Drug Assistance Program</b> Information about free & discounted prescription drugs	
MEDBANK — NM Aging & Long Term Services Dept1	-800-432-2080
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Mental Health Programs	
Mental Health Programs  Lovelace Medical Center, 601 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd NE, 3rd Floor	727-8855
Mental Health Programs  Lovelace Medical Center, 601 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd NE, 3rd Floor Inpatient treatment for people 50+ with mental health and behavioral disorders.  NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness), Albuquerque	<b>727-8855</b> <b>256-0288</b> les.
Mental Health Programs  Lovelace Medical Center, 601 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd NE, 3rd Floor	256-0288 ies272-2800
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### Presbyterian Senior Connection......823-8352 A community membership program, for ages 60 and over, focusing on the special wellness needs of seniors. Provides health promotion, education and social opportunities. Reasonable one-time enrollment fee. **HOME SERVICES** American Red Cross Emergency Minor Home Repair......265-8514 7445 Pan American W. Fwy NE. Minor repairs for occupant homeowners who live within the city limits and **Department of Senior Affairs DSA Home Services Programs** \*Contributions requested. No one will be denieds ervices if he/she chooses not to contribute. Chore services such as seasonal light yard cleaning and installation of smoke detectors for frail and/or low income Bernalillo County homeowner occupants aged 60+. DSA Home Retrofit\*\_\_\_\_\_\_764-6400 Wheelchair ramps, grab bars and bathroom safety equipment. Under 60 years old, disabled individuals within city limits only, must meet income guidelines. 60+ through out Bernalillo County with no income criteria DSAMinorHomeRepair\*......764-6400 Minor repairs for low income homeowner occupants over 60 within Bernalillo County. Non-licensed work only. **Home Owners Rehabilitation Programs** Office of Neighborhood Revitalization, City of Albuquerque.......767-5825 Bernalillo CountyHousing Dept., 1900 Bridge SW......314-0208 Weatherization (Central New Mexico Housing Corporation)......345-4949 703 Osuna Rd NE, Ste #2. Weatherization for low-income occupant homeowners within Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia counties and some pueblos. Assessment for energy conservation measures. Does not provide skirting for mobile homes. No water bills paid. **HOUSING** Albuquerque Apartments .......www.apartmentguide.com Search for information on affordable rental housing. Check with libraries & community centers about accessing their computers.

adults, etc.	ionic parks for
Housing Discrimination Housing Discrimination Hotline	
<b>Landlord/Tenant Problems – New Mexico Legal Aid</b> , 301 Gold SW 7102 Public benefits, domestic violence victims only, landlord, and other civil legal matters for le	
Office of Neighborhood Coordinationwww.cabq.gov/planning/our-department/office-of-neighborho	924-3914 od-coordination
<b>Peak Management Inc.</b> , 2716 San Pedro NE, Ste. D 87110 Listings of housing for seniors and the disabled. HUD assisted, 30% of income.	830-9808
Rental Assistance and Public Housing Information	
Albuquerque Housing Authority, 1840 University Blvd. SE	764-3920

Bernalillo County Housing Dept., 1900 Bridge SW......314-0200

Reverse Home Equity Loan Information......www.aarp.org/money/revmort Government program allowing seniors to draw down money on their home equity. For information visit AARP website.

#### IN-HOME CARE AND CAREGIVER RESOURCES

#### Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation

#### **NM Aging and Long Term Services Department**

#### **New Mexico Children, Youth & Families**

Statewide Central Intake & Foster Future Hotline.......1-855-333-7233 (from cell phone #7233) Investigates all allegation of ABUSE, NEGLECT and/or EXPLOITATION.......www.state.nm.uss/cyfd of individuals 18yrs and older. Offers services to prevent or remedy above situations.

#### **Care Coordination**

#### **Homemaker Services**

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#### **Respite Care**

**Adult Day Services (Licensed)**, Safe and pleasant places for frail elders aged 60+ and adults with disabilities age 18+ to stay during the day. Prevent premature institutionalization, provide respite for caregivers and provides social and recreational activities. Snacks, lunch and limited transportation to and from site. Limited Area Agency on Aging Resources are available to support adult daycare services for people aged 60+.

Cornucopia, 2002 Bridge Blvd. SW		877-1310
Share Your Care	www.shareyourcare.org	298-1700
Barelas, 714 Seventh SW		764-6445
Bear Canyon, 4645 Pitt NE		291-6219
Los Volcanes, 6500 Los Volc	anes NW	836-8797
North Valley, 3825 Fourth N	IW	761-4001
Ponderosa, 5301 Ponderosa	NE	881-8982
Respite Care		
For eligibility assessment, call DSA Senior	Information	764-6400
In-home care for frail elders whose caregivers	need temporary relief.	

**Respite Voucher Program, Alzheimer's Association......266-4473** or **1-800-272-3900** Financial assistance for caregivers of individuals with Alzheimer's/dementia.

## Extensive Long-Term Care Programs

(Nursing Home Alternatives)	
Centennial Care (Medicaid), Human Services Department	
Application questions, Medicaid Expansion Hotline	1-855-637-6574
<b>General questions</b> , Medicaid benefits/coverage/getting a new Medicaid card	1-888-997-2583
Centennial Care (Medicaid), Managed Care Organizations, Member Services Toll Free Contact numbers:	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1-866-689-1523
Molina Health Care	1-877-373-8986
Presbyterian Health Plan	505-923-5157
Outside Albuquerque	
United Healthcare Community Plan	1-877-236-0826
InnovAge Greater NM PACE Program, 904-A Las Lomas, Albuquerque	al clinic, adult day vhen needed) for se-
<b>NM Aging &amp; Long Term Services Department</b> , Aging and Disability Resource Centennial Care (Medicaid), Community based Central Registry Waiting List	
Caregiver and Other Services	
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Alzheimer's Helpline266-4473	or <b>1-800-272-3900</b>
Alzheimer's Helpline	<b>842-8206</b> r someone 60 or older.
The Care for Caregiver Program, Area Agency on Aging  Offering free, one day retreats for Caregivers 60 years old or older or who are caring for Meeting in a supportive atmosphere to discuss and share experiences. Call for further	<b>842-8206</b> r someone 60 or older. information.
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A public notification system to broadcast information about missing persons whos uffer from Alzheimer's disease and/or dementia. Caregivers register their 60 and older person through the Dept. of Senior Affairs, which places a picture and vital information on a USB drive and gives it to the Caregiver. When the caregiver determines their person is missing, they provide the Albuquerque police with the USB drive. If the person is not found immediately, the Silver Alert will be issued, notifying all media sources of the importance of finding the person as quickly as possible.

#### **NUTRITION RESOURCES**

# Department of Senior Affairs SA Senior Centers and Satellite Senior Centers

\*Lunch contributions requested. No one will be denied services if he/she chooses not to contribute.

Breakfast and lunch for seniors aged 50+. Fee charged.

Bear Canyon Senior Center, 4645 Pitt NE, 87111	767-5595
Highland Senior Center, 131 Monroe NE, 87108	256-2000
Palo Duro Senior Center. 5221 Palo Duro NE. 87110	888-8102

Breakfast. Fee charged. Lunch for seniors aged 60+. Contribution requested.\* Fee charged for guests under age 60. Must call before 12:00 noon the day before you want a reservation.

Barelas Senior Center, 714 Seventh SW, 87102	764-6436
Los Volcanes Senior Center, 6500 Los Volcanes NW, 87121	836-8745
Manzano Mesa Multigenerational Center, 501 Elizabeth SE, 87123	275-8731
North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Center, 7521 Carmel Ave. NE 87113	
North Valley Senior Center, 3825 Fourth NW, 87107	

Lunch for seniors aged 60+. Contribution requested.\* Fee charged for guests under age 60. Must call before 12:00 noon the day before you want a reservation. Activities and socialization opportunities. Transportation provided for neighborhood participants at some sites. Monday through Friday,9 a.m. - 2p.m.

Alameda Satellite, 9800 Fourth NW, 87114	897-8896
Armijo Satellite, 1714 Centro Familiar SW, 87105	873-0047
Embudo Towers Satellite, 8010 Constitution NE, 87110	764-6474
Encino Gardens Satellite, 412 Alvarado SE, 87108	266-7736
Encino Terrace Satellite, 609 Encino Place NE, 87102	247-4185
La Amistad Satellite Senior Center, 415 Fruit NE, 87102	848-1395
La Mesa/Cesar Chavez Community Center, 7505 Kathryn SE, 87108	256-2680
Los Duranes Community Center, 2920 Leopoldo NW, 87104	767-5900
Mountain Communities/Tijeras Senior Center, #10 Tijeras Ave., Tijeras, 87059	286-4220
Pajarito Satellite Senior Center, 6080 Isleta Blvd SW, 87105	873-6617
Paradise Hills Satellite, 5901 Paradise Blvd NW 87114	314-0246
Princess Jeanne Satellite Senior Center, 11401 Indian School Rd. NE 87112	291-6298
Rio Bravo Satellite Senior Center, 3910 Isleta Blvd. SW, 87105	873-6647
Shalom House, 5500 Wyoming NE, 87109	823-1434
South Valley Multi-Purpose Senior Center, 2008 Larrazolo Rd. SW, 87105	468-7604
Taylor Ranch Community Center, 4900 Kachina Street NW, 87120	768-6006
Thomas Bell Community Center, 3001 University SE, 87106	848-1333
Wainwright Manor Satellite, 5601 Gibson SE, 87108	764-6474
Whispering Pines Satellite Senior Center, #6 Lark Road, Tijeras, 87059	281-8003

### **Home-Delivered Meals**

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Albuquerque Meals-On-Wheels823-8060
Home-delivered meals and daily social contact for the elderly, homebound, convalescing, and disabled. Spe-
cial diets available and special rates may be available. No age restrictions. Mon. thru Fri., 9 am - 2 pm.
DSA Home-Delivered Meals, Department of Senior Affairs
Initial requests
Meal delivery information
Home-delivered meals for frail homebound elderly 60+ who cannot cook for themselves and have no one
available to cook for them. Heart-healthy meals. Limited frozen weekend meals. Contributions requested. No
one will be denied services if he/she chooses not to contribute.
Other Food Sources
Commodities
Call for locations: Roadrunner Food Bank247-2052 ext. 125
TEFAP (The Emergency Food Assistance Program) emergency food boxes for low-income persons
distributed at various food pantrieswww.rrfb.org
<b>EBT Card/SNAP, formally Food Stamps</b> , Income Support Division, N.M. Human Services Department
Eligibility information at nearest area Income Support Office:
Northeast: 4330 Cutler NE
for residents east of San Mateo & north of Central
Northwest: 1041 Lamberton Place NE841-7700
for residents west of San Mateo & north of Central
Southeast: 1711 Randolph SE
for residents south of Central & east of the river, including the East Mountain area
<b>Southwest:</b> 3280 Bridge SW
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ECHO Inc. CSFP, 300 Menaul Blvd. NW, Suite 226
Box of food each month if income and age eligible. Need proof of income, proof of residency, birth
certificate for children 6 years old and younger, and picture ID.
Salvation Army Emergency Food Project, 4301 Bryn Mawr NE872-1171
Groceries for persons who are in need. Require proof of residency and income plus a picture ID. ID also
needed for other household members.
<b>The Storehouse</b> ,106 Broadway SE <b>842-6491</b> Emergency food boxes and clothing for low-income, unemployed or homeless persons. A monthly food box
program for elderly and disabled homebound persons. Require New Mexico photo ID and birth certificate
for children. Hours are 8:45 a.m. to 11 a.m. Tuesday to Friday. Saturdays 8:45 a.m. to 11 a.m. (Food only.)
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Pet Resources
Animal Humane Society of New Mexico255-5523
Adoptions, spay/neuter services, vaccination clinics, donor-subsidized Veterinary clinic for qualified
individuals tran-neuter-return for feral cats etc
City of Albuquerque, Animal Welfare
Low cost/free spay and neuter for cats and dogs for qualified individuals, animal noise, licenses, adoptions,
rescue group lists, education, etc.
Best Friends Animal Society440-3441 Adoptions, information about sterilizing the unowned street cats in your neighborhood
Best Friends Pet Cremation345-5615
Cremation and cemetery
New Mexico Animal Friends
Adoptions, information about sterilizing the unowned street cats in your neighborhood

PHYSICAL FITNESS	
Department of Senior Affairs - DSA Senior Sports & Fitness	380-2800
DSA Senior Exercise Program: Exercise to Music (low impact aerobics), Stretch & Tor	ne, Stability
Balls, and Gentle Exercise classes at all 7 Centers and many satellite centers.	
<b>DSA Adapted Aquatics:</b> Centers Transport to exercise classes for individuals with arth	ritis and/or
limited mobility in a warm water therapy pool.	
<b>DSA Winter Sports Program:</b> Lessons & day trips in snowshoeing, downhill & cross c	ountry
skiing, & overnight ski trips to Colorado.	
<b>DSA Winter Sports Competitions:</b> Downhill & cross country skiing, snowboarding, s	snowshoe-
ing, snowball throwing fo accuracy & distance, team ice hockey, & ice skating.	
<b>DSA Albuquerque 50+ Olympics:</b> Competitions in 26 sports and 100+ events each	
Albuquerque/Bernalillo County residents aged 50+. Winners advance to both State and Na	itional
Senior Olympics. Year round practices, leagues, & workshops also offered.	
<b>DSA Weight Training/Fitness Facilities:</b> State-of-the-art exercise equipment to ass	
to improve strength & maintain a healthy lifestyle. Prior to use, participants are advised to	attend an
orientation.	
Los Volcanes 50+ Sports & Fitness Center	339-3710
6500 Los Volcanes Rd., NW, SuiteB.	
Manzano Mesa Multigenerational Fitness Room2	:75–8731
501 Elizabeth SE, 87123. Open to those aged 18+.	
North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Fitness Room	/64-6494
7521 Carmel Ave. NE, 87113. Open to those aged 18+.	
North Valley Fitness Room, 3825 Fourth Street NW, 87107	
Palo Duro 50+ Sports & Fitness Center, 3351 Monroe NE, 87110	
JCC Pro Fitness Center, Jewish Community Center, 5520 Wyoming NE	
State-of-the-art fitness facility with complete cardiovascular line, resistance & stretching ar	ea, indoor
track, & physical therapy. Registration & monthly fees.	
Mall Walkers	
Coronado Mall, 6600 Menaul NE. Monday - Saturday, 6a.m 10a.m.; Sunday starting at	9:30 am.
Enter at entrance just west of Penny's truck court. Register at Coronado Mall Customer Serv	vice desk.
Cottonwood Mall, 10000 Coors Blvd NW. Monday - Saturday, 7a.m 9a.m.; Sunday 10a.	m 6p.m.
Any entrance.	
Winrock Mall, 2100 Louisiana NE. Mall walking daily at 6:30 am. Enter through any entra	ınce. Join
the free In Stride Mall Walkers program. Registration takes place the last Tuesday of the mo	nth from
8:30 a.m 10a.m. in the food court.	
New Heart, Inc., 601 Lomas Blvd. NE	381-8195
Non-profit center for wellness, exercise, cardiac rehabilitation and classes for diabetes prevention	
& managment.	
Presbyterian Healthplex 6301 Forest Hills Dr. NE8	23–8399
Presbyterian Healthplex is a senior-focused wellness & rehab facility. Expertly staff trained	
in disease management. Registration and monthy fees.	
Presbyterian Aquatics Therapy Program8	
Warm water therapy to reduce pain & increase range of motion & strength for individuals with art	hritis &

limited mobility. Classes are directed by instructors who guide participants through stretching,

strengthening, & aerobics. \$35 for initial evaluation & then \$51 per month.

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Taylor Ranch Community Center, 4900 Kachina Rd. NW 87120.......768–6006 Fitness facility on Albuquerque Westside. Treadmills, bikes, steppers, elliptical trainers & weight machines for a complete workout. Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

YMCA Physically Challenged & Determined Wellness Program.......292–2298 McCleod YMCA, 12500 Comanche NE. Wellness information, exercise techniques, & personal goal setting for people with physical challenges & seniors who have been sedentary most of their adult life. Annual or monthly YMCA membership fee.

#### SENIOR CENTERS

#### City of Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Department of Senior Affairs

Recreational activities, meals, educational opportunities, social services, health screenings and much, much more are provided for the 50+ population. Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00p.m., Monday through Friday; Saturday and evening hours vary at each site. *Planet50*+ is a specially designed program for Baby

Boomers still in the workforce with course offerings after 5p.m. and on Saturdays; please call 764-6400 for a current schedule or visit us online: www.cabq.gov (Planet50+). (See Nutritional Resources page for listing

of City of Albuquerque Satellite Senior Centers.)	
<b>Barelas</b> , 714 7thSt. SW, 87102	764-6436
<b>Bear Canyon</b> , 4645 Pitt NE, 87111	767-5595
<b>Highland</b> , 131 Monroe NE, 87108	256-2000
Los Volcanes, 6500 Los Volcanes NW, 87121	836-8745
North Valley, 3825 4th NW, 87107	
<b>Palo Duro</b> , 5221 Palo Duro NE, 87110	888-8102
<b>Manzano Mesa Multigenerational Center</b> , 501 Elizabeth SE, 87123	cial services,
North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Center, 7521 Carmel Ave. NE, 87113	764-6475
Other Centers	
Albuquerque:	
South Valley Multi-Purpose Senior Center, 2008 Larrazolo Rd. SW, 87105	468-7341

South Valley Multi-Purpose Senior Center, 2008 Larrazolo Rd. SW, 8710	)5 <b>468-7341</b>
Taylor Ranch Community Center, 4900 Kachina St. NW	768-6006
Belen:	

Belen Multi-Purpose Senior Citizens Center	<b>864-6739</b> or <b>864-2663</b>
715-A South Main, 87002	www.co.valencia.nm.us

Del Rio Senior Citizens Center, 351 Rio Communities Blvd., 87002	864-7500
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#### **Bernalillo:**

Bernaiilio Sei	nior Citizens Center	r, 255-B Camino	del Pueblo, 8/004	867-9448
<b>Bosque Farms:</b>				

Bosque Farms Community Center, 950 North Bosque Loop, 87068	869-5133
Corrales:	

Corrales Senior Center, 4324-A Corrales Rd., Corrales, NM 87048......897-3818

Los Lunas:	
Fred Luna Senior Citizens Center, 315 Don Pasqual RdRd	
Meadow Lake Senior Citizens Center, 100 Cuerro LaneRio Rancho:	865-8824
Meadowlark Senior Center, 4330 Meadowlark Lane SE, 87124	.891-5018
Meadowlark Meal Program, 4330 Meadowlark Lane SE, 87124	896-8313
For more information about other recreational opportunities and fun sports and fitness program call the <b>Department of Senior Affairs - DSA Senior Information</b>	
	/ 04-0400
TRANSPORTATION	
Catholic Charities, 3301 Candelaria NE, 87107	
Transportation to medical appointments, grocery shoppingwww.and business offices for seniors 60+. Services free but donations are welcome. Registration and notice require. One ride per week.	
City Transitwww.cabq.g	ov/transit
ABQ Ride	243-7433
\$1.00 for persons under 62. \$0.35 for persons over 62 with a government issued picture I or driver's license with date of birth. Fee for original card: \$2.00. Act Now discounted bus \$30.00. Regular/\$12.00 Seniors.	D
ABQ Mini-Ride/Sun Van	
For applications callFor reservations callFor certified mobility impaired persons living within Albuquerque & most of Bernalillo Co \$2.00 one way. Wheelchair capable.	243-7433
Department of Senior Affairs - DSA Transportation Program	
Seniors with special transportation needs: call DSA Senior Information	764-6400
<b>Go Fors, Inc. Too</b>	
ID Cards (for persons without drivers' licenses) can be purchased at:	
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NM Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) www.mvd.newmexico.gov	8 year card.
Monday - Friday 8 am - 4 pm. State operated - No age limit. \$18.00 for 4-year card/\$34.00 Free for persons age 75+.  Bernalillo, 829 Camino del Pueblo, Bernalillo	8 year card. <b>867-4131</b>
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Medicaid Clients	1-888-725-3467
Taxi rides to routine medical appointments for Medicaid clients who are <b>NOT</b> on <i>Salud!</i>	•
Safe Ride Services (Arizona and New Mexico)(Statewide	1-800-797-7433
Non-emergency medical transportation. Need 24-hour notice. Free for some Medicaid re	ecipients.
Fee for all others	

### **VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS**

### **Department of Senior Affairs - DSA Volunteer Programs**

DSA Senior Companion Program	764-1612
Volunteer opportunities for seniors (aged 55 and over) to work with homebound elderly available for those that qualify.	
<b>DSA Foster Grandparent Program</b> Volunteer opportunities for seniors (aged 55 and over) to work with special needs childr available for those that qualify.	
<b>DSA (RSVP)</b> Recruits and facilitates the placement of volunteers aged 55 and over in public and non- organizations to meet community needs.	

### MOST FREQUENTLY CALLED TELEPHONE NUMBERS

311 (City of Albuquerque Citizens Contact City-Wide Information Center	)311
City of Albuquerque Department of Senior Affairs	764-6400
911(Emergency)	911
Albuquerque Ambulance (24/7)	761-8200
Animal Control	311
Animal Humane Association	255-5523
Fire Department (City of Albuquerque Fire/Rescue)	833-7397
(County Fire Department/Rescue)	798-7000
Poison Control (New Mexico Poison/Drug Information)1	I-800-222-122 <b>2</b>
Police Department (Albuquerque Police Department)242-2	2677/242-COPS
Road Services (New Mexico Highway and Transportation Department)	798-6600
Sheriff's Department (Bernalillo County Sheriff's Department)	798-7000
Solid Waste Management Department	
(Garbage/Trash Pick-up Information)(Residential Large Item Pick-up)	
Utilities	
(PNM – Public Service Company of New Mexico) (New Mexico Gas Company)1	
Water Utility Authority Albuquerque Bernalillo Count y(Billing Inquiries)	)842-9287
(Emergencies After Hours)	

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