

Supportive Services

These programs are designed to provide a means of going from one place to another; identification of potential clients; legal advice, counseling, education, and legal representation; and in home assistance to clients. Programs available include Transportation, Outreach, Information and Referral, Homemaker, and Legal Assistance.

Senior Farmers Market

Nutrition Program

Coupon booklets are made available to the Area Agency on Aging through a grant from the Alabama Farmers Market Authority. This program provides fresh, nutritious, locally grown fruits, vegetables and herbs from farmers markets, roadside stands, and community supported agriculture programs to low-income seniors. The program is administered locally by the Area Agency on Aging and booklets are issued in early summer.

Nutrition Services

Individuals 60 years of age or older are eligible to participate in the Nutrition Program which offers Congregate, Home-Delivered and in few instances Frozen Meals five days a week in the planning and service area. In addition center participant enjoy a variety of activities including exercise, educational programs, games, music, arts and crafts, volunteer opportunities, recreation, special events, and computer instructions in some locations.

SENIOR CENTERS

BULLOCK COUNTY

Union Springs

Midway

BUTLER COUNTY

Georgiana

Greenville

CRENSHAW COUNTY

Bradleyton/Helicon

Brantley

Dozier

Honoraville

Luverne

LOWNDES COUNTY

Hayneville

Fort Deposit

MACON COUNTY

Tuskegee

Notasulga

Shorter

Town Creek

PIKE COUNTY

Goshen

Troy

Brundidge



Our Mission

To foster the development of a comprehensive and coordinated service delivery system that will address the optimum needs of older adults and their families that will allow older individuals to maintain independence with dignity in their own homes and communities for as long as possible.

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SCADC was designated as an Area Agency on Aging in 1976 under the Older Americans Act of 1965, as Amended. It was established to foster the development of a comprehensive and coordinated service delivery system for older adults living in Bullock, Butler, Crenshaw, Lowndes, Macon and Pike Counties. The Area Agency on Aging is responsible for advocacy, planning and provision of supportive services, nutrition services, and where appropriate, the establishment, maintenance, or construction of multipurpose senior centers. In addition we administer a variety of home and community-based services. The provision of most services is delivered under local service contracts.

Helping keep Seniors at Home



Senior Resource Center

This program educates seniors and their families regarding services and benefits available to them. It provides person-centered access to information through a single entry point and helps those seeking information about long-term services and supports to plan for their care. In addition, it provides access to options both public and private thus helping them to make more informed choices regarding their care.

Alabama Cares Program

Known also as the National Family Caregivers Program and authorized under the Older Americans Act, this program gives support to family caregivers in their caregivers roles. To eligible caregivers, this program offers assistance with resources, education and services including Case Management, Counseling, Respite, and Supplemental Services.

Senior Employment Program

Unemployed persons age 55 and older with low incomes living in Bullock, Butler, Crenshaw and Lowndes Counties are provided part-time training opportunities through this program. Enrollees are trained in various community settings including local governments, educational facilities, and senior centers and are encouraged to seek unsubsidized employment.

State Health Insurance Program

Individual insurance counseling, advice and assistance provided to Medicare beneficiaries regarding Medicare, Medicaid, long-term care insurance, supplemental health insurance, QMB, SLMB, and Medicare Part D prescription drug plans.

Senior Medicare Patrol Program

This program is designed to train retired professional to serve in their communities as volunteer expert resources and educators in combating health care error, fraud and abuse.



Ombudsman Program

This program sets forth our advocacy efforts on behalf of residents of long-term care facilities, their friends and families. It works to protect the health, safety, welfare and rights of Alabama's older adults. Complaint processing and resolution, information and assistance, community and elder abuse education, in-service education, routine facility visits, issue advocacy, interagency coordination, resident and family councils, advisory council and volunteer development are components of the program.



Medicaid Waivered Services

The purpose of this program is to provide home and community-based services to older adults and persons with disabilities in their communities who are at risk of institutional care. Attention is given to client care, protecting the health and welfare of the client, and client free choices in providers and workers. Services available through this program include Case Management, Respite, Homemaker, Personal Care, Companion, Frozen Meals and Adult Day Health.

SenioRx: Partnership for Medication Access

Support is given to eligible individuals 55 and older in applying for free and low-cost medications and nutrition supplements made available through pharmaceutical company programs. Eligible persons must have no prescription coverage, have chronic medical condition and meet certain income requirements. Wellness education is also provided.