



OUR MISSION

The Mission of the Bucks County Area Agency on Aging is to develop, coordinate and promote a continuum of quality services that supports, respects and advocates for older adults and their families; empowers them to maintain independence and dignity; and enhances their overall well-being.

HOW WE ARE FUNDED

Aging services are financed through federal, state and county funds, contributions, and also the PA State Lottery, whose proceeds can only be used to fund programs for older persons. These programs include PACE, Rent and Property Tax rebate, Transportation and other services.

HOW TO GET HELP

Call us at 267-880-5700. Trained Staff can help identify needs & available resources, answer questions about aging-related issues, or make referrals to other Agency services and community programs. Our priority consumers are those with the greatest needs and fewest resources.

Please call **267-880-5700** to inquire about our services or to make an appointment for an assessment.

For Suspected Elder Abuse or Neglect
Call **1-800-AGED-SOS** anytime
(1-800-243-3767)

Office Hours:
Monday–Friday • 8:30 AM–4:30 PM
Fax: 215-348-7827 (Administration)
Fax: 215-918-3012 (Care Management)

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Bucks County Area Agency on Aging

**Providing quality services that
support, respect and advocate
for older adults age 60+
and their families...**



Take the first step
in determining eligibility for services.
Call 267-880-5700.
Our Information & Referral Staff
will assist you.

PROTECTIVE SERVICES

Confidential reports of need are accepted for victims of abuse, neglect, exploitation, and abandonment. Assistance is provided to those age 60+ who are determined to be in need of protection as defined by law. Calls can be received for adult victims 24 hours a day by calling 1-800-AGED-SOS (1-800-243-3767).

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Information & Referral

Provides details on Agency programs, services and community resources; accepts reports of abuse and neglect.

Assessment & Care Planning

Determines a person's eligibility for services at home or in a long-term care facility. Helps individuals design a care plan and coordinate delivery of services.

Supports for Living at Home

Adult day services; home delivered meals; nutrition education; personal care; medical equipment/supplies; emergency alert systems; household help; home modifications; subsidy may be available on a cost-share basis to eligible individuals.



Caregiver Support

Provides support for those caring for older adults, disabled adults and older relatives caring for children.

Housing Assistance

Resources to identify subsidized, non-subsidized and emergency housing.

Employment Assistance

Help for individuals age 55+ in search of employment.

Legal Services

Counsel or representation in legal matters related to a variety of issues.



Community Presentations

Provide instruction to seniors, caregivers, professionals and community gatherings about the Agency's services and programs.

Senior Community Centers

Offer many social, recreational and educational activities for seniors. Lunch is served daily.

Transportation

Our county's shared-ride provider, Bucks County Transport, Inc., provides reduced-fare trips to medical appointments, grocery shopping, banking, adult day services and other locations, for those who qualify financially and are 65+ or disabled.



Outreach

Provides resource information at health fairs and other community events.

APPRISE

Help for Medicare-related issues: medical and drug coverage; enrollment; insurance supplements; appeals; financial help; community outreach.

Health & Wellness

Health promotion through a variety of programs such as fall prevention classes, chronic disease self-management and the annual Senior Games.

Nursing Home Transition

Offers eligible nursing home residents a choice to receive long-term living services in their own home.

Ombudsman

Works on behalf of residents in long-term care facilities to ensure the highest quality care.

Volunteer Opportunities

Linking individuals who wish to serve with programs like APPRISE, Health & Wellness, Home Delivered Meals and Ombudsman programs as well as various community organizations.