

Long Term Care Alternatives Program Resource Manual

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INTRODUCTION

This manual is designed to assist all that are involved in the aging network. Since the turn of the new century the awareness of the increasing numbers of Americans living longer brings with it a need to reach out to the community more effectively and to assist the agencies involved in aiding seniors to maintain an active place within our societal structure.

Anticipating the growing change in the elderly population, the Older Americans Act was passed in 1965. This Act of Congress has allowed the establishment of Area Agencies on Aging to create, implement and monitor a wide range of supportive and nutrition services.

The Northeast Mississippi Planning and Development District is the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) for the 6 counties of Northeast Mississippi. NEMPDD AAA is the focal point for services provided to senior citizens in the six county area. The AAA has entered into contracts with the Alcorn Human Resource Agency, North Mississippi Rural Legal Services, and Northeast Mississippi Community Services to aide in providing a host of comprehensive services to the elderly community. An ongoing relationship with these agencies allows the AAA to administer Older Americans Act Programs, Social Services Block Grant Programs and occasional special interest grants. These indirect services include: Adult Day Care, Congregate Meals, Transportation, Homemaker Services, Home Delivered Meals, Legal Services, Outreach, Case Management, Family Caregiver Support Program and Senior Community Services Employment Program (SCSEP). Direct services provided by the AAA include: State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP), Ombudsman, Program Administration, Disease Prevention/Health Promotion and Elder Abuse Prevention. Additional contracts with Mississippi Division of Medicaid enable the AAA to provide home and community based services with the Elderly/Disabled Medicaid Waiver Program, in addition to information, education, and referral with the Long Term Care Alternatives Program.

The Long Term Care Alternatives Program is an information, education, and referral source for elderly and/or disabled adults who are considering long term care. The program is to inform and assist those individuals in locating possible home or community based alternatives to nursing facility placement. The individual will be provided assistance in locating the most suitable and cost effective services available in their community. The program is designed to extend their stay at home and to prevent premature nursing facility placement. A referral to the program does not effect approval for nursing facility placement.

The counties served by this district and the Long Term Care Alternatives Program are as follows:

ALCORN: Corinth, Kossuth, Rienzi, Glen

BENTON: Ashland, Hickory Flat, Michigan City, Lamar

MARSHALL: Holly Springs, Byhalia, Potts Camp

PRENTISS: Booneville, Baldwyn, Jumpertown, Marietta

TIPPAH: Ripley, Blue Mountain, Dumas, Falkner, Walnut

TISHOMINGO: Iuka, Belmont, Burnsville, Golden, Paden, Tishomingo

Home and Community-Based Services Waiver Programs

Elderly and Disabled Waiver

The Elderly and Disabled Waiver program provides home and community-based services to individuals over the age of 21 whom, but for the provision of such services, would require the level of care provided in a nursing facility. Beneficiaries of this waiver must qualify for Medicaid as Supplemental Security Income (SSI) beneficiaries or 300% of SSI and meet medical criteria of the program. Individuals must also score 50 or above on the Medicaid Long Term Care Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) instrument.

The Elderly and Disabled Waiver program is administered directly by the Community Long Term Care Division (CLTC). Case Management services are provided by the Planning and Development Districts. The case management team is composed of a registered nurse and a licensed social worker who are responsible for identifying, screening and completing an assessment on individuals in need of at-home services. Upon approval of the CLTC, the case managers can refer qualified individuals to the following services: adult day health care, home-delivered meals, homemaker services, escorted transportation, institutional respite services, in-home respite, transition assistance and expanded home health visits.

Independent Living Waiver

The Independent Living Waiver program was created to assist severely orthopedically and/or neurologically impaired individuals who, for the provision of personal care attendant services, would require the level of care provided in a nursing facility. Individuals in this waiver must be capable of directing their own care and possess rehabilitative potential. Beneficiaries of this waiver must be Medicaid eligible as SSI recipients or meet the requirement of the handicapped coverage group which allows an income level up to 300 percent of the SSI Federal benefit rate. Individuals must be at least 16 years of age and they must score 50 or above on the Medicaid Long Term Care Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) instrument.

The Department of Rehabilitation Services is responsible for the administration of this waiver and working in conjunction with the CLTC Division.

The Department of Rehabilitation Services, in addition to administering the waiver program, also provides case management services with registered nurses and rehabilitation counselors who provide the necessary support for individuals in this waiver. The case managers are also responsible for coordinating and monitoring personal care attendant services.

Intellectually Disabled/Developmentally Disabled Waiver (ID/DD)

The ID/DD Waiver provides services to individuals who, but for the provision of home and community-based services, would require placement in an Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR). Individuals in this program must qualify for one of the following eligibility categories: SSI or 300% of SSI, TANF, or Disabled Child Living at Home. There are no restrictions for this Waiver.

The ID/DD waiver is administered by the Department of Mental Health, Bureau of Mental Retardation. The Department, through its regional centers, provides support coordination and through an assessment process makes referrals for the following services: In-Home Respite, ICF/MR Respite, Community Respite, Residential Habilitation, Day Habilitation, Prevocational Services, Supported Employment, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech, Language and Hearing Therapy, Specialized Medical Supplies, Behavioral Support/Interventions, and Attendant Care Services.

Assisted Living Waiver

The Assisted Living Waiver is a statewide program designed to offer assistance to qualified Medicaid beneficiaries. This program allows qualified individuals to reside in an Assisted Living Facility with Medicaid paying for the services received in the facility. The facility must be licensed by the Mississippi State Department of Health as an Assisted Living Facility.

Individuals in this waiver program must be 21 years of age or older. Beneficiaries of this waiver can have income up to 300% of the SSI Federal benefit rate which is the same income level for individuals residing in a nursing facility that are eligible for Medicaid. Beneficiaries must score 50 or above on the Medicaid Long Term Care Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) instrument. Persons must require nursing facility level of care, if assistance is not provided.

The following services are available to eligible beneficiaries: Case management, personal care, homemaker services, chore services, attendant care, medication oversight, medication administration, therapeutic social and recreational programming, intermittent skilled nursing services, transportation, attendant call system, and incontinence supplies.

For additional information call 1-800-421-2408 or 601-359-6141

Traumatic Brain Injury/Spinal Cord Injury Waiver (TBI/SPI)

The TBI/SCI Waiver is a statewide program, administered jointly by the Division of Medicaid and the Department of Rehabilitation Services. It is designed to offer assistance to qualified Medicaid beneficiaries. The program allows qualified individuals to remain in a home or community- based setting.

There are no age restrictions for this Wavier. Person qualified for Medicaid by either SSI or 300% of SSI, TANF, Disabled Child Living at Home, Foster Children, and Adoption Assistance Foster Children. Person must require nursing facility level of care, if assistance is not provided. Beneficiaries must have a diagnosis of traumatic brain or spinal cord injury and be medically stable. Beneficiaries must score 50 or above on the Medicaid Long Term Care Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) instrument.

Services include case management, in-home companion nursing respite or institutional respite, environmental accessibility adaptations, specialized medical equipment and supplies, attendant care services, transition assistance.

Information on each Waiver is available online at the Division of Medicaid website:

www.medicaid.ms.gov

HCBS WAIVER PROGRAMS

ASSISTED LIVING WAIVER

MS Division of Medicaid
Bureau of Long Term Care
550 High St., Suite 1000
Walter Sillers Building
Jackson, MS 39201-1399
(601) 359-6141
Fax: (601) 359-9532

ID/DD WAIVER PROGRAM

North Mississippi Regional Center
967 Regional Center Drive
Oxford, MS 38655
Phone: (662) 234-1476
Counties Served (district only):
Alcorn, Benton, Marshall, Prentiss,
Tippah, Tishomingo

MS DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION SERVICES INDEPENDENT LIVING

Independent Living
1281 Highway 51 North
P.O. Box 1698
Jackson, MS 39215
1-800-443-1000

TRAUMATIC BRAIN/SPINAL CORD INJURY PROGRAM

MS Department of Rehabilitation
Services case manages this program
as well.
1-800-443-1000

Marshall County-IL

P.O. Box 550
8480 West Sandidge
Olive Branch, MS 38654
662-895-4597
Fax: 662-893-1348

Elderly and Disabled Waiver

Northeast MS Planning & Development District
P.O. Box 600
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-7038
1-800-745-6961
Fax: (662) 728-2417

Alcorn & Tishomingo-IL

P.O. Box 1115
2701 CR 402 S.Fulton Dr.
Corinth, MS 38835
662-287-6951
Fax: 662-287-1463

Counties served: Alcorn, Benton, Marshall
Prentiss, Tippah, Tishomingo

Benton County-IL

P.O. Box 1691
816 A Hwy 348
New Albany, MS 63652
662-534-6998

Tippah & Prentiss County-IL

P.O. Box 2760
2620 Traceland Drive
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-840-9946
662-840-9947
Fax: 662-840-0944

Planning and Development Districts
AREA AGENCIES ON AGING
Elderly and Disabled Medicaid Waiver Program

Central MS AAA

P.O. Box 4935
Jackson, MS 39296-4935
Phone: (601) 981-1511
Fax: (601) 981-1515
1-800-315-3103
Copiah, Hinds,
Madison, Rankin,
Simpson, Warren,
Yazoo

East Central AAA

P.O. Box 499
Newton, MS 39345
Phone: (601) 683-2401
Fax: (601) 683-7873
1-800-264-2007
Clark, Jasper, Kemper,
Lauderdale, Leake,
Neshoba, Newton, Scott,
Smith

Golden Triangle AAA

P.O. Box 828
Starkville, MS 39760
Phone: (662) 324-4560
Fax: (662) 324-7328
Choctaw, Clay,
Lowndes, Noxubee,
Oktibbeha, Webster,
Winston

North Central AAA

711B South Applegate
Winona, MS 38967
Phone: (662) 283-2675
Fax: (662) 283-5875
Attala, Carroll, Grenada,
Holmes, Leflore,
Montgomery, Yalobusha

North Delta AAA

P.O. Box 1488
Batesville, MS 38606
Phone: (662) 561-4100
Fax: (662) 561-4112
1-800-844-2433
Coahoma, Desoto,
Panola, Quitman,
Tallahatchie, Tate
Tunica

Northeast MS AAA

P.O. Box 600
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-7038
Fax: (662) 728-2417
1-800-745-6961
Alcorn, Benton,
Marshall, Prentiss,
Tippah, Tishomingo

South Delta AAA

P.O. Box 1776
Greenville, MS 38702
Phone: (662) 378-3831
Fax: (662) 378-3834
1-800-898-3055
Bolivar, Humphreys,
Issaquena, Sharkey,
Sunflower, Washington

Southern MS AAA

9229 Hwy 49
Gulfport, MS 39503
Phone: (228) 868-2311
Fax: (228) 868-7094
1-800-444-8014
Covington, Forest,
George, Green,
Hancock, Harrison,
Jackson, Jefferson,
Davis, Jones, Lamar,
Marion, Pearl River,
Perry, Stone, Wayne

Southwest MS AAA

100 South Wall Street
Natchez, MS 39120-
Phone: (601) 446-6044
Fax: (601) 446-6071
1-800-338-2049
Adams, Amite,
Claiborne, Franklin,
Jefferson, Lawrence,
Lincoln, Pike, Walthall,
Wilkinson

Three Rivers AAA

P.O. Drawer 690
Pontotoc, MS 38863
Phone: (662) 489-2415
Fax: (662) 489-6815
1-800-338-2049
Calhoun, Chickasaw,
Itawamba, Lafayette,
Lee, Monroe, Pontotoc,
Union

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROVIDERS

Catholic Charities
PO Box 5010
295 Francis Cove
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Sister Joel Curcio
Phone: (662) 252-1336

Community Welfare Association
300 Childs St.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-5157
Community assistance with electric bills
Earnestine Norris

The Food Depot- Tishomingo
(662) 423-2694
Larry Chambers

Independent Living for the Blind
P.O. Box 1111
Oxford, MS 38655
Jamilia Ivy
Phone: (662) 234-6086
Fax: (662) 234-7421

Independent Living for the Blind
2620 Traceland Dr.
P. O. Box 2760
Tupelo, MS 38803
Phone: (662) 840-0967

NMMC Family Medicine Residency Center
Phone: (662) 377-2189
Assists with medications

Northeast Community Services (Outreach)
Belinda Keith
PO Box 1803
Corinth, MS 38835
Phone: (662) 286-9263
Community assistance with electric bills, etc.

St. James Catholic Church
3189 N. Harper Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-1051

St. Mary's Catholic Church
205 E. Eastport Street
Iuka MS 38852
(662) 423-9358

Together RX
1-800-865-7211
www.togetherrx.com
Assists with medication

United Community Action
403 S. Commerce St.
Ripley, MS 38863
Phone: (662) 837-9812

S.A.F.E., Inc.
Shelter & Assistance in Family Emergencies
P. O. Box 985
Tupelo, MS 38802
Phone: (662) 841-9138
Fax: (662) 680-5785
24- Hour Crisis Line:
(662) 841-CARE (2273)
1-800-527-7233

Partnership for Prescription Assistance
1-888-477-2669
www.pparx.org
Assist with medication

HOMEMAKER/ RESPITE/ HOME DELIVERED MEALS PROVIDERS

Alcorn Co. Human Resource Center/ Bishop Center

P.O. Box 1140

1300 Washington Street

Corinth, MS 38835

Phone: (662) 286-7747

Phone: (662) 286-7748

Services include:

Adult Day Care Center

In Home Respite Program

Homemaker Services

Home Delivered Meals

Counties: Alcorn County Only

Northeast MS Community Services

Central Office

P.O. Box 930

Booneville, MS 38829

Phone: (662)728-2118

Services include:

Adult Day Care Center –Tishomingo County

In Home Respite Program

Homemaker Services

Home Delivered Meals

Counties: Benton, Marshall, Prentiss, Tippah, and Tishomingo

Fee for Services

Comfort Keepers

P.O. Box 1340

Tupelo, MS 38802

Phone: (662) 841-8477

Fax: (662)841-8433

Services include:

Homemaker services

In Home Respite Care

CONGREGATE MEAL SITES

ALCORN

Bishop Day Care Center (ACHRA)
1300 Washington St.
P.O. Box 1140
Corinth, MS 38835
662-286-7748
Fax: 662-286-7759
Annette Stringer

Jacinto Senior Center
8 CR 364
Old Jacinto Courthouse
Rienzi, MS 38865
662-462-7803
Karen Wiggington

MARSHALL

Chulahoma Community Center
5795 Old Hwy. 4 West
Holly Springs, MS 38635
662-564-2004
Queen Dean

Victoria Community Center
77 Victoria Rd.
Victoria, MS 38679
662-838-3224
Delia Reid

Isaac Chapel Community Center
309 South
Byhalia, MS 38611
66-838-7231
Helen Newson

PRENTISS

Marietta Park Community Center
119 Meadowcreek Rd.
Marietta, MS 38856
662-728-7062
Sheila Johnson

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo Day Care for the Elderly
P. O. Box 335
Dennis, MS 38838
662-438-7187
Edna Earl Cook

Iuka/Mineral Springs
Mineral Springs Park Community Center
28 CR 243
Iuka, MS 38852
662-423-2706
Janet Crane

Burnsville Park Community Center
114 Jefferson St.
Burnsville, MS 38833
662-427-9777
Bonnie Hamm

ADULT DAY CARE

Alcorn County Human Resource Agency, Inc.

Bishop Day Care Center

1300 Washington St.

P.O. Box 1140

Corinth, MS 38834

662-286-7747

Fax: 662-286-7759

Annette Stringer

Tishomingo County Day Care for the Elderly

P.O. Box 335

Dennis, MS 38838

662-438-7187

Edna Earl Cook

Angel Adult Day Center

513 E. Walnut St.

Ripley, MS

662-512-1502

Carla Johnson

Sharing Hearts Adult Care

First Baptist Church of Corinth

501 Main St.

Corinth, MS 38834

662-286-2208

Becky Dalton

TRANSPORTATION

Non-Emergency Transportation Division

(Transportation paid for by Medicaid if you qualify)

LogistiCare Solutions, LLC
1929 Dunbarton Drive
Jackson, MS 39216
1-866-331-6004
North: 1-866-334-3794
South: 1-866-331-6006

American Cancer Society
1800 West Main St., Box 1
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-844-8544
662-844-6068
Fax 662-844-6153
www.cancer.org

Patients' Choice Senior Care
of Tippah County
Tippah County Hospital
1005 City Avenue North
Ripley, MS 38663
662-837-1561
Fax 662-837-1566
tippahcountyhospital.com

Private Pay

Lefleur Transportation
219 Industrial Drive
Ridgeland, MS 39157
601-853-1823
1-800-844-0046
Fax 601-853-8756
E-mail: www.lefleur.net
Statewide service

ACHRA/Bishop Center
P.O. Box 1140
1300 Washington St.
Corinth, MS 38835
662-286-7747
662-286-7748
Alcorn County only
No charge at this time

Northeast Community Services
P.O. Box 930
Booneville, MS 38829
662-728-2118
Alcorn County: 286-9263
Marshall County: 252-2713
Prentiss County: 728-8141
Tishomingo County: 423-7013
SMALL FEE

United Community Action
403 S Commerce St.
Ripley, MS 38663
662-837-9812
Tippah County: 837-9812
Benton County: 224-8912
SMALL FEE

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

ALCORN

2690 South Harper Rd.
P.O. Box 2170
Corinth, MS 38835
Phone: (662) 286-2205
Fax: (662) 286-7721

BENTON

183 Court St.
P.O. Box 37
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-6245
Fax: (662) 224-6308

MARSHALL

230 East College Avenue
P.O. Box 218
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-4511
Fax: (662) 252-1111

PRENTISS

100 Hotel Street
P.O. Box 427
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-3118
Fax: (662) 728-3119

TIPPAH

412 Water Street
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9307
Fax: (662) 837-1192

TISHOMINGO

County Courthouse
108 Battleground Drive
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-7020
Fax: (662) 423-7057

ADDITIONAL AREA SERVICE PROVIDERS

National Council on Alcohol
And Drug Dependence (NCADD)
Local Office
200 N Spring Street
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 841-0403
Fax: (662) 841-9373

L.I.F.E.
Living Independent for Everyone
1051 Cliff Gookin Blvd, Suite D
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 844-6633
Fax: (662) 844-6803

North Mississippi Special Needs ARC
403 S Commerce Street
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9812
Fax: (662) 837-4972

United Community Action
403 S Commerce Street
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9812 (Tippah)
Phone: (662) 224-8912 (Benton)

The Salvation Army
2200 Lackey Dr.
P. O. Box 965
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-6979

The Salvation Army
527 Carnation Street
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 680-ARMY
(662) 842-9222

Red Shield Lodge Homeless Shelter
The Salvation Army
527 Carnation St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 842-9222

Our Resource Center
National Alliance on Mental Illness
710 Bradley Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-6679
Fax: 662-286-2120
www.ourresourcecenter.org

Women First Resource Center
215 N. Gloster, Suite D
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 842-5725

Family Resource Center of
Northeast Mississippi
425 Magazine St.
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 844-0013

Helping Hands Free Clinic
United Way of Alcorn County
1001 South Harper Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
(662) 287-2094
Alcorn County residents only

COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

ALCORN

Alcorn County Health Department
3706 Joanne Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-6121
Fax: (662) 287-6922

BENTON

Benton County Health Department
105 Fourth St.
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-6442
Fax: (662) 224-6855

MARSHALL

Marshall County Health Department
225 S. Market St.
P. O. Box 340
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-4621
Fax: (662) 252-7806

PRENTISS

Prentiss County Health Department
615 E. Parker Dr.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-3518
Fax: (662) 728-2005

TIPPAH

Tippah County Health Department
129 Hospital Street
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-3215
Fax: (662) 837-9480

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo County Health Department
1508 Bettydale Drive
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-6100
Fax: (662) 423-1582

HOSPITALS

ALCORN

Magnolia Regional Health Center
611 Alcorn Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 293-1000

MARSHALL

Alliance Health Care System
1430 Hwy. 4 E.
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-1212

PRENTISS

Baptist Memorial Hospital-Booneville
100 Hospital Street
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 720-5000

TIPPAH

Tippah County Hospital
1005 City Ave. North
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9221

TISHOMINGO

Iuka Hospital
1777 Curtis Dr.
P. O. Box 860
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-6051

OTHER

Baptist Memorial Hospital-Union
County
200 Highway 30 West
New Albany, MS 38652
Phone: (662) 538-7631

Baptist Memorial Hospital-East
6019 Walnut Grove Road
Memphis, TN 38120
Phone: 901-226-5000

The Med
877 Jefferson Avenue
Memphis, TN 38103
Phone: 1-800-351-3434

North Mississippi Medical Center
830 South Gloster Street
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 377-3000

Red Bay Hospital
211 Hospital Rd. /P.O. Box 490
Red Bay, AL 35582
Phone: (256) 356-9532

VA Hospital
1030 Jefferson Ave.
Memphis, TN 38104
Phone: (901) 523-8990
Toll Free: (800) 636-8262

Women's Hospital
4566 S. Eason Blvd.
Tupelo, MS 38801
(662) 377-4800

COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS

Main Site

North Benton County Health Care, Inc.

(Benton Medical Center)

15921 Boundary Drive

P.O. Box 92

Ashland, MS 38603

662-224-8951

662-224-6459 Fax

Counties Served: Benton, Marshall, Union, Tippah, Alcorn, & Portions of Tennessee

Satellite Clinics

Walnut Medical Center

531 Main St.

P.O. Box 89

Walnut, MS 38683

662-223-4011

662-223-4018 Fax

Counties Served: Tippah, Benton, Alcorn

Family Medical Center

Hwy 15 South

P.O. Box 515

Ripley, MS 38663

662-837-0000

662-837-7003 Fax

Counties Served: Tippah, Union, Benton, surrounding area

Booneville Community Health Center

208 North First Street

Booneville, MS 38829

662-728-3313

662-728-5623 Fax

Counties Served: Prentiss and surrounding areas

END STAGE RENAL DISEASE FACILITIES

Fresenius Medical Care
810 Alcorn Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
662-287-9577

Fresenius Medical Care
1325 Hwy 4 East
Holly Springs, MS 38635
662-252-6210

Fresenius Medical Care
2978 Mattox St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-844-0009

EQUIPMENT COMPANIES

ALCORN

Complete Home Care Equipment
3207 Mullins Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-3700
Fax: (662) 286-3343
Toll Free: 1-800-748-6393

Hangers Prosthetics and Orthotics
3003 Hwy 72 W
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-1991
Fax: (662) 287-2263

Home Care Medical Equipment
614 Alcorn Dr.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-6405
Fax: (662) 286-5898
Toll Free: 1-800-748-9060

Vial Care
3114 Shiloh Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-8044

Benton

Family Medical Equipment
123 Hwy 370
Ashland, MS 38603
(662) 224-3999

Marshall

Tyson Home Care Supply
621 Hwy. 7
Holly Springs, MS 38635
(662) 252-2320

Prentiss

Smith Drug and Home Medical
100 S. Second St.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-5322

Booneville Community Pharmacy
206 N. Second St.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-1951

TIPPAH

Mid-South Medical Supply
1021 City Ave. North
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-4824

Tishomingo

Iuka Discount Drugs/Home Health Center
1411 West Quitman
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-9039

OTHER

Comfacare Home Health Supply
929 4th ST. NW
Red Bay, AL 35582
Phone: (256) 356-9111

Prax-Air
1794 Cliff Gookin Blvd.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Fax: (662) 842-8907
Toll Free: 1-800-242-4806 or (662) 842-2116

United Access
2180 Hillshire Circle
Memphis, TN 38133
Toll Free: 1-800-264-4304
Vehicle modifications

Handicapped Unlimited, Inc.
5640 Summer Ave., Suite 3
Memphis, TN 38134
Phone: (901) 373-0095
Toll Free: 1-888-371-8095
Vehicle modifications

NURSING HOMES

ALCORN

Cornerstone Health and Rehab Center
P.O. Box 1417
302 Alcorn Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone (662) 286-2286
Capacity: 125

Mississippi Care Center
3701 Joanne Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-8071
Capacity: 125

Whitfield Nursing Home, Inc.
2101 East Proper Street
P.O. Drawer 1425
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-3331
Capacity: 44

BENTON

Briarcrest Health & Rehab
16056 Boundary Dr.
P.O. Box 490
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-6196
Capacity: 60

MARSHALL

Trinity Mission Health & Rehab
1315 Hwy 4 East
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-1141

Trinity Mission Health & Rehab
111 Chase St
Byhalia, MS 38611
662-838-3670

PRENTISS

Longwood Manor
200 Long Street
P.O. Box 326
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-6234
Capacity: 64

Landmark Nursing Home and Rehab
100 Lauren Drive
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 720-0972
Capacity: 80

TIPPAH

Rest Haven Nursing Home
103 Cunningham Drive
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-3062
Capacity: 60

Golden Living Center-Ripley
101 Cunningham Drive
P.O. Box 534
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-3011
Capacity: 150

Tippah County Nursing Home
1005 City Avenue North
P.O. Box 499
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9221
Capacity: 44

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo Co. Community Living Center
1410 West Quitman
P.O. Box 562
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-3422
Capacity: 80

Tishomingo Manor
230 Khaki Ave.
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-9112
Capacity: 120

OTHER

Baptist Progressive Care Center-Desoto
7805 Southcrest Parkway
Southaven, MS 38671
Phone: (662) 349-7500
Capacity: 120

Beverly Healthcare-Southaven
1730 Dorchester Drive
Southaven, MS 38671
Phone: (662) 393-0050
Capacity: 120

Courtyards Community Living Center
907 East Walker
P.O. Box 69
Fulton, MS 38843
Phone: (662) 862-6140
Capacity: 60

Daniel Healthcare Complex / The Meadows
804 South Adams Street
P.O. Drawer 127
Fulton, MS 38843.
Phone: (662) 862-2165
Capacity: 130

Beverly Healthcare-Eason Blvd.
2273 S Eason Blvd.
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 842-2461
Capacity: 120

Traceway Retirement Community
2800 W Main Street
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 844-1441
Capacity: 140

Tupelo Nsg & Rehab Center
1901 Briar Ridge Road
Tupelo, MS 38804
Phone: (662) 844-0675
Capacity: 120

North Mississippi Medical
Center/Baldwyn Nursing Facility
739 4th South St.
Baldwyn, MS 38824
Phone: (662) 365-4091
Capacity: 106

State Veterans Home
120 Veterans Drive
Oxford, MS 38655
662-236-1218
662-236-7641

PERSONAL CARE HOMES

Alcorn

Country Cottage –Corinth
3002 North Polk
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-7811
Capacity: 29

Dogwood Plantation of Corinth
1101 Levee Rd.
P. O. Box 958
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-7021
Capacity: 24

Benton

Cedarbrook Retirement Home
1150 Gray Academy Rd.
P. O. Box 116
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-3323
Capacity: 20

Marshall

Christophers Personal Care Home
885 Hwy 178 East
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 551-1122
Capacity: 46

Prentiss

Scott Dale Cottage
1101 West Chambers Dr.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 720-9594

The Landmark Community
701 West Church Street
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-3539
Capacity: 48

Tippah

Tishomingo

Carrington House
1670 Whitehouse Rd.
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-3307
Capacity: 18

Southern Magnolia Estates
1308 North Pearl Street
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 424-0053/424-0023

Southern Magnolia Estates
267 Front St.
Golden, MS 38847
Phone: (662) 454-0544

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

ALCORN

Timber Hills Mental Health Services
601 Foote St /P.O. Box 839
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-4424

Our Resource Center-NAMI Corinth
National Alliance on Mental Illness
710 Bradley Rd.
Phone: (662) 286-6679
Fax: (662) 286-2120
www.ourresourcecenter.org

BENTON

Mental Health and Retardation Reg. III
214 Industrial Drive
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-0078

MARSHALL

Mental Health and Retardation Reg. II
820 Hwy 178 E. /P.O. Box 917
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-4140

PRENTISS

Timber Hills Mental Health Service
2100 E. Chambers Dr. /P.O. Box 716
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-3174

TIPPAH

Timber Hills Mental Health Service
2441-A CR 501/ P O. Box 216
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-8154

TISHOMINGO

Timber Hills Mental Health Service
1213 Maria Lane/ P.O. Box 1290
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-3332

OTHER

Millcreek of Pontotoc
1814 Hwy. 15 North
P.O. Box 619
Pontotoc, MS 38863
1-888-488-1023
Fax: (662) 488-8767

Parkwood Outreach Center
109 South Spring St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
1-800-307-3598

Region III Mental Health Complex
2434 S Eason Blvd
Tupelo, MS 38801
(662) 844-1717

North MS Medical Center
Behavior Health Center
4579 S Eason Blvd.
Tupelo, MS 38801
1-800-442-2238

HOME HEALTH AGENCIES

Baptist Memorial Regional Home Health
126 Hwy 51 North/ P.O. Box 1429
Batesville, MS 38606
Phone: (662) 578-8402
Fax: (662) 578-8410

Gilbert's Home Health Agency
P.O. Box 4208
Tupelo, MS 38803
Phone: 1-800-952-8105
Fax: (662) 844-4270

Gilbert's Home Health- Booneville
200 S. Second St.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 720-0060 or 1- 888-654-0568
Fax: (662) 720-9902

Gilbert's Home Health-New Albany
407 Doctors Drive
New Albany, MS 38652
Phone: (662) 534-0106 or 1-800-418-7312
Fax: (662) 538-0700

Gilbert's Home Health- Ripley
404 E. Walnut St.
P.O. Box 503
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-7005 or 1-888-878-4176
Fax: (662) 837-8090

Home Choice Health Services
2007 Oak Tree Cove
Hernando, MS 38632
Phone: (662) 449-4955
Fax: (662) 449-4965

Intrepid USA
885 Fern Cliff Dr., Suite 1
Southaven, MS 38671
Phone: (662) 393-0109 or 1-800-725-3996
Fax (662) 393-4306

Magnolia Regional Home Health
2034 E. Shiloh Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 293-1405
Fax: (662) 293-1414

Northeast Home Health Agency
MS State Dept. of Health, Region B
517 E. Church St.
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-5391 or 1-800-844-2020
Fax: (662) 728-0132

North MS Medical Center-NMMC
Home Health Agency- Main Office
424 President Ave.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 377-3607
Fax: (662) 377-2680

NMMC Home Health - Fulton
2 Medical Park Dr.
P.O. Box 97
Fulton, MS 38843
Phone: (662) 862-7666
Fax: (662) 862-7653

NMMC Home Health- Ripley
1113 City Ave. North
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: 1-800-990-8730
Fax: (662) 837-3329

EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

American Medical Alert Corporation
Voice Care
3265 Lawson Blvd
Oceanside, NY 11572
Phone: (516) 536-5850
Fax: (516) 536-5276
Toll Free: (800) 645-3244
www.amacalert.com

Safety Choice
Comfort Keepers
P.O. Box 1340
Tupelo, MS 38802
1-866-841-8477

Life Alarm Services, Inc.
114 Shartom Drive
Augusta, GA 30907-4748
Phone: (706) 854-9818
Fax: (706) 854-9787
Toll Free: (800) 780-5433
www.life-alarm.com

LifeFone
16 Yellowstone Ave.
White Plains, NY 10607-1324
Phone: (888) 737-2745
Fax: (800) 747-2032
www.lifefone.com

Lifeline Systems
111 Lawrence Street
Farmington, MA 01702
Phone: 1-866-714-5297
www.lifelinesystems.com

Acadian On Call
P.O. Box 91430
Lafayette, LA 70509-1430
1-800-259-1234
www.acadianoncall.com

Alert One Services, Inc.
24 West Fourth St.
Williamsport, PA 17701
1-866-581-4540
www.Alert-1.com

HOSPICE

Amedisys Hospice
144 S. Thomas St., Suite 105
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 620-1050

AseraCare Hospice
209 Alcorn Dr.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 665-9185

Baptist Memorial Home Care
Hospice Division
126 Hwy. 51 N/ P.O. Box 1429
Batesville, MS 38606
Phone: (662) 578-8402
Fax: (662) 578-8402

Gilbert's Home Health & Hospice
P.O. Box 3293
Tupelo, MS 38803
2633 Lawndale Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: 1-800-952-8105

Heart to Heart Hospice
P.O. Box 875
Belmont, MS 38827
Phone: (662) 454-3632
Fax: (662) 454-3655

Heritage Hospice, Inc.
301 E. Waldron
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-5333
Fax: (662) 286-0052

Magnolia Regional Home Health
& Hospice
2034 E. Shiloh Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 293-1405
Fax: (662) 293-1414

Mercy Hospice of Mississippi
111 B. Hospital St. / P.O. Box 541
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-9990

North Delta Staffing Services
123 Stateline Rd. East
Southaven, MS 38671
Toll Free: 1-877-393-0170
Fax: (662) 393-0171

North Mississippi Medical Center Hospice
424 E. President Ave.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 377-3607

Sanctuary Hospice House
5159 W. Main St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
P.O. Box 2177
Tupelo, MS 38803
Phone: (662) 844-2111
Fax: (662) 844-2354

Southern Care Hospice
1682 Wilson St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 841-0085

Unity Hospice
1413 W. Main St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 844-2870
Fax: (662) 844-2871

CERTIFIED RURAL HEALTH CLINICS

ALCORN

The Family Clinic of Rienzi
82 Main Street
P.O. Box 194
Rienzi, MS 38865
Phone: (662) 462-8600

Medi-Stat Clinic RHC
703 Alcorn Drive, Suite 109
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-1499

Tri State Rural Health Clinic
502 Alcorn Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-5216

BENTON

Hickory Flat Family Medical Clinic
250 Oak Street
P.O. Box 5
Hickory Flat, MS 38633
Phone: (662) 333-6387

MARSHALL

Baptist Family Medical Clinic
190 College Street
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-4033

Holly Springs Doctor Clinic
153A S Market Street
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-9987

Williams Medical Clinic
1938 Crescent Meadow Dr.
P.O. Box 5040
Holly Springs, MS 38634
Phone: (662) 252-1599

UTILITY DEPARTMENTS

ALCORN

Alcorn County Electric Power Assn.
306 South Cass
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-4402

Alcorn Water Association

611 Childs Street
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-6689

BENTON

Ashland Water and Gas Dept.
Ashland, MS 38603
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 224-6401

Tippah Electric Power Assn.
109 East Cooper/ P.O. Box 206
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-8139

MARSHALL

Electric, Gas, and Water
1050 East Salem Avenue/ P.O. Box 520
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-4411

PRENTISS

Booneville Gas and Water
200 North College
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-6259

Prentiss County Electric Power Assn.
302 W. Church Street/ P.O. Box 428
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-4433

TIPPAH

New Albany Light, Gas, and Water
101 W. Bankhead Street
New Albany, MS 38622
Phone: (662) 534-1041

Ripley Gas Company

500 S. Main St.
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-7154

Tippah Electric Power Assn.

109 East Cooper/ P.O. Box 206
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-8139

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo Electric Power Assn.
205 Constitution Dr.
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-3646

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

ALCORN

P.O. Box 539
2200 Levee Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 286-7755

BENTON

P.O. Box 158
382 Ripley Ave.
Ashland, MS 38603
Phone: (662) 224-6330

MARSHALL

632 Hwy.178 E.
P.O. Box 489
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-3541

PRENTISS

2301 N. Second St.
P.O. Box 130
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-5631

TIPPAH

P.O. Box 280
1079 1-B Hwy 15 South
Ripley, MS 38663
Phone: (662) 837-8184

TISHOMINGO

P.O. Box 610
1008 Battleground Dr.
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-7016

HOUSING AUTHORITY

ALCORN

Corinth Housing Authority
1101 Cruise Street
Corinth, MS 38834
Phone: (662) 287-1489/287-1488

Tennessee Regional Housing Authority
1210 Proper Street
Corinth, MS 38834
P.O. Box 1329
Corinth, MS 38835
Phone: (662) 286-8437

MARSHALL

Holly Springs Housing Authority
700 Hwy. 4 E.
Holly Springs, MS 38635
Phone: (662) 252-2971

PRENTISS

Booneville Housing Authority
801 North College Street
P.O. Box 368
Booneville, MS 38829
Phone: (662) 728-4032

TISHOMINGO

Iuka Housing Project
629 White House Rd.
P.O. Box 267
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 423-9232

VETERAN'S ADMINISTRATIONS

ALCORN

Alcorn County Veteran's Service Office
Alcorn County Court House
P.O. Box 158, Corinth, MS 38835
(662) 286-7744

MARSHALL

Marshall County Veteran's Service
Office
P.O. Box 219
Holly Springs, MS 38635
(662) 252-5508

PRENTISS

Prentiss County Veteran's Service Office
305 North College St.
Booneville, MS 38829 (662) 728-5532

TIPPAH

Tippah County Veteran's Service Office
220 N. Main St.
Ripley, MS 38663
(662) 837-9214

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo County Veteran's Service Office
Tishomingo County Court House
1008 Battleground Drive
Iuka, MS 38852
(662) 423-7053

VETERAN'S AFFAIRS

DEPARTMENT

1-800-827-1000

Aide and Attendance Program-
Available to veterans and their spouses
to assist financially when meet Nursing
Home criteria (bed bound, maximum
assistance needed with ADL's). The
amount depends upon the amount of
income currently entering the home each
month. A form is available for
physicians to complete to verify medical
need at the VA offices. To confirm
eligibility the VA office requires the
veteran's military discharge form.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENTS

ALCORN

Alcorn County Sheriff's Office
305 S Fulton Drive
Corinth, MS 38834
(662) 286-5521

BENTON

Benton County Sheriff's Office
Hwy 370
Ashland, MS 38603
(662) 224-8941

MARSHALL

Marshall County Sheriff's Office
136 North Alderson St.
Holly Springs, MS 38635
(662) 252-1311

PRENTISS

Prentiss County Sheriff's Office
1901 B East Chambers Blvd.
Booneville, MS 38829
(662) 728-6232

TIPPAH

Tippah County Sheriff's Office
205-A West Spring Street
Ripley, MS 38663
(662) 837-9336

TISHOMINGO

Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office
1111 Maria Lane
Iuka, MS 38852
(662) 423-6185

MAYORS

ALCORN COUNTY

City of Corinth
300 Childs St. / P.O. Box 669
Corinth, MS 38834
(662) 286-6644

Town of Glen
2508 Hwy 72 E,
Glen, MS 38846
(662) 287-8666

Town of Kossuth
P.O. Box 8004
Kossuth, MS 38834
(662) 287-5492

PRENTISS COUNTY

City of Booneville
203 N Main St
Booneville, MS 38829
(662) 728-5601

City of Baldwyn
P.O. Box 40
Baldwyn, MS 38824
(662) 365-2383

Town of Marietta
P.O. Box 88
Marietta, MS 38856
(662) 278-9320

Town of Jumpertown
679 Hwy. 4 W
Booneville, MS 38829
(662) 728-3658

BENTON COUNTY

Town of Ashland
P.O. Box 246
Ashland, MS 38603
(662) 224-6282/6419

Town of Hickory Flat
P.O. Box 479
Hickory Flat, MS 38633
(662) 333-7884

MARSHALL COUNTY

City of Holly Springs
160 S Memphis St
Holly Springs, MS 38635
(662) 252-4280

Town of Byhalia
P.O. Box 412
Byhalia, MS 38611
(662) 838-2135

Town of Potts Camp
P.O. Box 57
Potts Camp, MS 38859
(662) 333-7285

TIPPAH

Town of Falkner
P.O. Box 117
Falkner, MS 38629
(662) 837-4940

City of Ripley
500 S. Main St.
Ripley, MS 38663
(662) 837-7154/0130

Town of Blue Mountain
P.O. Box 116
Blue Mountain, MS 38610

Town of Walnut
P.O. Box 146
Walnut, MS 38683

Town of Dumas
City Hall
4781 CR 741
Dumas, MS 38625

TISHOMINGO COUNTY

City of Iuka
118 S Pearl St
Iuka, MS 38852
(662) 423-3781/5057

Town of Belmont
P.O. Box 489
Belmont, MS 38827
(662) 454-3371

Town of Bumsville
P.O. Box 308
Bumsville, MS 38833
(662) 427-9526

Town of Tishomingo
P.O. Box 71
Tishomingo, MS 38873
(662) 438-6302/6447

Town of Golden
P.O. Box 426
Golden, MS 38847
(662) 454-7739

Town of Paden
65 Stephens St.
Tishomingo, MS 38873
(662) 438-6451

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' OFFICES

ALCORN COUNTY

P.O. Box 69
Corinth, MS 38834
(662) 286-7707

BENTON COUNTY

P.O. Box 218
Ashland, MS 38603
(662) 224-6300

MARSHALL COUNTY

P.O. Box 219
Holly Springs, MS 38635
(662) 252-4433

PRENTISS COUNTY

P.O. Box 477
Booneville, MS 38829
(662) 728-4610

TIPPAH COUNTY

P.O. Box 69
Ripley, MS 38663
(662) 837-3655

TISHOMINGO COUNTY

1008 Battleground Drive
Iuka, MS 38852
(662) 423-7032

NATIONAL HOTLINES

Alzheimer's Association
800-272-3900

Alzheimer's Disease Education and Referral
Center (ADEAR)
800-438-4380
www.alzheimers.org

American Council of the Blind
800-424-8666

American Foundation for the Blind
800-AFB-LINE /800-232-5463

American Diabetes Association
800-Diabetes (800-2383)

Arthritis Association
800-283-7800

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention
www.cdc.gov

Consumer Nutrition Hotline
(The American Dietetic Association)
800-366-1655

Eldercare Locator Directory Assistance
800-677-1116

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)
800-669-EEOC

Medicare Hotline
800-MEDICARE

National Cancer Institute
800-4-CANCER (800-422-6237)

National Caucus & Center on Black Aged
www.ncba-blackaged.org

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National Council on Alcoholism and Drug
Dependence
800-622-2255

National Domestic Violence Hotline
800-799-7233

National Depressive and Manic Depressive Association
800-826-3632

National Fraud Information Center
800-876-7060

National Hispanic Council on Aging
www.nhcoa.org

National Hospice Organization
800-658-8898
National Institute on Aging Information Center
800-222-2225

National Mental Health Association
800-969-NMHA (800-969-6642)

National Osteoporosis Foundation
800-223-9994

National Senior Service Corps Hotline
Corp. for National and Community Service
800-424-8867

National Women's Health Info. Center
800-994- WOMAN

Social Security
800-772-1213

AMERICAN RED CROSS CHAPTERS

ALCORN

American Red Cross
4127 Westside Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 823-2376

BENTON

American Red Cross
4127 Westside Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 823-2376

MARSHALL

American Red Cross
106 Skyline Dr.
Oxford, MS 38655
Phone: (662) 236-1282

PRENTISS

American Red Cross
4127 Westside Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 823-2376

TIPPAH

American Red Cross
4127 Westside Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
Phone: (662) 823-2376

TISHOMINGO

American Red Cross
1296 Main St.
Iuka, MS 38852
Phone: (662) 438-7061

NORTH MISSISSIPPI RURAL LEGAL SERVICES

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

5 CR 1014
P.O. Box 767
Oxford, MS 38655
Phone: (662) 234-8731
Fax: (662) 236-3263
Toll Free: 1-800-898-8731

WEST POINT OFFICE

313 Hwy 45 South
P.O. Box 277
West Point, MS 39773
Phone: (662) 494-6122
Fax: (662) 494-0670
Toll Free: 1-800-898-6122

GREENVILLE OFFICE

1024 Washington Ave., Suite 101
P.O. Box 858
Greenville, MS 38701
Phone: (662) 335-8203
Fax: (662) 335-7500
Toll Free: 1-800-545-1909

TUPELO OFFICE

658 West Main Street
P.O. Box 139
Tupelo, MS 38802
Phone: (662) 842-3702
Fax: (662) 840-8060
Toll Free: 1-800-898-3702

CLARKSDALE OFFICE

5260 Choctaw St.
P.O. Box 1107
Clarksdale, MS 38614
Phone: (662) 627-4184
Fax: (662) 624-4009
Toll Free: 1-800-388-3163

OXFORD OFFICE

5 CR 1014
P.O. Box 928
Oxford, MS 38655
Phone: (662) 234-2918
Fax: (662) 234-2965
Toll Free: 1-800-559-5074

ADDITIONAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE

AARP.....	956-5180
Elder Abuse Hotline.....	1-800-222-8000
Legal Line for Elderly Mississippians.....	1-888-660-0006
Ombudsman Service (Nursing Homes).....	1-877-489-6911
MS Insurance Commission.....	1-800-562-2957
Governor's Service Line.....	1-800-682-5417
Senate Message Center.....	601-359-3267
House of Representatives Message Center.....	601-359-3770

Mississippi Legal Services

Mississippi Elderly Hotline	1-888-660-0006
Mississippi Protective/Advocacy System	1-800-772-4057
Central Mississippi Legal Services	1-800-959-6752
East Mississippi Legal Services	1-800-497-2529
North Mississippi Legal Services	1-800-559-5074
South Mississippi Legal Services	1-800-374-4160

Volunteer Legal Services

Mississippi Volunteer Lawyer Project	1-800-682-0047
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Local Medicaid Offices

Corinth Regional Medicaid Office

2619 S. Harper Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-8091
Alcorn, Prentiss and Tishomingo County

Holly Springs Regional Medicaid Office

695 Salem Ave.
Holly Springs, MS. 38635
662-252-3439
Benton, Marshall and Lafayette County

New Albany Regional Medicaid Office

1410 Munsford Drive
New Albany, MS 38652
662-534-0441
Union, Pontotoc and Tippah County

Newspapers

Alcorn

The Daily Corinthian
P. O. Box 1800
Corinth, MS 38835
662-287-6111
Fax 662-287-3525

Benton

Southern Advocate
P.O. Box 157
Ashland, MS 38603
662-224-6681

Marshall

South Reporter
P.O. Box 278
Holly Springs, MS 38635
662-252-4261
Fax 662-252-3388

Prentiss

Banner Independent
P.O. Box 10
Booneville, MS 38829
662-728-6214
Fax 662-728-1636

Tippah

Southern Sentinel
P.O. Box 558
Ripley, MS 38663
662-837-8111
Fax 662-837-4504

Tishomingo

Tishomingo County News
Front St.
Iuka, MS 38852
662-423-211
fax 662-423-2214

Belmont & Tishomingo Journal

P.O. Box 70
Belmont, MS 38827
662-454-7196
fax 662-454-0055

Lee

Northeast Daily Journal
P.O. Box 909
Tupelo, MS 38802
662-842-2622
fax 662-620-8301

Memphis, TN

Commercial Appeal
495 Union Avenue
Memphis, TN 38101
1-901-529-2211

Libraries

ALCORN

Corinth Public Library
1023 Fillmore Street
Corinth, MS 38834
(662) 287-7311

Rienzi Public Library
School Street
Rienzi, MS 38865
(662) 462-5015

BENTON

Bond Memorial Library
247 Court St.
P.O. Box 308
Ashland, MS 38603
(662) 224-6400
jburton@benton.lib.ms.us

Hickory Flat Library
P.O. Box 309
Hickory Flat, MS 38633
(662) 333-7633
hflat@benton.lib.ms.us

MARSHALL

Holly Springs Public Library
109 E. Gholson Ave.
Holly Springs, MS 38635-3014
(662) 252-3823

Ruth B. French Library
P.O. Box 325
Byhalia, MS 38611
(662) 838-4024

Potts Camp Library
20 South Center Street
Potts Camp, MS 38659
(662) 333-7068

PRENTISS

Anne Spencer Cox Library
303 N. Third Street
Baldwyn, MS 38824
(662) 365-3305

Marietta Public Library
Park Road
Marietta, MS 38856
(662) 728-9320

George E. Allen Library
500 West Church Street
Booneville, MS 38829
(662) 728-6553

TIPPAH

Blue Mountain Public Library
110 Mill Street
Blue Mountain, MS 38610
(662) 685-4721

Chalybeate Public Library
2501 A Highway 354
Walnut, MS 38638
(662) 223-4621

Ripley Public Library
308 N. Commerce Street
Ripley, MS 38663
(662) 837-7773

Walnut Public Library
650 N. Main Street
Walnut, MS 38683
(662) 223-6768

TISHOMINGO

Iuka Public Library
204 N. Main Street
Iuka, MS 38852
(662) 423-6300

Tishomingo Public Library
1292 Main Street
Tishomingo, MS 38873
(662) 438-7640

Belmont Public Library
102 Third Street
Belmont, MS 38827
(662) 454-7841

Burnsville Public Library
Norman Avenue
Burnsville, MS 38833
(662) 427-9258

LOCAL SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICES
www.socialsecurity.gov

Social Security
1050 S. Harper Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
1-866-366-4921
1-800-772-1213

Social Security
8760 Mid South Drive
Olive Branch, MS 38654
1-866-739-4771
1-800-772-1213

Social Security
199 Saddle Creek Drive
Tupelo, MS 38801
1-866-504-4267
1-800-772-1213

Health Associations

AIDS Action Council	1-202-986-1300
AIDS/HIV/Whitman Walker Clinic	1-202-797-3500
Agency for Health Care Policy and Research	1-800-358-9295
Alliance of Genetic Support Groups	1-800-336-4380
ALS Foundation (Lou Gehrig's disease)	1-800-782-4747
Alzheimer's Association	1-800-272-3900
(Middle MS Chapter)	1-800-497-2121
(South MS Chapter)	1-800-950-6251
Alzheimer's Center for Education	1-800-438-4380
Alzheimer's Disease & Related Disorder Association	1-800-272-3900
American Academy of Ophthalmology	1-415-561-8500
American Association For World Health	1-202-466-5883
American Arthritis Foundation	1-800-283-7800
American Board of Medical Specialties	1-800-776-2378
American Brain Tumor Association	1-800-886-2282
American Cancer Society	1-800-227-2345
American Diabetes Association	1-877-336-2873
American Health Care Association (for long-term care planning concerns)	1-800-628-8140
American Kidney Foundation	1-800-622-9010
American Kidney Fund	1-800-638-8299
American Liver Association	1-800-223-0179
American Lung Association	1-800-737-5453
American Lupus Society	1-800-331-1802
American Optometric Association	1-314-991-4100
American Parkinson Disease Association	1-800-223-2732
American Psychiatric Association	1-202-682-6325
American Pharmaceutical Association	1-800-862-4110
American Red Cross	1-800-528-6997
Arthritis Foundation of Mississippi	1-601-362-6283
Cancer Fund of America	1-800-578-5284
Centers for Disease Control/STD Hotline	1-800-227-8922
Cerebral Palsy Foundation	1-888-852-1961
Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities	1-800-748-9420
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	1-800-344-4823
Ensure Health Connection	1-800-986-8501
Epilepsy Foundation of Mississippi	1-601-362-2761
HIV Coalition	1-847-228-5200
Huntington Disease Society	1-212-242-1968
Mississippi Insurance Commissioner	1-601-359-3569
Leukemia Society.	1-205-989-0098
Life Blood Mid-South Regional Blood Center	1-888-LIFEBLOOD

www.lifeblood.org

Lupus Foundation of America	1-601-366-5655
March of Dimes Foundation	1-601-362-8947
Mental Health Association	1-601-352-1113
Mid-South Transplant Foundation, Inc.	1-877-228-5433
	www.midsouthtransplant.org
Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation	1-800-443-1000
	1-601-853-5100
	www.mdrs.state.ms.us
Mississippi Donated Dental Services	1-800-366-3640
Mississippi Paralysis Association	1-601-924-0452
Multiple Sclerosis	1-601-856-7575
Multiple Sclerosis Association of America	1-800-532-7667
Muscular Dystrophy Association	1-800-572-1717
National Alliance for the Mentally III	1-800-950-6264
National AIDS Hotline	1-800-342-2437
National Brain Tumor Foundation	1-800-834-2873
National Brain Tumor Society	1-800-770-8287
National Center for Nutrition and Diabetics	1-800-336-1655
National Council on Aging and Drug Dependency	1-800-622-2255
National Eye Care Project	1-800-222-3937
National Eye Institute	1-301-496-5248
National Family Caregiver Association	1-800-896-3650
National Headache Foundation	1-800-843-2256
National institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	1-800-352-9424
National Menopause Foundation	1-800-636-6275
National Mental Health Association	1-800-836-6070
National Mental Health Resource Center	1-800-969-6642
National Mental Health Self-Help Clearing House	1-800-553-4539
National Multiple Sclerosis Society	1-800-344-4867
National Osteoporosis Foundation	1-800-223-9994
National Ostomy Association	1-800-826-0826
National Stroke Association	1-800-787-6537
NIMH Depression Awareness Program	1-800-421-4211
NIMH Panic Disorder	1-800-64-PANIC
Nurse Link	1-800-882-6274
Organ Donation Recovery	1-601-933-1000
Osteoporosis Education Task Force Endocrine	1-301-941-0249
Nurses Society (ENS)	www.endo-nurses.org
Parkinson's Disease Foundation	1-800-457-6676
PMS Access	1-800-222-4767
Prevent Blindness America	1-800-331-2020
	1-847-843-2020
Project Connect AIDS Service Organization of MS	1-601-981-1700
Sickle Cell Clinic	1-601-984-5548

Stroke Recovery Information	1-800-245-6340
United Cerebral Palsy	1-800-872-5827
USDA's Meat and Poultry Hotline	1-800-535-4555
	TTY: 1-800-256-7072
	www.fsis.usda.gov/thermy
U.S. Food and Drug Administration	1-301-443-3170

Hearing and Vision Services

Addie McBryde Rehabilitation Center for the Blind	1-601-364-2700
American Academy of Ophthalmology	1-415-561-8500
American Optometric Association	1-314-991-4100
Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf	1-202-337-5220
Better Hearing Institute	1-800-EAR-WELL
Better Vision Institute	1-800-424-8422
Deafness and Communication Disorders	1-202-205-8352
Hear Now	1-800-640-HEAR
Independent Living for the Blind	1-662-840-0967
Leader Dogs for the Blind	1-888-777-5332
Lighthouse International	1-800-829-0500
	www.lighthouse.org
Lighthouse of Visually Impaired	1-800-334-5497
Lion's Club State Office	1-601-366-5112
Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services	1-800-443-1000
	1-601-853-5100
	www.mdrs.state.ms.us
Mississippi School for the Blind	1-601-984-8200
Mississippi School for the Deaf	1-601-984-8000
National Eye Care Project	1-800-222-3937
National Eye Institute	1-301-496-5248
Preserve Sight Mississippi	1-601-362-6985
Prevent Blindness America	1-800-331-2020
	1-847-843-2020
Radio Reading Service of Mississippi	1-601-982-6301
Vision Council of America	703-548-4560
	www.2020advocacy.com
Unite for Sight	www.uniteforsight.org
-In Mississippi: Helping Hands Free Clinic	662-286-3596
1001 South Harper Road	
Corinth, MS 38834	

Dental Services Assistance

Mississippi Dental Association
2630 Ridgewood Rd. Suite C
Jackson, MS 39216
(601)982-0442
www.ms dental.org
E-mail: office@msdental.org

Donated Dental Services

Office hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00-1:00
(601)368-9823

Services are for those individual who are elderly or disabled. There may be a waiting list.

Health Insurance

Medicare

1-800-MEDICARE
(1-800-633-4227)
TTY: 1-887-486-2408
www.medicare.gov

American Association for Retired Persons (AARP) 1-888-687-2277

TTY: 1-877-434-7598
www.aam.org

State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)

1-800-948-3090
1-800-745-6961 (local)

Medicare Hotline

1-800-638-6833

Medicare (Part A)

1-800-932-7644

Medicare (Part B)

1-800-682-5417

Partnership for Prescription Assistance Mississippi

1-888-477-2669
www.pparx.org
www.pparxms.com
1-800-948-3090
www.seniorxms.org

Helping Networks

American Association for Retired Persons		1-800-523-5800
American Board of Medical Specialties		1-800-776-2378
Children of Aging Parents		1-800-227-7294
Compassionate Friends		1-630-990-0010
Division of Medicaid Toll-Free Phone Number		1-800-421-2408
Elder Care Locator		1-800-677-1116
Federal Hill-Burton Free Care Program		1-800-638-0742
Hospice Foundation of America		1-800-854-3402
Insurance Commissioner		1-601-359-3569
Last Acts Campaign		1-703-827-8771
Medicaid Bureau of Program Integrity		1-800-880-5920
Medicaid Replacement Card		1-800-884-3222
Medicare Hotline		1-800-638-6833
Mississippi Food Networks		1-601-353-7286
		www.msfoodnet.org
Mississippi Agra Ability Project		1-662-325-3103
Mississippi Council on Aging		1-800-948-3090
Mississippi Home of Your Own		1-800-467-4488
		1-601-266-5163
Mississippi State Ombudsman for Long-Term Care		1-601-359-4929
National Associations of Adult Day Services		1-202-479-6682
National Association for Home Care		1-202-547-7424
National Association for Professional Geriatrics Care Management		1-520-881-8008
National Care Giver Foundation		1-800-930-1357
National Charities Information		1-212-929-6300
National Citizens Coalition for Nursing Home Reform		1-202-332-2275
National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization		1-703-837-1500
National Institute on Aging		1-800-222-2225
National Patient Advocates Foundation		1-800-532-5274
National Respite Coalition		1-703-256-9578
National Respite Locator Services		1-800-773-5433
Novartis Nutrition		1-800-638-0637
Project on Death in America		1-212-548-0150
Social Security Program		1-800-772-1213
		TTY: 1-800-325-0778
		1-662-842-6582
State of Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services	District 1	1-662-234-7421
	District 2	1-662-840-9945
Widowed Persons Services		1-616-538-0101

Medicine Programs

Abbott Laboratories	1-800-222-6885
Aventis Patient Assistance Program	1-800-221-4025
Aciphex Patient Assistance Program	1-800-523-5870
Bayer Patient Assistance Program	1-800-998-9180
Bertek Patient Assistance Program	1-888-823- 7835
Bristol Myers Squibb	1-800-736-0003
Boehringer Patient Assistance Program	1-800-556-8317
Celltech	1-888-936-3382
Ciba Corp.	1-800-257 -3273
Dura Pharmacy	1-800-859-8586
Diflucan	1-800-869-9979
Elan Pharmacy	1-800-528-5256
Eli Lilly Products and Answer	1-877-759-4559
Forest Pharmaceuticals	1-800-947-5227
Glaucoma Patient Assistance	1-800-222-8103
Glaxo Welcome	1-800-722-9294
INC Patient Assistance	1-800-556-1937
Janssen Pharmaceuticals	1-800-652-6227
Koss Pharmacy	1-888-564-2772
Medic Alert	1-800-432-5378
Medeva	1-716-475-9000
Medicine Program	1-573-996-7300
Merck Pharmaceuticals	1-800-627-MERCK
Monarch	1-800-776-3637
Novartis	1-800-282-7630
Novartis Care Card	1-866-974-2273
Novo Nordisk	1-800-727-6500
Pharmacia Bridge Program	1-800-645-1280
Pharmacia Treat First	1-877-744-5675
Pharmacial Patient's Need	1-800-242-7014
Pharmaceutical Research & Manufacturers of America	1-202-835-3400
Roche	1-800-526-6367
Salegen	1-888-743-5711
Schein	1-973-355-8300
Schering	1-800-656-9485
Smith Kline Beecham	1-800-546-0420
State Subsidy Program	1-800-633-4227
Takeda	1-800-830-9159
Tap Pharmaceuticals	1-800-830-1015
Together Rx Card	1-800-865-7211
Wyeth-Ayerst	1-800-568-9938
Zeneca	1-800-424-3727

Food Pantries

Alcorn County

Amen Food Pantry
104 W. Linden St.
Corinth, MS 38835
662-287-6727

Tate Baptist Church
1201 Harper Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-2935

Angel Food Ministries
First Pentecostal Church
2037 Hwy 72 E. Anx
Corinth, MS 38835
662-286-6838
662-286-8835

Benton County

New Hope Village
488 Martin Luther King Dr.
Holly Springs, MS
662-252-4688

Marshall County

New Hope Village
488 Martin Luther King Dr.
Holly Springs, MS
662-252-4688

Prentiss County

Prentiss County Baptist Association
400 Marietta St.
Booneville, MS 38829
662-728-6132

Tippah County

Good Samaritans
160 Bailes Rd. / P.O. Box 76
Ripley, MS 38663
662-512-0031

Good Samaritans
North Tippah County
560 Main St. / P.O. Box 412
Walnut, MS 38683
662-223-4411

Tishomingo County

The Food Depot
Tishomingo County Courthouse
Iuka, MS 38852
Larry Chambers-662-423-2694

Helpful Samaritan Food Pantry
119 Eastport/ P.O. Box 944
Iuka, MS 38852
662-423-6097

Salvation Army

Salvation Army
2200 Lackey Dr.
P. O. Box 965
Corinth, MS 38835
662-287-6979

Salvation Army
807 E. Church St.
Booneville, MS 38829
662-728-3715

Salvation Army
10,001 Hwy. 15 S.
Ripley, MS 38663
662-512-0232

Salvation Army
816 Robert E. Lee Ext.
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-842-0301

Alzheimer's Resources

The following information was taken in part from the Mississippi Alzheimer's Association's publication: "Living with Alzheimer's: A Resource Guide for Families and Caregivers"

Alzheimer's Association
225 North Michigan Ave. 17TH Floor
Chicago, IL 60601
1-800-272-3900 (24/7 Helpline)
www.alz.org
info@alz.org
1-800-572-1122 (MedicAlert + Safe Return)
www.alz.org/safereturn

Alzheimer's Association/ Mississippi Chapter
1900 Dunbarton Dr., Suite H
Jackson, MS 39216
info@msalz.org
www.alz.org/ms

601-987-0020

Toll Free: 1-800-272-3900

Publications: "Living with Alzheimer's: A Resource Guide for Families and Caregivers"

MSDMH Offices
Division of Alzheimer's Disease & Other Dementias
MS Department of Mental Health
1101 Robert E. Lee Building
239 North Lamar St.
Jackson, MS 39201
www.dmh.state.ms.us

601-359-1288

Toll Free: 1-877-210-8513

Division of Alzheimer's/ North MS Regional Center
967 Regional Center Drive
Oxford, MS 38655
dianne.arnold@dmh.state.ms.us
662-846-5335

Adult Day Care and Group Respite Centers

Bishop Senior Center Adult Day Care
1300 Washington Ave.
Corinth, MS 38835
662-286-7748

Sharing Hearts Adult Day Care
501 Main St.
Corinth, MS 38835
662-665-1033

Tishomingo State Park Day Center
P.O. Box 335
Dennis, MS 38838
662-438-7187

Physicians: Geriatric Medicine

Kenneth Davis
830 S. Gloster St.
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-377-3464

Robert Cooper, III
2200 South Lamar Blvd., Suite B
Oxford, MS 38655
662-234-1121

Psychiatrists

Maxie Gordon
119 Alcorn Dr.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-3843

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William Owens
2425 Proper St.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-287-7785

Mark H. Fletcher
Justin C. Graff
Donna L. Harrington
Samuel D. Newell Jr.
W. Thomas Oakes Jr.
609 Burnson Dr.
Tupelo, MS 38801
662-844-7021

Alzheimer's Geriatric/Psychiatric Units

Alliance Healthcare System
Alliance Senior Care
1430 Highway 4 East
Holly Springs, MS 38635
662-551-3442

Baptist Memorial Hospital
Booneville Senior Care
100 Hospital St.
Bonneville, MS 38829
662-720-5353

Alzheimer's Care Units

Dogwood Plantation
1101 Levee Rd.
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-7021
Private Pay

Daniel Health Care/ The Meadows
Highway 25 South
Fulton, MS 38843
662-862-2165
Accepts Medicaid

Hermitage Gardens of Oxford
1488 Belk Avenue
Oxford, MS 38655
662-234-8244
Private Pay

State Veterans Home- Oxford
120 Veterans Drive
Oxford, MS 38655
662-234-7821
Qualified Veterans

Christopher's House
885 Highway 178 East
Holly Springs, MS 38635
662-551-1122
Private Pay

Landmark Nursing & Rehab Center
100 Lauren Dr.
Booneville, MS 38829
662-720-0972
Accepts Medicaid

Sunshine Assisted Living
1645 State Highway 178 West
Myrtle, MS 38650
662-988-3959

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National Resources

The Website for Family Caregiving Advocacy
1101 Vermont Ave., NW Suite 101
Washington, DC 20005
www.CaregiversCount.com

Alzheimer's Disease Education
and Referral Center (ADEAR)
P.O. Box 8250
Silver Springs, MD 20907
1-800-438-4380
[www.nia.nih.gov/Alzheimers/
adear@alzheimers.org](http://www.nia.nih.gov/Alzheimers/adear@alzheimers.org)

Children of Aging Parents
P.O. Box 7250
Penn del, PA 19047
1-800-227-7294
www.caps4caregivers.org
caps4caregivers@aol.com

National Family Caregivers Association (NFCA)
10400 Connecticut Ave., Suite 500
Kensington, MS 20895
1-800-896-3650
www.thefamilycaregiver.org

National Council on Aging
300 D Street, SW Suite 801
Washington, DC 20024
1-202-479-1200
www.ncoa.org
info@ncoa.org

The Eldercare Locator
1-800-677-1116
www.eldercare.gov
eldercarelocator@n4a.org

Alzheimer's Association (National Headquarters)
225 North Michigan Ave., 17th Floor
Chicago, IL 60601
1-800-272-3900 (24/7 Helpline)
www.alz.org
info@alz.org
1-800-572-1122 (MedicAlert Safe Return)
www.alz.org/safereturn

National Caregiving Foundation
801 North Pitt Street #116
Alexandria, VA 22314
1-800-930-1357
www.caregivingfoundation.org

Family Caregiver Alliance
690 Market Street, Suite 600
San Francisco, CA 94104
1-800-445-8106
www.caregiver.org
info@caregiver.com

Today's Caregiver
P.O. Box 21646
Ft Lauderdale, FL 33335
1-800-829-2734
www.caregiver.com
editor@caregiver.com

Administration on Aging
Washington, DC 20201
1-202-619-0724
www.aoa.gov
aoainfo@aoa.gov

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
7500 Security Boulevard
Baltimore, MD 21244
1-877-267-2323
www.cms.gov

National Hospice & Palliative Care Organization
1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 625
Alexandria, VA 22314
1-703-837-1500
1-703-837-1233 Fax
1-800-658-8898 (Helpline)
www.caringinfo.org
caringinfo@nhpco.org

Veterans Benefits
1-800-827-1000
www.vba.va.gov/VBA

Senior Citizens Resources/USA.gov
U.S. General Services Administration
Office of Citizen Services and Communications
Suite G- 142
1800 F. Street, NW
Washington, DC 20405
1-800-333-4636
<http://www.usa.gov/Topics/Senior.shtml>

Cuidando con Carino
Compassionate Care Helpline
1-877-658-8896
www.hispanichealth.org
cuidando@hispanichealth.org

Forest Laboratories- NAMENDA (MEMANTINE)
1-877-262-6363
www.Namenda.com

Novartis-EXELON
1-877-636-6794
www.AlzheimersDisease.com

Ortho-McNeil- RAZADYNE
1-800-526-7736
www.razadyneer.com

Pfizer-ARICEPT
1-800-294-8490
www.aricept.com

DEFINITIONS OF SERVICES PROVIDED

Adult Day Care-a place for aged and disabled individuals with serious health problems or impairments to go during the day for recreational activities, personal care supervision, nutrition, limited health care and the opportunity to interact socially with other people in the group or individual activities.

Case Management-the mechanism by which services are coordinated and monitored to individuals at risk for institutionalization in an effort to provide continuity of care and avoid costly duplication of services.

Congregate Meals-provides a meal to an eligible person in a group setting.

Distinct Part/Skilled Nursing Facility-may be created within and existing acute care hospital. Such licensed beds typically utilize a portion of the existing acute care hospitals license capacity. The DP/SNF may only participate in the Medicare Program, whereas the Long Term Care Hospital may participate in both Medicare and Medicaid programs.

Emergency Response System-allows older persons to remain living independently at home with the capability of calling for help in emergency situations.

Emergency Services-social, financial and supportive assistance to help elderly individuals through a crisis, life-threatening or unexpected emergency situation which demands or requires immediate action or intervention.

Home Delivered Meals-meal provided to an eligible person in his/her home.

Home Health Agency-shall mean a private or publicly owned agency or organization, or a subdivision of such an agency or organization, properly authorized to conduct business in Mississippi, which is primarily engaged in providing to individuals, at the written direction of a licensed physician, in the individual's place of residence, skilled nursing services provided by or under the supervision of a Registered Nurse licensed to practice in Mississippi.

Homemaker Services-supportive services provided in the home by a trained homemaker that involves education and/or provision of home management tasks in order to assist in strengthening family life, promoting self-sufficiency and enhancing quality of life.

Hospice-is defined as a concept not a place, a way of dealing with dying patients. The place of care should be left to the patient/family and physician. It is a program in which emphasis is placed upon palliative and supportive care to meet the special needs of patients and their families during the final stages of illness. Full scope health services are provided by an organized interdisciplinary team, available on a 24-hour-a-day, seven- days-a-week basis.

Legal Assistance- assist older persons to identify possible legal problems and in the legal process to resolve problems while preserving their legal rights and entitlement.

Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program-serves residents of Mississippi nursing facilities and personal care homes, and is the only program that provides and outside presence regularly in many of the facilities.

Personal Care Home- means an establishment operated and maintained to provide residential accommodations, personal service, and social care to individuals who are not related to the licensee and who because of impaired capacity for self-care elect or require protective living accommodation but do not have an illness, injury, or disability for which regular medical care and 24-hour nursing service is required.

Rural Health Clinics-means clinics that provide general outpatient health services in rural areas as defined by the U.S. Bureau of Census where access to physicians has traditionally been difficult. These services are provided by a specially trained nurse practitioner under the general supervision of a physician.

Skilled Nursing Care Facility-means a health institution planned, organized, operated, and maintained to provide facilities and health services with related social care to inpatients who require medical care and 24-hour nursing services for illness, injury, or disability. Each patient shall be under the care of a physician licensed to practice medicine in the state of Mississippi. The nursing services shall be organized and maintained to provide 24-hour nursing services under the direction of a registered professional nurse employed full-time.

