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GENERAL AGING

Administration on Aging

330 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20201
Tel: (202) 619-0724
Fax: (202) 401-7620 or (202) 537-3555
Website: <http://www.aoa.gov>
E-Mail: aoainfo@aoa.gov or aoainfo@aoa.hhs.gov

National Aging Information Center (NAIC)

(A Service of the Administration on Aging)
330 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 4656
Washington, DC 20201
Telephone: (202) 619-7501
TTY: (202) 401-7575
Fax: (202) 401-7620
Website: <http://www.aoa.gov/naic>
E-Mail: naic@aoa.gov

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality (AHRQ), formerly the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research

540 Gaither Road
Rockville, MD 20850
Tel: (301) 427-1364
On-line retrieval: <http://www.ahrq.gov>

Aging Network Services

Topaz House

4400 East-West Hwy., Suite 907
Bethesda, MD 20814
Tel: (301) 657-4329
Fax: (301) 657-3250
Website: <http://www.agingnets.com>
E-Mail: ans@agingnets.com

Alliance for Aging Research
2021 K Street, NW, Suite 305
Washington, DC 20006
Tel: (202) 293-2856
Fax: (202) 785-8574
Website: www.agingresearch.org
Email: info@agingresearch.org

American Academy of Home Care Physicians
PO Box 1037
Edgewood, MD 21040
Tel: (410) 676-7966
Fax: (410) 676-7980
Website: www.aahcp.org
E-Mail: aahcp@comcast.net

American Association of Homes & Services for the Aging
2519 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20008-1520
Tel: (202) 783-2242
Fax: (202) 783-2255
Website: www.aahsa.org
E-Mail: info@aahsa.org

American Association of Retired Persons
601 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20049
Tel: (800)424-3410 or (888) OUR-AARP (687-2277)
Website: www.aarp.org
E-Mail: member@aarp.org

American College of Health Care Administrators
300 N. Lee Street, Suite 301
Alexandria, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 739-7900 or (888) 88-ACHCA (882-2422)
Fax: (703) 739-7901
Toll Free: (888) 888-ACHCA (22422)
Website: www.achca.org
E-Mail: info@achca.org

American Federation for Aging Research
70 West 40th St., 11th Floor
New York, NY 10018
Tel: (212) 703-9977
Fax: (212) 832-2298 (212)-997-0030
Website: www.afar.org
E-Mail: info@afar.org

American Geriatrics Society

The Empire State Building
350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 801
New York, NY 10118
Tel: (212) 308-1414
Fax: (212) 832-8646
Website: www.americangeriatrics.org
E-Mail: info.amger@americangeriatrics.org

American Health Care Association

1201 L Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005
Tel: (202) 842-4444
Fax: (202) 842-3860
Toll Free for Publications Only (800) 321-0343
Website: <http://www.ahcancal.org/Pages/Default.aspx>

American Hospital Association

1 North Franklin
Chicago, IL 60606
Tel: (312) 422-3000
Fax: (312) 422-4796
Website: www.aha.org

American Medical Directors Association

10480 Patuxent Parkway, Suite 760
Columbia, MD 21044
Tel: (410) 740-9743
Toll Free: (800) 876-2632
Fax: (410) 740-4572
Website: www.amda.com
Email: info@amda.com

American Occupational Therapy Association

4720 Montgomery Lane, PO Box 31220
Bethesda, MD 20824-1220
Tel: (301) 652-2682 or (800) 372-8555
Fax: (301) 652-7711
Website: www.aota.org

American Red Cross

American Red Cross National Headquarters
2025 E. Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006
Tel: (202) 303-4498
Website: www.redcross.org

American Senior Fitness Association

PO Box 2575
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32170
Tel: (800) 243-1478
Website: www.seniorfitness.net
E-Mail: sfa@ucnsb.net

American Seniors Housing Association

1850 M Street, NW, Suite 540
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 974-2300
Fax: (202) 775-0112
Website: <http://www.seniorshousing.org/>

E-Mail: info@nmhc.org

American Social Health Association

Hotlines under the auspices of the ASHA
CDC National AIDS Hotline (English)-Toll Free (800) 342-AIDS
CDC National AIDS Hotline (Spanish)-Toll Free: (800) 344-7432
CDC National AIDS Hotline- TTY Toll Free: (800) 243-7889
CDC National STD Hotline- Toll Free: (800) 227-8922
CDC National Immunization Information Hotline-Toll Free: (800) 232-2522
Website: www.ashastd.org

American Social Health Association
PO Box 13827
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709
Tel: (919) 361-8400
Fax: (919) 361-8425

American Society on Aging

833 Market Street, Suite 511
San Francisco, CA 94103-1824
Tel: (415) 974-9600 or (800) 537-9728
Fax: (415) 974-0300
Website: www.asaging.org
E-Mail: info@asaging.org

American Society of Consultant Pharmacists

1321 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3516
Tel: (703) 739-1300
Fax: (703) 739-1321
Toll Free Tel: (800) 355-2727
Toll Free Fax: (800) 707-ASCP
Fast Fax: (800) 220-1321 or (703) 739-1321
Website: www.ascp.com
E-Mail: info@ascp.com

Assisted Living Federation of America

11200 Waples Mill Road, Suite 150
Fairfax, VA 22030
Tel: (703) 691-8100
Fax: (703) 691-8106
Website: www.alfa.org
E-Mail: info@alfa.org

B'nai B'rith

International Headquarters
2020 K Street, NW, 7th Floor
Washington, DC 20006
Tel: (202) 857-6600
Fax: (202) 857-1099
Toll Free: (888) 388-4224
Senior Housing
Tel: (202) 857-6581
Fax: (202) 857-0980
E-Mail: senior@bnaibrith.org

Catholic Charities

1731 King Street, Suite 200

Alexandria, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 549-1390
Fax: (703) 549-1656
Website: www.catholiccharitiesusa.org

Children of Aging Parents

PO Box 167
Richboro, PA 18954
Tel: (800) 227-7294

Toll Free Information/Referral: (800) 227-7294

Website: www.caps4caregivers.org

Email: info@caps4caregivers.org

CDC National Prevention Information Network

For information on HIV, AIDS, STD, TB

PO Box 6003
Rockville, MD 20849-6003
Tel: (301) 562-1098
Toll Free Tel: (800) 458-5231
Toll Free Fax: (888) 282-7681
Toll Free TTY: (800) 243-7012
Website: www.cdcnpin.org
E-Mail: info@cdcnpin.org

Commission on Accreditation for Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF)

4891 East Grant Road
Tucson, AZ 85712
Tel: (520) 325-1044 or (888) 281-6531
Fax: (520) 318-1129
Website: www.carf.org

Department of Veteran Affairs

Office of Public Affairs
810 Vermont Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20420
Tel: (202) 273-5700
Fax: (202) 273-6705
Website: www.va.gov

Disabled American Veterans

807 Maine Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20024
Tel: (202) 554-3501
Fax: (202) 554-3581
Website: www.dav.org

Family Caregivers Alliance

180 Montgomery St., Suite 1100
San Francisco, CA 94104
Tel: (415) 434-3388 or (800) 455-8106
Fax: (415) 434-3508
Toll Free: (800) 445-8106
Website: www.caregiver.org
E-Mail: info@caregiver.org

Gerontological Society of America

1030 15th Street NW, Suite 250
Washington, DC 20005
Tel: (202) 842-1275
Fax: (202) 842-1150
Website: www.geron.org
Email: geron@geron.org

Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society

230 East Ohio Street, Suite 500
Chicago, IL 60611-3269
Tel: (312) 664-4467
Fax: (312) 664-6143
Website: www.himss.org
Email: himss@himss.org

Interfaith Caregivers Alliance

One West Armour Blvd.
Suite 202
Kansas City, MO 64111
Tel: (816) 931-5442
Fax: (816) 931-5202
Website: <http://www.maysmission.org/giving.html>
E-Mail: info@interfaithcaregivers.org

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO)

One Renaissance Boulevard
Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181
Tel: (630) 792-5000
Fax: (630) 792-5005
Website: www.jcaho.org

Medicare Hotline

Toll Free English & Spanish: 7500 Security Boulevard
(800) MEDICARE (633-4227) Baltimore, MD 21244-1850
Website: www.medicare.gov

National Adult Day Services Association

2519 Connecticut Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20008
Tel: (202) 508-1205 or (800) 558-5301
Fax: (202) 783-3255
www.nadsa.org
info@nadsa.org

National Asian Pacific Center on Aging

Melbourne Tower, Suite 914
1511 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101
Tel: (206) 624-1221
Fax: (206) 624-1023
Website: www.napca.org

National Association of Area Agencies on Aging

1730 Rhode Island Ave., NW
Suite 1200

Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 872-0888

Fax: (202) 872-0057

Website: www.n4a.org

E-Mail: rseay@n4a.org

Toll Free Eldercare Locator: (800) 677-1116, operated as a cooperative partnership of the Administration on Aging, the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging, and the National Association of State Units on Aging.

National Association of Directors of Nursing Administration

10101 Alliance Road, #140

Tel: (513) 791-3679

Fax: (513) 791-3699

Toll Free: (800) 222-0539

Website: www.nadona.org

Email: info@nadona.org

National Association for Home Care

228 7th Street, SE

Washington, DC 20003

Tel: (202) 547-7424

Fax: (202) 547-3540

Website: www.nahc.org

National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers

1604 North Country Club Road

Tucson, AZ 85716

Tel: (520) 881-8008

Fax: (520) 325-7925

Website: www.caremanager.org

National Association for the Support of Long Term Care

1321 Duke Street, Suite 304

Alexandria, VA 22314

Tel: (703) 549-8500

Fax: (703) 549-8342

Website: www.NASL.org

National Caucus and Center on Black Aged, Inc.

1220 L Street, NW Suite 800

Washington, DC 20005

Tel: (202) 637-8400

Fax: (202) 347-0895

Website www.ncba-aged.org

E-Mail: info@ncba-aged.org

National Citizens' Coalition for Nursing Home Reform

801 L Street, NW Suite 801

Washington, DC 20036-2211

Tel: (202) 332-2275

Fax: (202) 332-2949

Website: www.nccnhr.org

E-Mail: nccnhr1@nccnhr.org

National Council on the Aging

300 D Street, SW, Suite 801

Washington, DC 20024
Tel: (202) 479-1200
Fax: (202) 479-0735
Website: www.ncoa.org
E-Mail: info@ncoa.org

National Council on Patient Information and Education

4915 Saint Elmo Avenue
Suite 505
Bethesda, MD 20814-6053
Tel: (301) 656-8565
Fax: (301) 656-4464
Website: www.talkaboutrx.org
Email: ncpie@ncpie.info

National Family Caregivers Association

10400 Connecticut Avenue # 500
Kensington, MD 20895-3944
Tel: (301) 942-6430
Fax: (301) 942-2302
Toll Free: (800) 896-3650
Website: www.nfcacares.org
E-mail: info@nfcacares.org

National Health Information Center

PO Box 1133
Washington, DC 20013-1133
Tel: (301) 565-4167
Toll Free: (800) 336-4797
Fax: (301) 884-4256
Website: <http://www.health.gov/nhic>
E-Mail: info@nhic.org

National Indian Council on Aging

10501 Montgomery Boulevard NE
Suite 210
Albuquerque, NM 87111-3846
Tel: (505) 292-2001
Fax: (505) 292-1922
Website: www.nicoa.org
E-Mail: dave@nicoa.org

National Institute on Aging

Building 31, Room 5C27
31 Center Drive, MSC 2292
Bethesda, MD 20892
Toll Free Tel: (800) 222-4225 or (301) 496-1752
Fax: (301)-496-1072

National Institute on Aging

Building 31, Room 5C27
31 Center Drive MSC 2292
Bethesda, MD 20892-2292
Tel: (301) 496-1752
Fax: (301) 496-1072
Website: www.nih.gov/nia

National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research

ABLEDATA
8630 Fenton Street
Suite 930
Silver Spring, MD 20910
Tel: (301) 608-8998
Fax: (301) 608-8958
Toll Free: (800) 227-0216
Website: www.abledata.com
Email: adaigle@macroint.com

National Rehabilitation Information Center

4200 Forbes Boulevard, Suite 202
Lanham, MD 20706
Toll Free: (800) 346-2742
Fax: (301) 459-5900 or (301) 459-5984
Website: www.naric.com
Email: naricinfo@heitechservices.com

National Subacute Care Association

7315 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 424E
Bethesda, MD 20814
Tel: (301) 961-8680
Fax: (301) 961-8681
Website: <http://www.naspac.net/>
E-Mail: nsca@tiac.net

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1452 West Temple Street, Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90026
Tel: (213) 487-1922
Fax: (213) 202-5905

United Seniors Health Cooperative

409 Third Street SW
Washington, DC 20024
Tel: (202) 479-6973
Fax: (202) 479-6660
Website: unitedseniorshealth.org

Visiting Nurse Associations of America

99 Summer St., Suite 1700
Boston, MA 02110
Tel: (617) 737-3200
Fax: (617) 227-4843 (617) 737-1144
Website: www.vnaa.org
Email: vnaa@vnaa.org

Well Spouse Foundation

63 West Main St., Suite H
Freehold, NJ 07728
Tel: (732) 577-8899 or (800) 838-0879
Fax: (732) 577-8644
Toll Free: (800) 838-0879
Website: www.wellspouse.org

E-Mail: info@wellspouse.org

END-OF-LIFE ISSUES

Americans for Better Care of the Dying

3720 Upton St. NW, Rm. B147

Washington, DC 20016

Tel: (202) 895-2660

Fax: (202) 966-5410

Website: <http://www.abcd-caring.org>

E-Mail: info@abcd-caring.org

Center to Improve Care of the Dying

Rand Corporation

1200 South Hayes Street

Arlington, VA 22202

Tel: (703) 413-1100

Website: www.medicaring.org

Choice in Dying, Inc.

1035 30th Street, NW

Washington, DC 20007

Tel: (202) 338-9790

Fax: (202) 338-0242

Toll Free: (800) 989-WILL (9455)

Website: partnershipforcaring.org

Compassion in Dying

6312 SW Capital Hwy, Suite 415

Portland, OR 97239

Tel: (503) 221-9556

Fax: (503) 228-9160

Website: www.compassionindying.org

E-Mail info@compassionandchoices.org

GriefNet

Internet Address: www.rivendell.org

Hospice Association of America

228 Seventh Street, SE

Washington, DC 20003

Tel: (202) 546-4759

Fax: (202) 547-9559

Website: www.hospice-america.org

Hospice Education Institute

3 Unity Square, PO Box 98

Machiasport, Maine 04655

Tel: (207) 255-8800

Fax: (207) 255-8000

Toll Free for Publications: (800) 331-1620

Hospice Link Referral Service—Toll Free: (800) 331-1620

Website: www.hospiceworld.org

E-Mail: info@hospiceworld.org

Hospice Foundation of America

2001 S Street NW, Suite 300
Washington, DC 20009
Tel: (202) 638-5419
Toll Free: (800) 854-3402
Fax: (202) 638-5312
Website: www.hospicefoundation.org
E-Mail: hfa@hospicefoundation.org

The Last Acts Campaign

Barksdale Ballard & Co.
1951 Kidwell Drive, Suite 205
Vienna, VA 22182
Tel: (703) 827-8771
Fax: (703) 827-0783
Website: www.lastacts.org

Life With Dignity

1744 Riggs Place NW Suite 300
Washington, DC 20009
Tel: (202) 986-0118
Website: www.lifewithdignity.org
E-Mail: lwdfdn@aol.com

National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization

1700 Diagonal Road Suite 625
Alexandria, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 837-1500 Fax: (703) 837-1233
Website: www.nhpco.org
E-Mail: nhpco_info@nhpco.org

EDUCATION

Association for Gerontology in Higher Education

1030 15th Street, NW, Suite 240
Washington, DC 20005-1503
Tel: (202) 289-9806
Fax: (202) 289-9824
Website: www.aghe.org

Association of American Medical Colleges

2450 N Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037-1126
Tel: (202) 828-0400
Fax: (202) 828-1125
Website: www.aamc.org
Email: rsherrod@aamc.org

LEGAL ISSUES AND ELDER ABUSE

Legal Services for the Elderly

130 West 42nd Street, 17th Floor
New York, NY 10036
Tel: (212) 391-0120
Fax: (212) 719-1939
E-Mail: hn4923@handsnet.org

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys

1604 North Country Club Road

Tucson, AZ 85716

Tel: (520) 881-4005

Fax: (520) 325-7925

Website: www.naela.org

E-Mail: info@naela.com

National Center on Elder Abuse

A consortium of the following six partners with NASUA the lead agency:

National Association of State Units on Aging (NASUA)

Commission on Legal Problems of the Elderly of the American Bar Association (ABA)

The Clearinghouse on Abuse and Neglect of the Elderly of the University of Delaware CANE)

The San Francisco Consortium for Elder Abuse Prevention of the Goldman Institute on Aging (GIOA)

The National Association of Adult Protective Services Administrators (NAAPSA)

The National Committee to Prevent Elder Abuse (NCPEA)

1201 15th Street, NW, Suite 350

Washington, DC 20005

Tel: (202) 898-2586

Fax: (202) 898-2583

Website: http://www.ncea.aoa.gov/ncearoot/Main_Site/index.aspx

E-Mail: ncea@nasua.org

National Association of State Units on Aging

1201 15th Street, Suite 350

Washington, DC 20005

Tel: (202) 898-2578

Fax: (202) 898-2583

Website: www.nasua.org

E-Mail: info@nasua.org

National Clearinghouse on Elder Abuse (Literature)

University of Delaware

College of Human Resources, Education and Public Policy

Department of Consumer Studies

211 Allison Annex

Newark, DE 19716

Tel: (302) 831-3525

Fax: (302) 831-6081

National Committee for Prevention of Elder Abuse (Research)

Institute on Aging

UMASS Memorial Health Care

119 Belmont Street

Worcester, MA 01605

Tel: (508) 334-6166

Fax: (508) 334-6906

Website: www.preventelderabuse.org

National Senior Citizens Law Center

1101 14th Street, NW, Suite 400

Washington, DC 20005

Tel: (202) 289-6976

Fax: (202) 289-7224

Website: www.nslc.org

E-Mail: nsclc@nsclc.org

RESOURCES ON SPECIFIC HEALTH PROBLEMS

Cancer

American Cancer Society, Inc.

National Headquarters
1599 Clifton Road, NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
Tel: (404) 320-3333
Fax: (404) 329-5787
Toll Free National Cancer Information Center: (800) 227-2345
Website: www.cancer.org

National Cancer Institute

Public Inquiries Office
Building 31, Room 10A31
31 Center Drive, MSC 2580
Bethesda, MD 20892-2580
Tel: (301) 435-3848
Toll Free: (800) 4-CANCER (422-6237)
Website: www.nci.nih.gov
E-Mail: cancergovstaff@mail.nih.gov

Complementary and Alternative Medicine

The Evidence-Based Complementary and Alternative Web site for Health Care Professionals

19 Russell Street
Toronto, ON M5S 2S2
Fax: (416) 978 - 1833
Website: www.camline.org
E-Mail: cam.line@utoronto.ca

Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service

Healthfinder
PO Box 1133
Washington, DC 20013-1133
Website: www.healthfinder.gov
E-Mail: healthfinder@nhic.org

HerbMed by the Alternative Medicine Foundation, Inc

PO Box 60016
Potomac, Maryland 20859
Tel: 301-340-1960
Fax: 301-340-1936
Website: www.herbmed.org
Email: info@amfoundation.org

National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine

NCCAM Clearinghouse
P.O. Box 7923
Gaithersburg, MD 20898
Toll Free: (888) 644-6226
Tel: (301) 519-3153
TTY: (866) 464-3615

Fax: (866) 464-3616
Website: www.nccam.nih.gov
E-Mail: info@nccam.nih.gov

Natural Medicines Comprehensive Database

3120 W. March Lane
PO Box 8190
Stockton, CA 95208
Tel:(209) 472-2244
Fax:(209) 472-2249

WebMD Inc.

Corporate Headquarters
669 River Drive
Elmwood Park, NJ 07407
Tel: 201-703-3400
Fax: 201-703-3401
Website: www.WebMD.com

Diabetes Mellitus

American Diabetes Association

Attn: Customer Service
1701 North Beauregard Street
Alexandria, VA 22311
Tel: (703) 549-1500
Fax: (703) 549-6995
Toll Free: (800) DIABETES (232-3472)
Website: www.diabetes.org
E-Mail: customerservice@diabetes.org

National Diabetes Information Clearinghouse

1 Information Way
Bethesda, MD 20892-3560
Tel: (301) 654-3327 or (800) 860-8747
Fax: (301) 907-8906
Website: www.niddk.nih.gov
E-Mail: ndic@info.niddk.nih.gov

Digestive Problems

American Liver Foundation

75 Maiden Lane, Suite 603
New York, NY 10038
Toll Free: (800) GO LIVER (465-4837)
Website: www.liverfoundation.org
E-Mail: info@liverfoundation.org

National Digestive Disease Information Clearinghouse

2 Information Way
Bethesda, MD 20892-3570
Tel: (301) 654-3810 or (800) 891-5389 Fax: 703-738-4929
Website: www.niddk.nih.gov
E-Mail: nddic@info.niddk.nih.gov

United Ostomy Association

19772 MacArthur Boulevard
Suite 200
Irvine, CA 92612-2405
Tel: (949) 660-8624
Fax: (949) 660-9262
Toll Free: (800) 826-0826
Website: www.uoa.org
E-Mail: info@uoa.org

Head and Neck Problems

American Academy of Otolaryngology—Head and Neck Surgery, Inc.

1 Prince Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3357
Tel: (703) 836-4444
Fax: (703) 683-5100
TTY: (703) 519-1585
Website: www.entnet.org

American Council for Headache Education

19 Mantua Road
Mt. Royal, NJ 08061
Tel: (856) 423-0258
Toll Free: (800) 255-ACHE (2243)
Fax: (856) 423-0082
Website: www.achenet.org
E-Mail: achehg@talley.com

American Dental Association

211 East Chicago Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611
Tel: (312) 440-2500
Fax: (312) 440-2800
Website: www.ada.org

American Society for Geriatric Dentistry

401 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611
Tel (312) 527-6764
Fax: (312) 673-6663
Website: www.foscod.org
E-Mail: SCD@SCDonline.org

National Headache Foundation

428 West St. James Place, 2nd Floor
Chicago, IL 60614-2750
Tel: (773) 388-6399
Toll Free: (888) NHF-5552
Fax: (773) 525-7357
Website: www.headaches.org
E-Mail: info@headaches.org

National Institute of Dental & Craniofacial Research

National Institute of Health
Bethesda, MD 20892-2190

Tel: (301) 496-4261
Fax: (301) 496-9988
Website: www.nidcr.nih.gov
E-Mail: nidcrinfo@mail.nih.gov

Hearing Problems

American Tinnitus Association

65 SW Yamhill Street
Portland, OR 97204
Tel: (503) 248-9985
Fax: (503) 248-0024
Toll Free: (800) 634-8978
Website: www.ata.org
E-Mail: tinnitus@ata.org

Better Hearing Institute

515 King Street, Suite 420
Alexandria, VA 22314
Toll Free: (800) EARWELL (327-9355) or (703) 684-3391
Fax: (703) 750-9302
Website: www.betterhearing.org
E-Mail: mail@betterhearing.org

International Hearing Society

16880 Middlebelt Road, Suite 4
Livonia, MI 48154
Tel: (734) 522-7200
Fax: (734) 522-0200
Toll Free Hearing Aid Helpline: (800) 521-5247
Website: www.ihinfo.org

National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders

National Institute of Health
31 Center Drive, MSC 2320
Bethesda, MD 20892-2320
Tel: (301) 496-7243
Fax: (301) 402-0018
Toll Free NIDCD Information Clearinghouse: (800) 241-1044
Website: www.nidcd.nih.gov
E-Mail: nidcdinfo@nidcd.nih.gov

Self Help for Hard of Hearing People

7910 Woodmont Avenue, Suite 1200
Bethesda, MD 20814
Tel: (301) 657-2248
Fax: (301) 913-9413
TTY: (301) 657-2249
Website: www.hearingloss.org
E-Mail: national@shhh.org

Heart and Circulation Problems

American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation

National Office
401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 2200

Chicago, IL 60611
Tel: (312) 321-5146
Website: www.aacvpr.org
E-Mail: aacvpr@smithbucklin.com

American Heart Association

7272 Greenville Avenue
Dallas, TX 75231
Tel: (214) 373-6300
Toll Free Tel: (800) 242-8721
Website: www.americanheart.org
AHA's Stroke Connection: (800) 553-6321

Courage Stroke Network

3915 Golden Valley Road
Golden Valley, MN 55422
Tel: (763) 520-0520 or (800) 553-6321
Fax: (763) 520-0577

National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute

Office of Prevention, Education and Control
31 Center Drive, MSC 2480
Bethesda, MD 20892-2480
Tel: (301) 496-5437
Fax: (301) 402-2405
Website: www.nhlbi.nih.gov
E-Mail: nhlbiinfo@nhlbi.nih.gov

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke

NIH Neurological Institute
PO Box 5801
Bethesda, MD 20824
Toll Free: (800) 352-9424 (301)496-5751
Website: www.ninds.nih.gov

National Stroke Association

9707 E. Easter Lane
Englewood, CO 80112
Tel: (303) 649-9299
Fax: (303) 649-1328
Toll Free: (800) STROKES (787-6537)
Website: www.stroke.org

Joint, Muscle, and Bone Problems

American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons

6300 North River Road
Rosemont, IL 60018-4262
Tel: (847) 823-7186
Toll Free; (800) 346-AAOS (2267)
Fax: (847) 823-8125
Website: www.aaos.org
E-Mail: custserv@aaos.org

American Podiatric Medical Association

9312 Old Georgetown Road
Bethesda, MD 20814
Tel: (301) 571-9200
Fax: (301) 530-2752
Toll Free for Patient Education Literature only (800) FOOT-CARE
Website: www.apma.org
E-Mail: askapma@apma.org

Arthritis Foundation

PO Box 7669
Atlanta, GA 30357
Tel: (404) 872-7100
Toll Free Information: (800) 283-7800
Fax: (404) 872-0457
Website: www.arthritis.org
E-Mail: help@arthritis.org

Lupus Foundation of America

2000 L Street, NW, Suite 710
Washington, DC 20036
Tel: (202) 349-1155
Toll Free Line for Information Packet: English (800) 558-0121, Spanish (800) 558-0231
Fax: (202) 349-1156
Website: www.lupus.org

National Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases Information Clearinghouse

National Institutes of Health
1AMS Circle
Bethesda, MD 20892-3675
Tel: (301) 495-4484
Toll Free: (877) 22-NIAMS (64267)
Fax: (301) 718-6366
Website: www.nih.gov/niams
E-Mail: niamsinfo@mail.nih.gov

National Osteoporosis Foundation

1232 22nd Street NW
Washington, DC 20037-1292
Tel: (202) 223-2226
Fax: (202) 223-2237
Toll Free Info: (800) 223-9994
Website: www.nof.org
E-Mail: customerservice@nof.org

Lung and Breathing Problems

American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation

401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 2200
Chicago, IL 60611
Tel: (312) 321-5196
Website: www.aacvpr.org
Email: aacvpr@smithbucklin.com

American Lung Association

61 Broadway, 6th Floor
New York, NY 10019

Tel: (212) 315-8700
Fax: (212) 265-5642
Toll Free: (800) LUNG-USA (800-586-4872)
Website: www.lungusa.org
E-Mail: info@lungusa.org

National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute

Office of Prevention, Education and Control
31 Center Drive, MSC 2480
Bethesda, MD 20892-2480
Tel: (301) 496-5437
Fax: (301) 402-2405
Website: www.nhlbi.nih.gov
E-Mail: nhlbiinfo@nhlbi.nih.gov

Memory and Thinking Problems

Alzheimer's Association

225 North Michigan Avenue, Floor 17
Chicago, IL 60601
Toll Free Information: (800) 272-3900
Tel: (312) 335-8700
TTY (312) 335-8882
Fax: (312) 335-1110
Website: www.alz.org
E-Mail: info@alz.org
Safe Return Program
(identification tags, medical alert bracelets) (888) 572-8566

Alzheimer's Disease Education and Referral Center

PO Box 8250
Silver Spring, MD 20907-8250
Tel: (301) 495-3311
Fax: (301) 495-3334
Toll Free Information Service: (800) 438-4380
Website: <http://www.nia.nih.gov/Alzheimers/>
E-Mail: adear@alzheimers.org

Neurologic Problems

American Academy of Neurology

1080 Montreal Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55116
Tel: (651) 695-2717 or (800) 879-1960
Fax: (651) 695-2791
Website: www.aan.com
E-Mail: memberservices@aan.com

American Parkinson's Disease Association

1250 Hylan Boulevard
Suite 4B
Staten Island, NY 10305-1946
Tel: (718) 981-8001
Toll Free Information Hotline (800) 223-2732
Fax: (718) 981-4399
Website: www.apdaparkinson.org

E-Mail: apda@apdaparkinson.org

Epilepsy Foundation of America

4351 Garden City Drive
Landover, MD 20785
Tel: (301) 459-3700
Toll Free Information & Referral: (800) 332-1000
Fax: (301) 577-2684
Website: www.efa.org

Huntington's Disease Society of America

505 Eighth Avenue, Suite 902
New York, NY 10018
Tel: (212) 242-1968
Fax: (212) 239-3430
Toll Free Hotline: (800) 345-4372
Website: www.hdsa.org
E-Mail: hdsainfo@hdsa.org

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke

NIH Neurological Institute
PO Box 5801
Bethesda, MD 20824
Toll Free: (800) 352-9424 or (301) 496-5751
Website: www.ninds.nih.gov
(for other stroke information, see Heart & Circulation)

Parkinson's Disease Foundation

1359 Broadway, Suite 1509
New York, NY 10018
Tel: (212) 923-4700
Toll Free: (800) 457-6676
Fax: (212) 923-4778
Website: www.pdf.org
E-Mail: info@pdf.org

Nutritional Concerns

Food and Nutrition Information Center

US Department of Agriculture
National Agriculture Library Building
10301 Baltimore Avenue
Room 304
Beltsville, MD 20705-2351
Tel: (301) 504-5719
Fax: (301) 504-6409
Website: <http://www.nal.usda.gov/fnic>
E-Mail: fnic@nal.usda.gov

Meals On Wheels Association of America

203 S. Union Street
Alexandria, VA 2231
Tel: (703) 548-5558
Fax: (703) 548-8024
Website: www.mowaa.org
E-Mail: mowaa@tbq.dqsys.com

Pain

American Chronic Pain Association

PO Box 850
Rocklin, CA 95677
Tel: (916) 632-0922
Fax: (916) 632-3208
Website: www.theacpa.org
E-Mail: acpa@pacbell.net

American Geriatrics Society

The Empire State Building
350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 801
New York, NY 10118
Tel: (212) 308-1414
Fax: (212) 832-8646
Website: www.americangeriatrics.org
E-Mail: info.amger@americangeriatrics.org

American Pain Society

4700 West Lake Avenue
Glenview, IL 60025
Tel: (847) 375-4715
Fax: (847) 375-7777
Website: www.ampainsoc.org
E-Mail: info@ampainsoc.org

City of Hope Pain Resource Center

City of Hope National Medical Center
Dept. of Nursing Research & Education
1500 East Duarte Road
Duarte, CA 91010
Tel: (626) 359-8111 ext. 3829
Website: www.cityofhope.org
E-Mail: media@coh.org

National Chronic Pain Outreach Association

PO Box 274
Millboro, VA 24460-9606
Tel: (540) 862-9437
Fax: (540) 862-9485
Email: ncpoa@cfw.com
Website: www.chronicpain.org

Psychological Problems

American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry

7910 Woodmont Avenue, Suite 1050
Bethesda, MD 20814-3004
Tel: (301) 654-7850
Fax: (301) 654-4137
Website: www.aagpgpa.org
E-Mail: main@aagpgpa.org

National Alliance for the Mentally Ill

Colonial Place Three
2107 Wilson Blvd.
Suite 300
Arlington, VA 22201-3042
Tel: (703) 524-7600
Fax: (703) 524-9094
Toll Free: (800) 950-6264
Website: www.nami.org

National Institute of Mental Health

Information Resources & Inquiries
6001 Executive Blvd.
Room 8184
MSC 9663
Bethesda, MD 20892-9663
Tel: (301) 443-4513
Fax for You: (301) 443-5158
Website: www.nimh.nih.gov
E-Mail: nimhinfo@nih.gov

National Mental Health Association

2001 N. Beauregard Street, 12th Floor
Alexandria, VA 22311
Alexandria, VA 22314-2971
Tel: (703) 684-7722
Fax: (703) 684-5968
Toll Free Information: (800) 969-NMHA (6642)
Website: www.nmha.org

Sexuality and Sexual Concerns

American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists

409 12th Street, SW PO Box 96920
Washington, DC 20090-6920
Tel: (202) 638-5577
Fax: (202) 484-1595
Website: www.acog.com
E-Mail: resources@acog.org

American Urological Association

1000 Corporate Boulevard
Linthicum, MD 21090
Tel: (410) 689-3700 or (866) RING AUA (746-4282)
Fax: (410) 689-3800
Website: www.auanet.org
E-Mail: aqa@auanet.org or executiveadministration@auanet.org

Hysterectomy Educational Resources and Services Foundation

422 Bryn Mawr Avenue
Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004
Tel: (610) 667-7757
Fax: (610) 667-8096
Website: www.hersfoundation.com
E-Mail: HERSFdn@earthlink.net

Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States

130 West 42nd Street, Suite 350
New York, NY 10036
Tel: (212) 819-9770
Fax: (212) 819-9776
Website: www.siecus.org
E-Mail: siecus@siecus.org

Sight Problems

American Academy of Ophthalmology

PO Box 7424
San Francisco, CA 94120
Tel: (415) 561-8500
Fax: (415) 561-8533
Toll Free: (800) 222-3937
Website: www.eyenet.org
E-Mail: comm@aao.org

American Foundation for the Blind

11 Penn Plaza, Suite 300
New York, NY 10001
Tel: (212) 502-7600
Toll Free: (800) AFB LINE (232-5463)
Fax: (212) 502-7777
Website: www.afb.org
E-Mail: afbinfo@afb.net

American Optometric Association

243 North Lindbergh Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63141
Tel: (314) 991-4100
Fax: (314) 991-4101
Toll Free: (800) 365-2219
Website: <http://www.aoanet.org>

Better Vision Institute

1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 500
Arlington, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 548-4560
Toll Free: (800) 642-3253
Fax: (703) 548-4580
Website: www.visionsite.org
E-Mail: vca@visionsite.org

Foundation for Glaucoma Research

490 Post Street, Suite 1472
San Francisco, CA 94104
Tel: (415) 986-3162 or (800) 826-6693
Fax: (415) 986-3763
Website: www.glaucoma.org

National Eye Institute

Information Office
2020 Vision Place
Bethesda, MD 20892-3655
Tel: (301) 496-5248

Fax: (301) 402-1065
Website: www.nei.nih.gov
E-Mail: 2020@nei.nih.gov

Prevent Blindness America
211 West Wacker Drive, Suite 1700
Chicago, IL 60606
Toll Free: (800) 331-2020
Website: www.preventblindness.org
E-Mail: info@preventblindness.org

Skin Problems

American Academy of Dermatology
1350 First St., NW, Suite 870
Washington, DC 20005-2355
Tel: (202) 842-3555
Toll Free: (888) 462-DERM (3376)
Fax: (202) 842-4355
Website: www.aad.org
E-Mail: yurbikas@aad.org

American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
310 South Henry Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 299-9291
Fax: (703) 299-8898
Toll Free: (800) 332-FACE
Website: www.aafprs.org
E-Mail: info@aafprs.org

American Social Health Association
Herpes Resource Center
PO Box 13827
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709
Tel: (919) 361-8400
Fax: (919) 361-8425
Website: <http://www.ashastd.org>
E-Mail: phidra@ashastd.org

National Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases Information Clearinghouse
National Institutes of Health
1 AMS Circle
Bethesda, MD 20892-3675
Tel: (301) 495-4484
Toll Free: (877) 22-NIAMS (64267)
Fax: (301) 718-6366
Website: www.nih.gov/niams
E-Mail: niamsinfo@mail.nih.gov

The Skin Cancer Foundation
245 5th Avenue, Suite 1403
New York, NY 10016
Tel: (212) 725-5176
Toll Free: (800) SKIN-490 (754-6490)
Fax: (212) 725-5751

Website: www.skincancer.org
E-Mail: info@skincancer.org

Urinary Problems

National Association for Continence (NAFC)

PO Box 1019
Charleston, SC 29402
Tel: (843) 377-0900
Toll Free: (800) BLADDER (252-3337)
Fax: (843) 377-0905
Website: www.nafc.org
E-Mail: memberservices@nafc.org

National Kidney and Urologic Diseases Information Clearinghouse

3 Information Way
Bethesda, MD 20892-3560
Tel: (800) 891-5390
Fax: (703) 738-4929
Website: www.niddk.nih.gov
E-Mail: nkudic@info.niddk.nih.gov

National Kidney Foundation

30 East 33rd Street
Suite 1100
New York, NY 10016
Tel: (212) 889-2210
Toll Free: (800) 622-9010
Fax: (212) 689-9261
Website: www.kidney.org
E-Mail: info@kidney.org

The Simon Foundation for Continence

PO Box 815
Wilmette, IL 60091
Tel: (847) 864-3913
Toll Free: (800) 23-SIMON (237-4666)
Fax: (847) 864-9758
Website: www.simonfoundation.org
E-Mail: simoninfo@simonfoundation.org