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YOUR GUIDE TO RESOURCES EMPHASIZING LOCAL ONES



RESOURCES & TIPS for SENIORS ON HEALTH, SAFETY, SERVICES & WELLNESS AVAILABLE IN, NEAR, OR FROM SILVERTON

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TOPIC

*Subtopic

WEBSITE

<u>Tips/Resource/Address</u> of organization or publication

ABUSE & NEGLECT, ELDER

Center for Hope & Safety 503-399-7722 (24-hr **crisis**)
Refuge & support for victims & survivors 503-378-1572 (regular line)

of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking,

& human trafficking.

605 Center St. NE, Salem website

Marion County Circuit Courthouse, 503-588-5032

Protective/restraining orders for Elderly & Disabled, Family Abuse,

Sexual Abuse, & Stalking.

555 Court St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

Abuse Line 800-846-9165

Northwest Senior & Disability Services

(NWSDS) website

Oregon Department of Human Services 855-503-SAFE (7233)

(DHS)

Report abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation

of Elder & Vulnerable Adults <u>website</u>

ALARMS/ALERTS (see also Disaster, Emergency, Medical Supplies)

*Home Safety & Security Alarms & Systems

Tip: Change batteries at regular interval, such as birthday, New Year's. Apartment owners must provide smoke alarms.

American Red Cross Cascades Region 503-528-5783

Install free smoke alarms by appointment

Click About Us, Request Alarms <u>website</u>

Consumer Reports Keep your home safe

Is Your Home Security a Scam Magnet? website

Silverton Fire District 503-873-5328 Information on fire prevention includes (non-emergency #)

smoke alarm assistance, as changing fire

alarm batteries by appointment

for those unable to do it themselves.

Provides smoke alarms in some instances.

819 Railway NE, Silverton website

*Medical Alerts

Tip: Some mobile phones for seniors have built-in alarms. Inquire about whether your cell phone, internet, &/or landline will work during power outages, esp. prolonged outages.

Alzheimer's Association of Oregon 800-272-3900

(24 hr. Helpline)

Alzheimer's Association Safe Return & 888-572-8566

Medic Alert Foundation International

24 hr. Safe Return program

Membership service supplements missing person reports of people with dementia who have a medical emergency,

or who wander. Check details & fees at website

Consumer Reports

How to Choose A Medical Alert System website

800-354-1327 Medical Alert Systems

Guides on medical alerts & senior safety practices

601 W. 1st Ave., Spokane website

New Horizons Care 503-400-3000

Voice-Activated Medical Alert via Alexa

200 Hawthorne Ave SE, Salem website

Philips Lifeline 800-635-6156

for 24 hr. emergency service

Available in English, Russian, & Spanish website Silver Alerts

Public notification system about missing adults with impaired mental conditions, as those with dementia, developmental disability, or brain injury. Oregon participates via police & sheriffs. Even alerts in a small area may cross jurisdictions.

If a person wanders & is lost more than once, officers may draft a safety plan.

Marion Co. Sheriff 503-588-5032

Silverton Police 911 for emergency

503-873-5326

(non-emergency #)

ANIMALS (Care, Service, & Pets)

Tips: Assistance or **service animals** are trained for specific work or tasks that benefit an individual. Do not pet service animals, as it distracts from their work.

Animals not so trained (**companion animals**, emotional support animals, or pets) do not qualify for accommodation in public places & services, nor private transportation. May require animal be in carrier.

Prepare for disasters by locating friends, motels or shelters that take pets, microchip and photograph pet, assemble carrier, adequate food and water, leashes, medicines, etc. Inquire in advance about care of livestock.

Disability Rights Oregon 800-452-1694 or Posts several articles on service animals 503-243-2081

Portland <u>website</u>

Dogs for Better Lives 800-990-3647

Trains dogs to help people enhance their lives

Central Point, OR <u>website</u>

Northwest ADA Center 800-949-4232

Posts information on ADA & service animals

in AK, ID, OR, WA

Mountlake Terrace, WA <u>website</u>

Northwest Battle Buddies 360-601-9744

Connects Veterans with service dogs <u>website</u>

Oregon Department of Justice 503-378-4400

Office of Attorney General

Poster on service animals

1162 Court St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

Oregon Humane Society 503-585-5900

Disaster Preparedness Information

4256 Turner Rd SE, Salem <u>website</u>

PNW Pooch, LLC 920-228-3303

In-home service by appointment.

Offers bathing, grooming, haircut, nails

2447 74th Ave. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Silverton Cat Rescue Rescue & place kitties,

POB 746, Silverton website (Facebook)

*Poison Control for Pets

American Society Prevention Cruelty To Animals (ASPCA)
Animal Poison Control 800-426-4435

<u>website</u>

BLOOD PRESSURE (see also Medical Supplies)

Tips: Blood pressure may be monitored clinically, at home, or in retail kiosks with manual or digital devices.

Accurate readings require blood pressure cuff fits you, and arm supported on desk (not on your lap, or unsupported on your side).

Higi kiosk measures vital signs <u>website</u>

Located near pharmacy inside Rite-Aid

626 McClaine St., Silverton

Blood pressure test, free

High School Pharmacy 503-873-8391

406 McClaine St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Mayo clinic staff review: Get the most out of

home blood pressure monitoring. website

CAREGIVING (See also Support Groups)

Tip: Verify amount of any fee involved.

*General

AARP

Family Caregiving on-line resources

Includes practical advice on COVID-19.

Caring Conference, annually in April

hosted by Oregon Native & partnering tribes.

National Institute on Aging website

Skills, support, & tips for caregivers

National Institutes of Health Caregiver Resources website

Northwest Senior & Disability Services 503-304-3429 (Suzy Deeds)

website

website

503-304-3429 (Suzy Deeds)

(NWSDS)

Caregiver series 7 classes for unpaid caregivers of people with conditions that cause dementia.

Mon. 10:30 AM-12:30 PM, Register at: 503-304-3432 (Julie Mendez)

Sponsors Oregon Project Independence

(see below). website

Oregon Care Partners 800-930-6851

COVID-19 training care givers on-line, free dementia care training for caregivers Free periodic classes on various topics, including at Silverton Senior Center.

Holds conference in the spring. website

Oregon Home Care Commission 877-867-0077

Registry & Referral System of homecare workers and personal support workers for Seniors & Adults with Physical Disabilities

Provides training.

676 Church St. NE, Salem website Oregon Project Independence 503-304-3420 Up to 20 hours in-home care per month For those with disabilities or age 60+ Access through either Aging & Disability Resource Connection website Northwest Senior & Disability Services website Willamette Valley Caregivers 503-874-4199 Registry & referrals for caregivers Silverton website Willamette Vital Health 503-488-3600 Publishes Family Caregiver Connections website **Care Providers** Care Availability 503-488-3600 Free service by Retirement Connections for Mid-Willamette Valley of caregivers & Related topics. website ComForCare 503-400-6637 Provides caregivers to assist in activities of daily living, personal care, companionship, dementia care, end-of-life care, housekeeping, meal preparation, medication management, errands, transportation, and respite care. 3470 Pipebend PI NE Suite 100, Salem website First Call In-Home Care 503-371-4567 Provides home health care & in-home care. 2608 Cascadia Industrial St. SE, Salem website A Golden Hand Home Care 971-600-5949 Caregivers assist in daily living, companion care, dementia support, end-of-life care, housekeeping, prepare meals, medication management, nursing services, personal care, respite care, transport etc.

website

858 Lancaster Dr. SE, Salem

Home Instead Senior Care 503-361-5477

Non-medical home care includes Silverton. Helps with cooking, bathing, errands, & transportation. Live-in care, respite care.

2015 24th St. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

New Horizons In Home Care 877-642-2737

Medical & non-medical assistance

for Salem & surrounding area <u>website</u>

Providence Benedictine In-Home Services 503-845-9226 For those within 30 miles of Mt. Angel. Offers companionship, housekeeping, prepares meals, assists bathing & medication, & respite care. 540 S. Main, Mt. Angel branch website

Senior Helpers 503-342-4036

Offers companion care, personal care, or home health care, & dementia care.

2659 Commercial St. SE, Ste. 270, Salem website

Visiting Angels serves Mid-Willamette Valley 800-365-4189 including Marion County
Services include companionship, personal care, dementia care, respite care, & end-of-life care.
250 Broadalbin St., Suite 250, Albany website

Willamette Valley Caregivers 503-874-4199 2-24 hour care in bathing & grooming, incontinence care, transferring & positioning, companionship, meal planning & preparation, light housekeeping, medication assistance, hospice care, respite care, errands & transportation for various conditions & illnesses. 204 N. 1st, Suite D, Silverton website

*Respite Care (Adult Day Care)

Home Instead Senior Care 503-361-5477

Non-medical home care for Salem area, including Silverton. Includes respite care.

2015 25th St. SE, Salem website

Regency Woodland 971-208-7712

4710 Sunnyside Rd. SE, Salem website

Thelma's Place 503-266-5100

CountryLiving Community/Respite day care

352 NW 2nd Ave., Canby <u>website</u> (Facebook)

Visiting Angels 800-365-4189

Serves Marion County, Mid-Willamette Valley

250 Broadalbin St., Suite 250, Albany website

CHURCHES/ RELIGIOUS/ SPIRITUAL ORGANIZATIONS

Tip: Faith groups may hold services via broadcast, virtual, or require appointment for in-person gatherings.

Beyond spirituality, faith groups provide social opportunities. Several hold health & safety programs, share garden produce, provide safety nets (help with shopping, transportation, cash assistance, shelter etc.) Ministries may do grief counseling, visit the sick & homebound. Contact to find out if programs are limited to members, or have other eligibility requirements.

Apostolic Christian Church 503-873-6525 Ministries cover Care for Elderly, Harvest Call 503-871-9822 such as fixing and building items for seniors. (Jake Johnson)

4700 Howell Prairie Rd. NE, Silverton website

Immanuel Lutheran 503-873-8656

Parish Nurses events, may visit parishioners.

303 N. Church St., Silverton

Salvation Army Cascade Division 503-585-6688

Provides food, shelter, basic needs, & limited financial help for Marion County residents.

1977 Front St. NE, Salem website

Stephen Ministry

Trained congregation members provide weekly in-home company & comfort grief care. Associated with 170 Christian denominations. Local contact available to non-members from:

First Baptist Church 503-873-6181

229 Westfield, Silverton

St. Vincent de Paul Society 503-364-3210 (main #)

Emergency food, clothing, housing, utilities &

related programs. 503-364-5672 (emergency)

3745 Portland Rd. NE, #190, Salem

CLOTHING

Tips: Choose apparel that is comfortable to put on, take off, & launder.

Avoid back zippers, pullovers, extra-long sleeves, & dangling jewelry.

*Retail

Buck & Buck 800-458-0600

Mail order specializing in elderly apparel

3111 27th Ave. S., Seattle WA <u>website</u>

Second-hand/Vintage

Seventh Day Adventist Church 503-873-8568

Community Services, provides clothing &

household goods to those in need.

Thurs., 9 AM-noon

159 Oak St., Silverton website

COMMUNICATON

Devices & Programs

(see also Alarms, Consumer Protection, Information, Translation, Utilities)

Tips: Beware that traditional **Landline Phones** relying on underground copper cable are being **phased out** & **unavailable after 2025**. Options include fiber optics, a landline with broadband adaptor connecting to the internet, or relying on cell phones only. Stay tuned for other options. Verify whether your option will work during power outages.

Access Technologies Inc. 503-361-1201 iCanConnect Program—Oregon 800-677-7512

Free communications equipment & training for those with significant hearing & vision loss

2225 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

AT&T Mobility Lifeline Service 800-377-9450

Discounted wireless service for low-income meeting qualifications.

Butte Creek Computer Service 503-877-3130

Repair & virus removal

Done remotely by appointment. <u>website</u>

Oregon Public Utility Commission 503-378-6600

800-522-2404

Oregon Lifeline Program 800-848-4442

Discounts on landline & broadband service

with participating companies

Telecommunication Devices Access Program 800-848-6600

Loans devices to ease disabilities (cognition, hearing, mobility, speech, vision) for free.

201 High St. SE, Suite 100, Salem <u>website</u> (site not secure)

Random Shoes 503-880-1742

Help with electronic devices. If restarting your

device doesn't work, call Mike Ashland. website

Silverton Senior Center 503-873-3093

Friendly Connections contacts those without

a computer. Call to sign-up.

115 Westfield, Silverton website

Willamette Valley Bank

Silverton Retail Branch 503-873-3449

Offers free, confidential document shredding.

701A McClaine St., Silverton

COMMUNITY RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

Marion-Polk County (CHIP)

Community Health Improvement Program

(CHIP) <u>website</u>

Mid-Willamette Valley

Community Action Agency 503-585-6232

Assists Marion County residents,

or refers to other programs for emergency

housing, energy, & weatherization

2475 Center St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

Northwest Senior & Disability Services (NWSDS)

503-304-3420 800-846-9165

<u>website</u>

Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS)

Aging & Disability Resource Connection (ADRC)

855-673-2372

Office Office France

Offers Otago Exercise Program in Salem area,

Gatekeeper Program trains community

503-304-3407

members to recognize at-risk older adults.

500 Summer St. NE, E15, Salem

website (ADRC)

SILVERTON AREA COMMUNITY AID (SACA)

503-873-3446

For those in Silver Falls School district meeting income guidelines. Services include food pantry, access to showers, laundry, & firewood, assistance with utilities, transportation, dental van & medical/dental costs; job applications; classes; & referrals.

Pantry Hours: Mon. 11 AM-2 PM, Tues. 3-6 PM,

& Thurs. 9 AM-noon

Office Hours: Mon. 9 AM-4 PM, Tues. 1 PM-6 PM,

Wed. & Thurs., 8:30 AM-4 PM.

421 S. Water St. (basement), Silverton

Working towards operating some services at

990 N. 1st St., Silverton website

2-1-1 Info 211 (English & Spanish)

Resources on food, healthcare, housing, jobs. website

Computers (see Communication)

CONSUMER PROTECTION against Fraud*Identity Theft

U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigations Internet Crime Complaint Center (IC3) Elder Fraud

833-372-8311(833-FRAUD-11)

website

U.S. Federal Trade Commission Identify Theft Medical Identity Theft

877-438-4338 website

website

*Scams

Tips: Beware of contacts you did not originate, & emails with only link & name of supposed sender.

Scams typically urge immediate action, then ask for your Address, Banking information, Account Numbers, Passwords, Remote Access to your computer, demand immediate payment money order, wired money, or prepaid card (according to state & federal justice programs).

Scams may have mismatched email addresses of origin & destination addresses. The destination address is between the second-to-last-dot and the first slash of the URL.

Shred anything with names, phone, email, address, account numbers & personal information.

Dial *77 to prevent receiving Private Caller lacking a phone number. Keep purses out of view of windows (car & home).

COVID-19 Scams

AARP Fraud Watch Network 877-908-3360

Beware of Robocalls, Texts & Emails Promising COVID-19 Cures or Stimulus

Payments <u>website</u>

Marion County Sheriff 503-588-5032

(non-emergency line)

National Council on Aging (NCOA)

Top 5 Financial Scams Against Older Adults website

Oregon Department of Justice Consumer Protection

Oregon Scam Advisory

File complaint of remote scam access website

Oregon SMP to Prevent Healthcare Fraud 855-673-2372

ADRC of Oregon <u>website</u>

US Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)

Internet Crime Complaint Center:

https://www.ic3.gov/Home/FileComplaint

Elder Fraud <u>website</u>

US Federal Trade Commission (FTC)

Information about scams. <u>website</u>
Report fraud to ReportFraud.ftc.gov <u>website</u>

US Social Security Administration Scams: 1) pretend to be from an agency or organization you trust, 2) claim problem exists or prize won, 3) pressure you to act immediately, & 4) tell you to pay in a specific way.

Report scams to the Inspector General website

*Product Complaints, Safety Alerts & Recalls

US Consumer Product Safety Commission 800-638-2772

website

US Food & Drug Administration

Bad Ad Program

report advertising that violates law 301-796-1200

Office of Prescription Drug Promotion website

MedWatch 800-FDA-0178

Report adverse reactions to drugs & devices website

Recalls of current 60 days plus archives

for drugs, food, & medical devices. <u>website</u>

*Services, Professional & Housing

Tips: Complexity in health care, insurance, & bills led many to designate friends, relatives, or trained people to advocate for them.

Not every provider is subject to licensure.

Advoconnection

4 Steps to Interview & Hire an Advocate

or Care Manager <u>website</u>

If your local complaints about significant issues prove unsatisfactory, contact the appropriate agency or board.

Fair Housing Council of Oregon 800-424-3247

Report housing discrimination <u>website</u>

Occupational Therapy Licensing Board	971-673-0198 website
Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (DC)	503-378-5816 website
Oregon Board of Dentistry (DMD, DDS, hygienists)	971-673-3200 website
Oregon Board of Licensed Social Workers (LCSW, CSWA, LMSW, RBSW)	<u>website</u>
Oregon Board of Massage Therapists (LMT)	503-365-8657 website
Oregon Medical Board Complaint Resource Officer (LAc, DO, MD, PA, DPM)	877-254-6263 971-673-2700 website
Oregon Board of Naturopathic Medicine (ND)	971-673-0193 website
Oregon Board of Nursing (NP, RN, LPN, CNA, CRNA)	971-673-0685 website
Oregon Board of Optometry (OD)	503-399-0662 website
Oregon Board of Pharmacy (RPh, PharmD, Technicians) Oregon Board of Physical Therapy (PT)	971-673-0001 <u>website</u> 971-673-0200 <u>website</u>
Oregon Board of Psychology (LCP, LP, PsyD)	503-378-4154 website
Oregon Bureau of Labor & Industries Civil Rights Division includes housing &	971-673-3844
service animal discrimination	<u>website</u>
Oregon Construction Contractors Board Contractor license search	503-378-4621 website

Oregon Department of Justice 503-378-4400 Complaints about business, Elder Care, Identify Theft resources 1162 Court St NE, Salem

Oregon Division of Financial Regulation 888-877-4894 (hotline)

Includes Insurance website

Oregon Health Licensing Office 503-378-8667

(Includes Denture Technology, Dieticians,

Environmental Health, Hearing Aid Dispensing,

Hearing Instrument Specialist, Nursing Home Administrator,

Respiratory Therapy, Waste Water Sanitation) website

Oregon Medicaid Fraud Unit 971-673-1880

website

Oregon Office of Long-Term Care

Ombudsman 800-522-2602

Advocates for long-term care residents, & investigates confidential complaints. Free.

3855 Wolverine NE Ste. 6, Salem website

Oregon State Bar (JD, lawyers) 800-452-8260

(JD, lawyers) website

US Federal Communications Commission 888-225-5322 Disability Rights Office 202-418-2517

45 L St. NE, WDC 20554 website

US Justice Department, Antitrust Division 888-647-3258

Report unfair competition & monopolistic practices in healthcare.

950 Pennsylvania Ave. NW WDC 20530 website

DEATH & DYING (see also Grief & Bereavement, Donors) *Advanced Care Planning (ACP)

Tips: Give a copy of your advance directives or living will to your physician & health care representative.

Review your advance directives periodically for changes in your goals and your health care representative to guide future in-the-moment decisions.

Be aware that recent evaluations of ACP question its' worth, as ACP did not meaningfully improve quality of life & failed to improve end-of-life care. (R.S. Morrison et al, "What's Wrong With Advance Care Planning," JAMA, 10-8-21)

Do not confuse Advanced Directives (legal document) with POLST (medical order)

The Health Care Decisions Act of Oregon pre-authorizes a health care representative to allow the natural dying process in event of permanent unconsciousness, advanced progressive illness, extraordinary suffering, or close to death.

website

Compassion and Choices
Empower end of life care

101 SW Madison St. #8009, Portland 97207 website

Oregon POLST

503-494-3965

(Portable Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment)

Voluntary medical order to guide 1st responders.

For those with advanced disease, older, or frail.

Post on your refrigerator.

Center for Ethics in Health Care

Oregon Health Sciences University, Portland website

Oregon State University Retirement Assoc.

End of Life Options: Managing Life's Closure

Featuring Dr. David Grube

https://media.oregonstate.edu/media/t/1_tv4mxwcg?st=4&ed=3531

Salem Health 503-814-2432

Advance Directives, free classes.

Select date & time on-line via Eventbrite.

Community Health Education Center

Building D, Support Group Room

Salem Hospital, 939 Oak St. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Spiritual Advance Directive
Consider including preferences about
spiritual practices or personal rituals.
"Spiritual advance directive," April/May 2019,
newsletter, past issues.

Willamette Valley Hospice <u>website</u>

*Hospice

Bristol Hospice Oregon 503-698-8911

Serves Marion County

10365 SE Sunnyside Rd., # 340, Clackamas website

Centerwell Home Health Hospice 503-315-1003

(formerly Kindred at Home/ Gentiva)

698 12th St. SE, Salem website

Hospice Care of the Northwest 877-263-7776

Offers hospice in Marion County

2290 Commercial St. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Providence Oregon Hospice 503-215-2273 (CARE)

Serves parts of Marion Co.

Main office, 6410 NE, Halsey, Portland website

Traditions Health Salem 503-485-0840

In-home hospice for Marion Co.

Provides care for Veterans

2290 Commercial St. SE #108, Salem website

Willamette Vital Health 800-555-2431 Provides Hospice, Supportive Care & Grief 503-588-3600

Care in the Willamette Valley

1015 3rd St. NW, Salem website

*Oregon Death with Dignity Act

Oregon Health Authority <u>website</u>

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

(see also Animals, Community Organizations, Legal, Weather)

Tips: Take 1st Aid class offered periodically in area or online Store 2 weeks of emergency supplies. Scan important documents, then store on flash drive. Tips for people with special needs:

Make plans with care attendant or agency.

Consider enrolling in a Disaster Registry (Worth registries is mixed.)

American Red Cross

Online First Aid/CPR/AED training <u>website</u>

Centers for Disease Control (CDC) 800-232-4636

Emergency Preparedness for Older Adults website

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

Requires 21 hours of training, free classes

555 Court St. NE Suite 5232, Salem website

City of Silverton

Emergency Management & Preparedness 503-874-2206

under community

Link to Marion-Polk Alerts to sign-up for emergency notifications via Everbridge. website

Links to other resources.

306 S. Water. Silverton website

Marion County Emergency Management

Disaster tips, links to roads, weather,

newsletter, training, etc.

Link to Marion-Polk Alerts to sign-up for

Emergency notifications via Everbridge website
5155 Silverton Rd, Silverton website

Metcom 911 503-982-2340

Marion Area Multi-agency Emergency (24 hr. non-emergency #)

503-391-7294

Telecommunications

Click on Citizen Alerts Notification Sign-Up website

to receive phone(s) &/or email alerts about imminent threats to health & safety (severe weather, floods, gas leaks, 911outages, critical police activity, & safety fairs & events for 22 Marion Co. communities.

National Fire Protection Association

Firewise USA website

National Institute on Aging Disaster Preparedness for Alzheimer's

Caregivers <u>website</u>

Oregon Depart. Emergency Management 503-378-2911

3930 Fairview Industrial Dr. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Oregon Public Broadcasting

Unprepared: an Oregon Field Guide Special website

TBOne Ready 503-880-1742

Neighborhood-organized disaster survival <u>facebook</u>

US FEMA

(Federal Emergency Management Agency)

Emergency Preparedness Ready.gov website

Are You Ready? website

<u>DONATIONS</u>/RECYCLING (See also Financial, Home Repairs, Medical Supplies, & Medical Waste)

Tips: Reduced packaging avoids need to recycle.

The more different materials, the less likely a container is recyclable. Less clutter lowers risk of falling.

Keep donations clean & dry (no dirt, food & like).

Unusable items are a hardship & expense for donation centers.

Verify whether donations are tax deductible

The Plastic Pollution & Recycle Modernization Act will have a standard statewide list of recyclables in Oregon by July 2025

*Places To Donate, Junk, or Recycle Items You No Longer Use.

Cellphones for Soldiers

Drop-off at Cherry City Transmission 503-586-0061

853 9th St. NW, Salem <u>website</u>

Center for Hope & Safety 503-378-1572

Accepts items useful at shelters.

605 Center St. NE, Salem website

Fall Line Skate-bike-sno 503-873-0977

Collects clean wearable clothes & shoes

for local & global use by the Gaia Movement.

302 Lewis, Silverton <u>website</u>

Fresh Start Market & Espresso Accepts block Styrofoam that is clean (no stickers or tape) that snaps when folded. Place in bins off parking lot M-F 7 AM-5 PM 3020 Center St. NE, Salem

Garten Services Inc. Recycles electronics, aluminum cans, cardboard, glass, & paper.

503-581-4472

3334 Industrial Way NE, Salem

website

Goodwill Donation Center, drive-up & walk-up 503-873-6742
Accepts most clothes & household goods.
May accept torn items, single socks & like for fabric & textile if packaged & marked separately.
Does **NOT** accept large appliances, baby furniture, auto parts, household chemicals, weapons, construction materials, bathroom fixtures, mattresses, box springs, newspapers, or anything soiled or wet.
601 N. Water St. Silverton website

JUNK911 503-479-4795

Removes junk as broken appliances, exercise equipment, fences, garage clean-out, furniture, hot tubs, mattresses, yard debris etc. from Silverton & Silverton area.

No pressurized containers/extremely heavy items. Salem website

Marion Co. Public Works Environmental Serv. 503-365-3188 Recycle Guide 5155 Silverton Rd. NE, Salem website

Office Suppliers (Best Buy, Office Depot, Staples) Take used ink cartridges.

Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation Yellow collection box for eyeglasses & hearing aids at Silverton Post Office

website

Paralyzed Veterans of America May take medical equipment 600 N. Water, Silverton 503-362-7998

Republic Services

503-981-1278

Recycling at **residence** currently accepts clean dry, & un-bagged: Flattened cardboard, magazines, common mail, newspapers, office paper, metal cans for beverage & food, scrap metal, milk jugs; brown, green, & clear glass; detergent containers, & water bottles. Has leaf hauling events in the fall.

Dispose of medical waste in proper containers.

Does **NOT** accept aluminum foil, loose soda tabs, or bottle caps, batteries, soiled or wet paper or cardboard; clothing or shoes, coffee cups, construction waste, diapers, electronics, broken or heat-resistant glass (Pyrex); food waste, liquid in bottles, razor blades, needles, or sharps; **plastic bags**, bubble wrap, straws, Styrofoam, tools, toys, or yard waste.

Contact Republic about specific items.

Republic recycles Sat. only, 8 AM-1 PM at Silverton City Shops. There accepts: batteries, cardboard, electronics, glass containers, magazines, junk mail, milk jugs, oil, paint, phone books, plastic bottles, scrap metal, & tin cans.

Does **NOT** accept acetylene tanks, film plastic, plastic toys, Styrofoam, trash, window glass, or wood products.

830 McClaine, Silverton <u>website</u>

Restore (Habitat for Humanity)	855-500-4161
Accepts items specified on website	503-902-0645
245 Young St., Woodburn	<u>website</u>

Roth's Fresh Market

503-873-6311

Little Bell School House outside main entrance (All proceeds for local K-8 schools unfunded education programs) accepts empty Oregon

deposit beverage containers Can & bottle return outside near north exit. Recycle plastic bags near south inner exit. 918 First St., Silverton

website

Safeway 503-873-1800

Glass/plastic/can return outside on south side. Accepts soft plastic bags near south entry/exit.

301 Westfield, Silverton website

Salem-Keizer Recycling & Transfer Station, 503-588-5169

& Household hazardous waste.

Check website for hours, free recycling items,

fees, & unacceptable materials.

3250 Deer Park Dr. SE, Salem website

Seventh-day Adventist Church 503-873-8568

Adventist Community Services accepts clothes & household items Tues. 9 AM-noon. Distributes on Thurs., 9 AM-noon, 6-7:15 PM.

1159 Oak St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Silver Creek Dispensary 503-874-4630

Box in lobby to recycle cannabis containers

307 E. Main St., Silverton website

Silverton Grange

(benefits from some St. Pauly Textile proceeds) Accepts clean & dry usable clothes, shoes, sneakers, belts, purses, blankets, pillowcases, sheets, drapes & stuffed toys.

Does **not** accept rags, scraps, hangars, household goods, pillows, or non-stuffed toys.

Drop off shed at 201 Division, Silverton <u>facebook</u>

Silverton 50+ Center 503-873-3093

The Senior Center does **not** take **unsolicited** donations of hard goods, such as medical equipment, shower chairs, walkers, or wheelchairs. Nor does the center accept books, cards, furniture, or kitchen items. Inquire of director about donations of items

for the senior center to sell, such as vehicles, or fine art.

Sustainable Silverton
Holds community forums about recycling,
emergency preparedness, community health
& well-being, and similar topics.

<u>website</u>

Wilco 503-873-8318

Blue Jeans Green Jeans Denim Recycling Inside front door 734 McClaine St., Silverton

Willamette Vital Health 503-588-3600

Accepts Depends/Adult Incontinent Pads, wheelchairs, shower benches, durable equipment, & unused gift cards.

website

*Vehicle Donations

Charities may accept donations of cars, trucks, & boats
Check that charity is 501c3 registered at
Oregon Department of Justice

website

IRS, A Donor's Guide to Vehicle Donation
Does & Don'ts of Donating Cars To Charity

website website

*Places To Obtain Used Items At No Or Low Cost In addition to churches, garage sales, check out:

Paralyzed Veterans of America May have medical equipment 600 N. Water, Silverton 503-362-7998

Seventh Day Adventist Community Services Bread, clothing, dishes, linens, some furniture, & free table. Thurs., 10 AM-noon. 1159 Oak St., Silverton

503-873-8568

<u>website</u>

DONORS, MEDICAL

*During Life can be donor &/or recipient if you meet eligibility requirements.

BLOOD (includes your own blood for your own future use)
American Red Cross 800-733-2767

1860 Hawthorne Ave. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

Blood donations mobile facilities periodically visit Silverton.

BONE MARROW

Oregon Health Sciences University 503-494-7999 (patients)

Adult Bone Marrow Transplant Program website

KIDNEY

Oregon Health Sciences University 503-494-8500

Clinical Transplant Services

3181 SW Sam Jackson Park Rd., Portland <u>website</u>

PLASMA

Grifols, Talecris Plasma Resources 503-364-8946

351 Belmont St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

*After Death anatomical gifts of all or part of your body may be designated for transplant, therapy, research, or education. Can later revoke. Suitability determined at time of death. Oregon Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act

97.951-97.985 <u>website</u>

Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles 503-945-5000 (for form)

Organ, Eye & Tissue Donation <u>website</u>

EDUCATION

House Bill 2011, signed into law on 6-18-2009, requires Oregon board of higher education and community college districts to waive tuition for courses audited by Oregon residents age 65 & older, providing space is available, department approves, & registered for 8 hours or less. Such students still need to pay other incidental fees.

Chemeketa Community College 503-399-5001
Oregon residents who are age 65 & older
may apply to audit courses at level 100 & 200.
Space must be available & prerequisites satisfied.
Tuition will be waived, but not other fees.
4000 Lancaster Dr. NE Bldg 2, Rm 2, Salem website

Oregon State University, Registrar

Oregon residents age 65 & older may audit courses without paying tuition or fees.

Auditors must first be admitted & pay a non-refundable application fee & assessed instructional fees.

Audit both in-person & on-line courses, but process not via online registration system.

Office of Registrar, Corvallis

541-737-4331

541-737-4331

website

Portland State University, Institute on Aging Senior Adult Learning Center (SALC) allows those age 65 & over to audit courses, providing space available & instructor consents. SALC, Portland website

University of Oregon
Oregon residents age 65 & older may audit
classes, providing space is available & department approves. Some departments only do
this for summer classes. No charge, except
for incidental fees and self-support course
must pay self-support tuition.

Pagistration form

Registration form <u>website</u>

EMERGENCY & CRISIS

*MEDICAL EMERGENCY

Includes allergic reaction, severe bleeding, burns, sudden confusion, fainting, severe fall, sudden numbness, poisoning, slurred speech, suspected stroke, suicidal, high temperature, unconsciousness, & blurred vision.

*Ambulance 911 (emergency 24 hr./ 7d.)

Woodburn Ambulance 503-982-4699 (business #)

Serves N. Marion County

1040 N. Boones Ferry Rd., Woodburn (main office)

316 Phelps, Silverton website

*Hospitals

Legacy Silverton Medical Center 503-873-1500
Level IV trauma Center (general number)

342 Fairview St., Silverton website

 Salem Health Hospital
 800-876-1718

 890 Oak St. SE, Salem
 503-561-5200

Accredited Level II Trauma Center (main switchboard)

Affiliate/partner of Kaiser Permanente/OHSU website

Santiam Hospital 503-769-2175

1401 North 10th Ave., Stayton website

*Other Emergencies

Behavioral Health Crisis Center 503-585-4949 (24-hr Crisis)

(formerly Psychiatric Crisis Center)
Marion County Health Department
24/7 walk in crisis center

1234 Commercial St. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Center for Hope & Safety 503-399-7722 (24-hr Crisis)

Refuge & support for victims & survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, & human trafficking.

605 Center St. NE, Salem website

Mental Health, including Suicide

Unavailable if phone lacks prepaid minutes Northwest Human Services oversees in Marion County 988 (English/Spanish) 988 texting (English only) 988+1 (Veteran's Crisis) 800-273-8255 (TALK)

Missing Persons (see Alarms & Alerts)

Northwest Human Services (NWHS)

Crisis & information hotline

503-581-5535 (24-hr Crisis) 800-560-5535 (**crisis hotline**)

Oregon Poison Center

Regional resource for OR, AK, & Guam

800-222-1222 (help line)

<u>website</u>

Suicide Emergency

Institute on Aging

Center to Prevent Elderly Suicide

Friendship Line 24-hr. conversation oriented

For patients or caregivers

San Francisco

911 (emergency, 24 hr/7d.)

888-670-1360

website

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

for awareness, prevention, & support

Suicide hotline in Spanish

Suicide hotline for deaf & hard-of-hearing

800-273-TALK (8255)

888-628-9454

800-273-8255

<u>website</u>

Veterans Crisis Line 800-273-8255 +1 (Crisis)

Or, text 838255

website

Your Emergency Information

Fill-in or attach other documents to this page.

Tips: Place your medical information so visible to EMTs, such as your refrigerator door.

Date your medication list. Keep your cell phone charged

Name:	
Address:	
Phone(s):	Email:
Emergency Contact Na	ıme & Number:
Health Information: Allergies	
Blood Type	
Conditions	
Diet	
Drugs (Medication	ns/Supplements/Herbs)
Mobility	
Primary health pr	actitioner(s)
Insurance(s)	
Keep copy of this page international	e in your billfold & take on any trips, local or

*NON-MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

Includes crime in progress, fire, gas leaks, downed power lines, tree falling, & earthquake alert.

Silverton Fire District 911

Posts information on fire prevention 503-873-5328 (business)

819 Railway NE, Silverton <u>website</u>

Silverton Police Department 911

411 N. 1st St., Silverton 503-873-5326

(non-emergency)

Facebook

Northwest Natural (Gas) 800-882-3377

In case of leak also call 911 for fire department

website

Portland General Electric (PGE) 503-228-16322

Power outages <u>website</u>

ShakeAlert In Oregon 503-378-2911

Enable emergency alerts on your cell phone.

Drop, cover, & hold on. <u>website</u>

EXERCISE & FITNESS

*Guidelines

Centers for Disease Control
People age 65+ should exercise regularly to
prevent health problems, strengthen muscles,

& enable doing daily activities without becoming dependent. Minimum is 150 minutes per week of moderate intensity aerobic activity, such as brisk walking, or 75 minutes per week of intense aerobic activity, such as jogging, or

an equivalent mix of the two.

Older Adult Activity: Overview

website

National Institute on Aging

Exercise & Physical Activity website

Classes & Coaching *Fitness & Gym

Aerobics, low impact with Karen 503-873-3093

9:30 -10:45 AM, M, W, & F.

Free for senior center members, \$5 non-members

Immanuel Lutheran Church gym

303 N. Church St. website

Anytime Fitness 503-873-7033

Membership offers gym, cardio, strength/ free weights, functional training, training &

coaching services.

Check website for times.

118 Brown St., Silverton website

CrossFit forging Elite Fitness

Silver Creek Strength & Conditioning, Inc.

Non-profit 501C3 Weight-lifting

403 Lewis St., Silverton

Jazzercise 503-873-8210

website

website

Group classes, all levels. (800-FIT-IS-IT)

Cardio dance moves. Contact for times.

Silverton Community Center

421 S. Water, Silverton website

Line Dancing with Jan 503-873-3093

Wed. 1 PM for advanced, 2 PM for beginners

All are welcome.

Free for members, \$5 non-members

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Northwest Senior & Disability Services 833-673-9355

(NWSDS) & ADRC

Health & Wellness in Marion Co.

Health Promotion

Otago Exercise at home, Salem area

Silver Sneakers

Offers online classes both live & at gym

Classes designed for seniors

Free with some Medicare Advantage plans website

Silverton Fitness 503-873-0800

Offers virtual training.

Offers members Titanium Strong classes

222 High St. Suite 3, Silverton website

Silverton Pilates 503-507-1188 (Jen) Beginners to Advanced 503-998-1283 (Danita)

Mat classes. Mats provided. Mon., 8 AM; Fri., 10 AM

209 Oak St., Silverton

Offices at 101 N. Water, A, Silverton website

*Physical Therapy

Benchmark Physical Therapy 503-873-6111

365 Westfield St., Silverton website

PROMotion Physical Therapy 503-874-4416

Practice areas include geriatrics, rehab

602A Front St., Silverton <u>website</u>

PT NW 503-873-1647

Mon. - Fri., 8 AM-1 PM, 2-5PM

240 Phelps St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Therapeutic Associates Physical Therapy 503-378-7434

3400 State St., Suite G-704, Salem website

*Swimming

Silverton Community Swimming Pool 503-873-6456

Offers year around recreational & competitive swimming, swim lessons, & water fitness.

Includes family swim, lap swim, open swim.

Chair lift. 6 lane lap pool, zero depth entry pool,

2'9"- 4' pool. Fees & hours at Silver Falls

Family YMCA. May require an appointment 503-873-6456

601 Miller St., Silverton <u>website</u>

*Walking

Tips for walking: Wear bright colors, carry a flashlight

Keep hydrated.

40% of pedestrian fatalities involve pedestrian alcohol.

Centers for Disease Control

Generally, walking 30 minutes a day improves blood pressure, blood sugar, weight, mental health & mood, ability to do daily activities, prevent falls, & lower your risk of heart disease.

Studies of older women show increasing walking by 2,000 steps a day (less than mile) yields positive health outcomes. 4,400 steps is even better.

What 10,000 Steps Will Really Get You website

*Yoga

Chair/Wheelchair Yoga with Tsipora. 503-873-3093

Free for members, \$5 for non-members

Donations at door go to instructor.

2-3 PM, Tues & Thurs.

Bring yoga mat if you have one.

Silverton Senior Center, Great Room

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Gentle Yoga with Kathleen 503-873-3093

Stretching for balance & flexibility with Kathleen

Free for all. Bring a yoga mat

Tues. & Thurs 9:30-10 AM.

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Yoga Dance with Tsipora 503-873-3093

Move to music for health & healing.

All ages & abilities welcome

3:30-4:30 PM Tues. & Thurs. except Nov. 14th

Free for members, \$5 for non-members

Donations at door go directly to instructor.

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Yoga for 2nd half of life with Emmie 503-873-3093

Meets needs & pace of attendees

Free for members, \$5 for non-members

Suggested donation \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members. All donations go Directly to instructor. Wed. 11 AM-12:15 PM Bring a mat. They provide blocks, blankets & Yoga props/

Silverton Senior Center, Great Room

115 Westfield, Silverton

website

FALL PREVENTION (see also Housing Repair)

Tips: When climbing a ladder, set the ladder at 75.5 angle, wear a bicycle helmet or hard hat.

Risk of falling from ladder & severe head injuries rises after age 50. Change positions slowly from lying down, sitting, to standing, especially if taking blood pressure pills or diuretics.

Use reaching devices. Avoid footwear that slides on floors.

Don't rush to answer a phone. Avoid, or anchor small area rugs.

Clean-up clutter.

Use adequate lighting.

Progressive lenses may contribute to falls.

Enter & exit buses using secure handhold.

Frailty, many medical conditions, & medications may increase your risk of falls.

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

Older Adult Fall Prevention

website

Tips to prevent falls (exercise, eye exam, medication review, clutter removal, grab bars & railings, & adequate lighting).

GO4U Essentials

503-930-1114

Decluttering, delivery, junk removal & moving.

Senior discount, except for moving.

Serves Willamette Valley

1940 McCoy Ave. NE, Salem

Facebook

National Aging & Disability Transportation Center

Fall Prevention Awareness in Public

Transportation, Tips for Older Riders website

Oregon Health Sciences University OHSU warns older adults on increasing rates of dangerous falls.

website

Otago Exercise Program
Home-based balance & strength for fall
prevention by physical therapist
by Northwest Senior & Disability Services
(NWDSD) for Oregon Health Authority

website

FINANCES

*Employment

Easter Seals 503-362-1572

Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) for job seekers age 55+ in Marion county with income restrictions.

1313 Mill St., Suite #300, Salem website

Worksource Oregon Centers 503-378-4846

Help find jobs, increase skills & training

605 Cottage St. NE, Salem website

*Senior Discounts (see also Medication)

Discounts for Seniors are offered by a variety of businesses (drugstores, grocers, hotels, restaurants, transportation, travel, etc.) Membership in some organizations may entitle you to a discount.

Tips: Compare the regular price at one place to discounted price elsewhere Age the discount starts vary.

Not all outlets of the same franchise may offer a discount. Stipulations may limit the discount to certain days or times of day. Verify discount ahead of purchase.

Online lists of discounts include:

Consumer World website
Senior List website

*Donations

Local non-profits always appreciate cash donations, large & small, unrestricted or restricted. When making donations, include:

Silverton Area Seniors Inc. 503-873-3093

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

*Taxes

Tip: Learn about changes in deductions, such as medical expenses

AARP Foundation Tax Aide

Tax Aide for Seniors age 60 & older. Free. website

AARP taxes appointment call 971-599-1940

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton website

FIRST AID (see also disaster)

Tips: For bystanders the American Heart Association recommends:

Use hands-only CPR

Wear mask

Cover victim's mouth & nose with cloth without obstructing breathing

American Red Cross

Adult First Aid/CPR/AED Online website

Pacwest Medical Training 971-772-1249

Trains in CPR, 1st-aid, AED, Bloodborne Pathogens for community & for health professionals.

361 Anderson Dr., Silverton <u>website</u>

Silverton First Aid & CPR 503-999-2027

Offers training at offices & on-site

for certification.

13000 Finlay Rd. NE, Silverton <u>website</u>

You-tube

AED, CPR, 1st-aid training available

Some free, some charge, some certified website

Hands-Only CPR website

FOOD & BEVERAGE

*Nutrition

Nutrition.gov links on nutrition for seniors website

Zetta House Community Wellness Collective Services include nutritional therapy. 503 N. First, Silverton

*Eating In

Tips: Look for healthy recipes for one or two that are easy to fix. (online, friends, cookbooks)

Volunteer to teach others of all ages how to cook & preserve food.

*Cooking

OSU Extension Service, Marion Co. 503-588-5301

Recipes & related programs

1320 Capitol St. NE, Suite 110, Salem website

*Food Pantry

Silver Creek Fellowship 503-873-7353

Mission of Hope offers mobile food pantry

Distributes food Wed. 2-5 PM

822 Industry Way NE, Silverton <u>website</u>

Silverton Area Community Aid (SACA) 503-873-3446

Pantry Hours: Mon. 11 AM-2 PM, Tues. 3-6 PM, Thurs. 9 AM-noon.

421 S. Water St., Silverton website

*Food Stamps

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program 800-699-9075

(SNAP) applications on-line

Oregon Dept. of Human Services website

*Grocery/meal deliveries & pick-ups (see also Transportation)

Meals on Wheels, sign-up for home delivery 503-873-6906

Sign-up for home delivery, to volunteer, or to reach Stacie, Nutrition Program Manager of

Northwest Senior & Disability Services

(NWSDS) website

Roth's To Go 503-873-6311

Mon.-Sat. before 10 AM no fee for pick-up.

\$5 after 10 AM same day delivery/ Sun./holidays

918 1st St., Silverton website

Safeway 503-873-1800

Check website for Drive-up & Go, or Delivery. On-line prices may differ from local stores.

301 Westfield, Silverton website

Salem Harvest 503-400-6618 Ext. 4

Prevents food from going to waste.

Registered volunteers can keep up to one-half what they pick of crops at specified farms & backyards mid-June- Sept. Rest of harvest goes to elderly, low-income, children,

homeless, & unemployed. <u>website</u>

Silverton Farmers Market Saturdays, food, crafts, plants 9 AM-1 PM, May 14-Oct 22, Methodist church parking lot, 203 Main St. 10-12:30, Oct. 16- May 7,

Friend's church, 229 Eureka St., Silverton <u>website</u>

2-1-1info 211

Serves mid-valley, including Marion County Includes information on food programs.

8 AM-6 PM, Mon. -Fri. <u>website</u>

We All Dine in Silverton
Joel Autry's team of chefs prepare delicious,
nutritious frozen meals.
Meals delivered free every Sat. afternoon to
anyone needs a boost. No application needed.

Call or text Cherry Hoffman to get on list. 503-930-0699

*Eating Out

Tips: When eating out, look for chairs easy to get in & out of, restroom easily accessible, & noise level that allows you to hear well.

Don't leave take home meat, fish, or dairy in hot car/ purse for hours.

Dine Out Club for age 50+
1st Thurs. 5:30 PM at different local restaurants
Silverton Senior Center
115 Westfield, Silverton website

Meals on Wheels Congregate Community 503-873-6906 Lunch 11:30 AM, Mon. Tues. & Thurs. RSVP requested. \$3 suggested donation 60+, \$3 under age 60. 6y7

Reserve 3 days in advance Silverton Senior Center, main hall 115 Westfield, Silverton

Monday Meal 503-873-5446

Free dinner, Mondays, 5:30-7 PM

Oak Street Church

502 Oak St., Silverton website

Singles Lunch Out 503-873-3093

Noon, 3rd Mon. at different local restaurants.

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

*Alcohol

Dietary Guidelines for Americans. 2020-2025 states to choose not to drink, or drink in moderation (2 drinks or less for men, 1 or less for women). One drink is 12 oz. of beer, 5 oz. of wine, or 1.5 oz. of distilled spirits). Drinking less is fewer calories. Even moderate use poses risks with interacting medications, liver disease, or driving/operating machinery. website

Oregon Liquor & Cannabis Commission
Oregon law ORS 813.010 specifies 0.08% website
or more blood alcohol, or intoxicating liquor,
inhalant, or controlled substance constitutes
driving under the influence. Increases risk
of crash four-fold.
Below 0.08% blood alcohol still raises risk.

FOOT CARE

RN Foot Care 503-881-7033 (Leana,

Clinicians trained in foot care & toenail care Annette, & Katie)

Charges fee.

Tues. & Wed. by appointment.

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield St., Silverton website

GERONTOLOGY/GERIATRIC MEDICINE

Annual Gerontology Conference, 800-678-6311

2 days every April

For retirees age 60+ & relevant professionals

Oregon State University, Corvallis website

ElderCare Connections 541-737-4906

Family Resource Center

Monthly discussions on caregiving via Zoom

Oregon State University, Corvallis <u>website</u>

Gero-psychologist

Capacity Solutions 503-376-8685

Oregon Gerontological Association 971-319-4556

Membership for seniors, professionals, students

Offers education, training, & networking <u>website</u>

GRIEF/BEREAVEMENT COUNSELING

(see also churches, support groups)

Faith-based counseling from faith of your choice.

Unger Funeral Chapel 503-873-5141

Lists links to Griefwords Online Library <u>website</u>

GUNS (see also Self-Defense)

Tips: Lock-up all fire arms. Put safety lock on guns. Avoid access by grandchildren or others.

Wear earplugs or ear muffs when shooting a gun.

Consider selling your guns to responsible party, giving to heirs now, or donating to a museum.

Assisted Living facilities may not allow guns on their premises.

Consider changes in cognition, behavior, dementia (including Alzheimer's disease), emotional state, eyesight, frailty, & reaction time in decision whether to retain guns.

Older people are less apt to be victim of violent crime. The elderly complete more suicides with guns.

Alzheimer's Association 800-272-3900

Firearm Safety <u>website</u>

Ramey's VQ Gunworks LLC 503-449-6007

Services include safety checks, appraisals

477 E. Elm Dr., Gervais website

Veterans Administration

Guide for Families: Keeping the Person with

Memory Loss, p. 19 guns website

HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS (doctors & other health professionals)

(See also Exercise, Hearing, & Vision)

Tips: Verify whether your provider accepts your insurance, especially the Oregon Health Plan, Medicaid, and traditional Medicare.

Find out if your practitioner now offers Telemedicine visits, Health care providers may individually mandate masks.

Wearing masks is good practice whenever you have any respiratory problem, not just for COVID-19 or pandemics.

*Acupuncture/Acupressure

White Oak Wellness (WOW)

Acupuncture, Massage 503-874-4067

306 Oak St., Silverton website

*Chiropractic

Allen Chiropractic Wellness Center 503-874-9355

510 Front St., Silverton <u>Facebook</u>

Cote Chiropractic 503-873-8099

951 N. 2nd St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Mt. Angel Chiropractic 971-599-2536

690 N. Main St., Mt. Angel website

ORT Chiropractic Clinic Chiropractic, Massage, & Rehabilitation 436 McClaine St., Silverton	503-874-8678 website	
Silver Creek Chiropractic 204 N. 1 st , Suite E, Silverton	971-287-6632 Facebook	
*Clinics, Medical (Physician, Nurse Practitioner, & Physician Assistant based)		
Cascade Cardiology 400 Welch St., Silverton	503-485-4787 (for 3 locations) website	
Functional Medicine Practitioners Evelin Dacker, MD 374 Owen St. S, Salem	503-399-1400 website	
Hope Family Medicine 530 Welch St., Silverton	503-874-6026 website	
Kaiser Permanente Medical Office 2400 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem Mental Health	800-813-2000 503-361-5400 503-588-5955 website	
Legacy Silverton Medical Center Legacy Imaging Services 342 Fairview, Silverton	503-873-1750	
Legacy Medical Group-Mt. Angel Primary care clinic. 250 W. Marquam St., Mt. Angel	503-845-2000 website	
Legacy Medical Group- Silverton Family Medicine Primary care clinic	503-873-5667	
347 Fairview St., Silverton Legacy Medical Group-Orthopedic & Sports Medicine 452 Welch St., Office Bldg. 1, Silverton	<u>website</u> 503-873-1722	

Legacy Medical Group Pre-Surgery Care 454 Welch, Bldg. 1, 2 nd Fl., Silverton	503-873-1540 website
Legacy Medical Group-Women's Health Specialty clinic, 406 Welch, Silverton	503-873-8853 website
Legacy Anticoagulation Clinic Legacy Wound & Ostomy Clinic STEPS Clinic 342 Fairview, Silverton	503-873-1670 website
Legacy Devers Eye Institute 7021 Nyberg St., Suite 210, Tualatin	503-413-8202 website
Legacy Urgent Care, See Legacy Silverton Medical Center on prior page	
Oregon Health Sciences University (OHSU) 3181 SW Sam Jackson Park Rd., Portland	503-494-8311 (main line) website
Oregon Oncology Specialists 404 Welch St., Silverton	503-874-6444 website
Silver Creek Family Medicine 111 West C. St., Silverton	503-874-3737 website
Sublimity Medical Clinic, a Santiam Hospital clinic 114 SE Church St., Sublimity	503-769-2259 website
Township Health, Direct Primary Care Monthly fee. Does not accept or bill insurance 113 S. Water, Silverton	503-836-7455 e. website
True Health, Direct Primary Care Does not accept OHP insurance. 106 McClaine, Silverton	503-523-0268 website
Yakima Valley Farm Workers clinics, Include bilingual Spanish/English, assist with insurance applications, Lancaster Family Health Center	503-588-0076

Partners with Marion Polk Food Share to	
distribute food at clinic. Call for times.	
3896 Beverly Ave NE, Bldg. J, Ste. 40, Salem	
Salud Medical Center	503-982-2000
1175 Mt. Hood Ave, Woodburn	
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503-873-6118 website
503-624-1000
<u>website</u>
503-873-3093 503-983-3446
503-370-4843 website
503-873-3530 website
503-845-2273 website
503-566-7000
503-584-7101
<u>website</u>
503-873-8614 website

*Pharmacists (see Medication)	
*Osteopaths Bruce W. Duffy, DO, specialty Geriatric Medicine 4182 Vitae Springs Rd. S, Salem Santiam Orthopedics & Sports Timothy R. Borman, DO 700 Bellevue St. SE, Salem	503-371-2260 503-375-3636
*Naturopaths Donald McBride, ND 1305 Broadway St. NE, Salem	503-364-1441 website
Silverton Counseling Catherine Cummings, LCSW, offers include cognitive behavioral therapy, couples therapy, & clinical hypnotherapy 429 N. Water St., Silverton	503-559-8500
Salmon Creek Counseling & Hypnosis Liz Williams, LCSW	503-509-4956 website
*Miscellaneous Providers Healing Hands Hypnotherapy Trina Butler-Dana certified clinical hypnotherapist 214 B, S. Water St., Silverton	503-509-8487
Salem Denture Center 758 Hawthorne Ave. NE, Salem	503-364-8265 website
*DENTURES Natural Dentures 3445 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem	503-371-9897 website
Yakima Valley Farm Worker's Clinic Salud Medical Center, Dental 1175 Mt. Hood Ave., Woodburn	503-982-2010 website

^{*}Podiatry (see Foot Care)

*Psychiatry (see Wellness)

*Public Health

Marion County Health Dept. 503-588-5342

3180 Center St. NE, Salem website

Oregon Health Authority Public Health Division

COVID-19 Updates <u>website</u>

Oregon Poison Center, free 800-222-1222 (emergency)

Education resources at OHSU 503-494-7799

3181 SW Sam Jackson Rd., Portland website

*Wellness

Zetta House Community Wellness Collective Focus on holistic well-body wellness, includes chiropractic, massage, mental health, etc.

503 N. First St., Silverton website

HEALTH INSURANCE

Affordable Care Act <u>website</u>

Centers for Medicaid & Medicare Services

(CMS) <u>website</u>

Medicare questions & report fraud & abuse 800-633-4227 Questions or report possible fraud 877-772-3379

website

Oregon Department of Human Services

Senior Medicare Patrol 855-673-2372

Empowers seniors to prevent healthcare fraud website

500 Summer St. NE, Salem, or

330 C St. WDC 20024

Oregon Health Authority

Oregon Health Plan 800-699-9075

<u>website</u>

Oregon Insurance Division help, or complaint 888-877-4894

<u>website</u>

Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance 800-722-4134 (SHIBA) Offers Medicare counseling & (option 2)

Medicare savings programs

Annual Oregon Guide to Medigap, website

Medicare Advantage, & Prescription Drug Plans

Some insurers explain their plans at Silverton Senior Center prior to enrollment periods.

HEARING, HEARING AIDS, & SPEECH

Tips: By age 75, half of adults have disabling hearing loss. They may miss hearing others, or mishear what was said.

Check for obstruction due to earwax.

Earbuds or earphones are not designed to assist hearing loss.

Devices to improve hearing include personal sound amplification that amplifies all sound. These are electronic products. Amplified phones are available. Amplifiers are not regulated by FDA.

Hearing Aids are regulated by FDA as a medical device. Most are just registered with FDA. Those classified as Class II medical device, such as self-fitting hearing aids, must additionally show safety and efficacy data to obtain FDA clearance. Some aids are now available Over-The-Counter for mild to moderate hearing loss. Others require a prescription from an audiologist.

Compare cost, insurance coverage, battery life, warranty period, features, fit, comfort, ease of handling, and company support.

When putting on or taking off face masks, check that your hearing aid is still in place; or wear a face shield.

Check if your medications may cause ringing in ears, or hearing loss. Under the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals with hearing loss can get access for phone service (not necessarily for the phone).

Archer Captioning

503-319-0122

Communication Access Real-Time Translation (CART)

For hard of hearing & English as 2nd language Available on-line, on-site, & on demand.

Portland 97220 website

Bright Minds Hearing

503-589-9844

Hearing tests, ear cleaning, & hearing devices.

3856 Center St. NE, Salem

website

CaptionCall. Sorenson 877-557-2221 Compatible with landline or mobile phone website Hearing Loss Association of America, **Oregon State Association** POB 22501, Eugene 97402 website **Lions Club** Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation 971-270-0203 Qualified applicants eligible for rebuilt hearing 800-635-4667 aids, hearing surgeries, & treatments. Yellow collection box for eyeglasses & hearing aids at Silverton Post Office 1010 NW 22nd Ave. #144, Portland website Silverton Lions Club Conducts vision screening, raises awareness of eye diseases. website National Institute on Deafness & Other Communication Disorders Listen Up! Protect Your Hearing website National Suicide Prevention Lifeline for the 800-273-8255 hard-of-hearing & deaf website Oregon Relay (Hamilton Relay) 711 Provides phone connection between people with hearing or speech disabilities. website Salem Audiology Clinic 503-877-1684 Offer diagnosis, testing, fitting, repair, supplies & accessories 3857 Wolverine St. NE #16C, Salem website

US Federal Communication Commission Authorizes providers of *captioned phone* service for individuals with hearing or speech disabilities. May pay for phone access, but not the phone. Operator of Telecommunications

website 711 website Woodburn Hearing Center 503-509-9622

Offer diagnosis, testing, fitting, repair,

supplies & accessories.

2200 Country Club Ct., Ste. E, Woodburn website

HOME REPAIRS & REMODELING (see also Care Giving, non-medical)

Tips: Change batteries of detectors on memorable day, such as specific holiday, or birthday

Place near bedrooms. Avoid false alarms by not placing near toaster.

*Appliance Repair

Folsom Appliance Repair 503-507-9599

Serves Silverton

7455 62nd Ave. NE, Salem

*Electric Repair/Contractors

Kuenzi Electric 503-873-4908

1035 Commerce Ct. Silverton <u>website</u>

Rite Way Electric 503-873-5275

Serves Silverton

2904 Three Lakes Rd. SE, Albany <u>website</u>

Wyeast Electrical 503-871-9843

501 S. 3rd St., Silverton

*General Repair

ACE Handyman Services of Salem 503-717-6517

Services Silverton

Carpentry, drywall repair, fence repair, gutter cleaning, window installation, etc.

2111 Front St. NE, Suite 3-206, Salem website

Habitat for Humanity, North Willamette Valley

Restore 503-902-0645

Sells new & used furniture, appliances, building materials, & home accessories.

Thurs. 10 AM-6 PM, Fri. & Sat. 10 AM-5 PM to shop,

Wed. 11 AM-4 PM to donate

245 Young St., Woodburn <u>website</u>

Kaufman's Home Maintenance 503-798-4357

Covers mid-Willamette Valley

14 point checklist repairs & prevention

3625 Kashmir Way SE, Salem website

Oregon Construction Contractors Board 503-378-4621

Contractor license search <u>website</u>

Repair Fairs for appliances, bicycles, clothing, computer, electronics, housewares, jewelry, &/or woodwind instruments & like.
Periodically Marion Co. Public Works,
Sustainable Silverton, & others teach you (or grandchildren) repair skills to avoid replacing.

US Department of Agriculture
Rural Development, Section 504 Home Repair
Single Family Housing Repair Loans & Grants
Chceck site for qualifications website

*Gutter Cleaning, Roof Maintenance, Yardwork &/or Hanging Holiday Lights

ACE Handyman Services See above under home repair.

J&M Gutters Inc.

Gutter installation, maintenance, & repair. 503-873-3303

5484 Rogers Ln. NE, Silverton <u>website</u>

Task Genie 541-730-1296

Roof cleaning

1712 Wood Duck Ave. St. NE, Silverton

*Plumbing

DoneRite Plumbing 503-342-7782

Serves Silverton

7095 3rd St. SE, Turner <u>website</u>

Eastman Heating, Cooling, Plumbing, &

Electrical 503-873-2810

6175 Aviation Way, Silverton <u>Facebook</u>

*Remodeling

Whether you stay in your own home or downsize, minor adjustments or major remodeling may be needed. Universal design incorporates principles of safe, convenient living. Resources include:

AARP

Bathroom checklist website
Designing for Better Living website

Amramp serves all of Oregon 888-715-7598

Wheelchair ramps, stair lifts, grab bars, (4 AM-6 PM Mon.-Fri.)

automatic door openers, roll-in showers, etc.

warehouse in Silverton <u>website</u>

Apostolic Christian Church 503-779-9222 (Mark Kuenzi)

HarvestCall Construction

Mission activities include building ramps. 4700 Howell Prairie Rd. NE, Silverton

Center of Design for an Aging Society 503-292-2912

Maximize abilities of older adults.

6910 S Corbett Ave., Portland <u>website</u>

Habitat for Humanity, North Willamette Valley 503-902-0645

ReStore, Sells used furniture, appliances,

home accessories, building materials.

Thurs. 10 AM-6 PM, Fri. & Sat.10 AM-3 PM to shop,

Wed. 11 AM-4 PM to donate

245 Young St., Woodburn <u>website</u>

This Old House

6 Ideas for Elder-Friendly Design website

Willamette Vital Health

"Age-friendly kitchen,"

Family Caregiver Connection Newsletter

Past Issues, Feb./ Mar. 2019

1015 3rd St. NW, Salem <u>website</u>

HOUSECLEANING (See also Caregiving)

Mary Maids 503-991-2370

Cleaning service by Mary Olds

in Salem & neighboring communities.

HOUSING (See also Weather, cooling & warming centers)

*Housing, General

Marion County Housing Authority 503-798-4170

2645 Portland Rd NE Suite 200, Salem website

McCulloughs' Moving & More 503-930-1114

Moving, Delivery, Assembly, Heavy Lifting,

& Removal

1115 Madison St. NE, Salem

Oregon Department of Human Services

Aging & Disability Resource Connection 855-ORE-ADRC Information on choosing a care facility (855-673-2372)

website

Long-term Care Overview website

(assisted living, nursing home, adult foster

care, residential care)

Oregon Housing & Community Services 503-986-2000

Assists with housing, homelessness, energy,

& weatherization.

725 Summer St. NE, Ste. B, Salem <u>website</u>

Oregon Project Independence 866-206-4799 (Marion Co.)

Northwest Senior & Disabled Services Keep Oregonians age 60+ who do not

receive most Medicaid services with services

that allow them to remain in their home. <u>website</u>

*Reverse Mortgages

Federal Housing & Urban Development (HUD)

Home Equity Conversion Mortgage (HECM) website

HECM Counselor 800-569-4287

*Apartments

Apartments 201 S. James St. #1-12, Silverton Condos, 202 -211 S. James St., Silverton

Bryan Court Apartments 900-915 & 1005 Bryan Ct., Silverton	503-93-3104
Edelweiss Village for age 62+ 150 N. Garfield, Mt. Angel	503-798-4170
Operated by Marion Co. Housing Authority	<u>website</u>
Grandview Apartments for active, independent seniors	503-845-2222
who are active 55+ Some units pet-friendly. 1060 Linden St., Mt. Angel	<u>website</u>
Pacific Crest Apartments 950 N. 2 nd St., Silverton	833-281-8364 website
Sheridan Senior Estates for ages 58+ 185 S. Sheridan St., Mt. Angel Operated by Marion Co. Housing Authority	<u>website</u>
Silverplace Apartments 329 Fossholm St. NE, Silverton	503-874-8878 website
Silver Ridge Apartments % Bertolucci Management Inc., Salem 1119-1201 S. Water St., Silverton	503-585-2848
Silverton Manor 992 N. 2 nd , Silverton	503-873-1425
Silvertowne I 1080 N. 2 nd St., Silverton	
Silvertowne II office for both 1115 Mill St., Silverton	503-873-6978
Twilight Courts Manager, #19 811 S. Water St., Silverton	503-873-3339

*Emergency Shelter (see also Weather)

Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency

Arches Project Housing & Homeless Division, 503-58

Arches Project Housing & Homeless Division 503-585-6232

Referrals, housing placement & supportive

services, emergency housing & utility assistance.

Includes rural Marion Co.

2475 Center St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

St. Francis Shelter & Transitional Housing 503-588-0428

Temporary housing of homeless Marion Co. website

St. Joseph Shelter & companion programs in Mt. Angel. Program includes Marion Co.

Operated by Catholic Community Services 503-390-2600

website

Shelter Listings

Lists & links of shelters in Marion County, includes Homeless Shelters, Supportive Housing, Halfway Housing, Transitional Housing, Day Shelters, Low Income Housing,

Residential Alcohol & Drug Treatment Ctr. website

Sheltering Silverton, offices 503-509-4797

345 Westfield St. #304, Silverton

For adult, homeless in Silverton area.

Resource Center 8 AM-8 PM.

Night Shelter 8 PM-8 AM.

Current capacity is 20.

832 McClaine St., Silverton website

VETCare of Oregon 503-364-1728

Assists veterans in Marion/Polk counties

with transitional housing.

2933 Center St. NE, Unit 2, Salem <u>website</u>

*Mobile Homes

Bavarian Village mobile park 503-845-2586

830 N. Main, Mt. Angel

Palo Park 503-576-9410 (Diane)

1732 Pine St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Silverton Mobile Estates for ages 55+ 503-873-8097

1307 S. Water, Silverton <u>website</u>

Stardust Village Mobile Home Park 503-930-9827

1418 Pine St., Silverton <u>website</u>

*<u>Assisted</u> Living (Assisted Care Community, Residential Care Institution) Licensed facilities that provide housing and care for 6 or more residents. Have nurse, but not on site 24-hours. Caregivers trained, may not be certified.)

Country Meadows Village 503-376-6996

(Crown II Development)

155 S. Evergreen Rd., Woodburn <u>website</u>

Elliott Residence at Marian Estates 503-902-4920

390 SE Church St., Sublimity website

Marian Estates 503-902-6890

390 Church St., Sublimity website

McKillop Residence at Marian Estates 503-902-5970

500 Conifer Circle, Sublimity <u>website</u>

Mt. Angel Towers (Residential Care) 503-845-7211

1 Towers Ln., Mt. Angel <u>website</u>

Providence Benedictine Orchard House 503-845-2544

550 S. Main St., Mt. Angel website

Silver Creek Senior Living 503-902-6981

703 Evergreen Rd., Woodburn <u>website</u>

Trustwell at Davenport Place 971-343-1027

Senior Living Community

930 Oak St., Silverton <u>website</u>

*Foster Care, Adult

(Licensed, single family setting for up to 5 residents)

Aging & Disability Resource Connection 855-673-2372 (ADRC) of Oregon (855-ORE-ADRC)

ADRC, Marion County 503-304-3420

866-206-4799

<u>website</u>

Northwest Senior & Disabled Services

(NWSDS)

3410 Cherry Ave. NE, Salem 503-304-3400 2100 Progress Way, Woodburn 503-981-0138

website

Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS)

Overview of Adult Foster Home Program

& classification designation website

Marcey's Place 503-769-1313

1150 NE Magnolia Ave., Sublimity

Serene Gardens 503-877-7565

Adult Foster Care

185 Alder St., Mt. Angel <u>website</u>

Wisdom Keepers, Susan Conmi 503-873-7316

171 Steelhammer Rd., Silverton

*Memory Care (for people with dementia)

Endorsed Memory Care Communities, special care units providing secure setting. Licensed as residential care, assisted living, or nursing facility.

Brookstone Alzheimer's Special Care Ctr. 503-967-9131

Respite care available

5881 Woodside Dr. SE, Salem <u>website</u>

Marian Estates 503-902-6890

390 Church St., Sublimity website

Silver Creek Senior Living 503-902-6581

703 Evergreen Rd., Woodburn <u>website</u>

Woods at Willowcreek (Springs Living) 866-567-4049`

4398 Glencoe St. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

*Nursing Facilities (Convalescent Home, Nursing Home, Skilled Nursing Facility includes Rehabilitative Services & Restorative Nursing. Provides 24-hour nursing care. Caregivers are certified.)

Tip: Verify what insurance each long-term care facility accepts.

Marian Estates 503-902-6890

390 Church St., Sublimity <u>website</u>

Oregon Veterans' Homes

600 North 5th St., Lebanon 541-497-7265

website

700 Veterans Dr., The Dalles 541-296-7190

<u>website</u>

Providence-Benedictine Nursing Center 503-845-6841

Provides Transitional Care, Rehabilitation, Long-term Skilled Nursing Care, & Enhanced Care Unit.

540 S. Main St., Mt. Angel website

INFORMATION

Aging in The Willamette Valley
John Hughes interviews of experts &
professionals of interest to elders on KMUZ.
314 past episodes now available on podcast. website

Centers for Disease Control (CDC) <u>website</u>

Centers for Medicaid & Medicare Services

(CMS) <u>website</u>

Mirador Magazine

Subscription leisure-oriented for those with dementia-related illness, or their caregivers.

POB 86761, Portland 97286 website

National Institute on Aging

Information on health & wellness <u>website</u>

^{*}Rehabilitation from hospitalization, injuries, stroke, trauma, see Nursing Facilities for inpatient rehabilitation.

National Library of Medicine PubMed

website

50 Plus Magazine, Willamette Valley Edition

503-304-1323

Free monthly magazine. *Temporarily, drop* sites do not include Silverton Senior Center. 3827 NE 91st Ave., Portland

website

Search engines include Bing, DuckDuckGo, Google, Edge

Silver Falls Library, Circulation 503-873-5173 of Chemeketa Cooperative Regional Library Services include Ask a Librarian, Borrowing, Community Spaces, Computers, Google

Chromebooks, Mobile WiFi Hotspots, Cultural

Passes, Homebound Book Delivery, Interlibrary Loan, Obituary & Local History Requests, &

Test Proctoring. Charges fee for printing. website (CCRLS) website (Silver Falls)

US Department of Health & Human Services Office of Disease Prevention & Health Information spans Diet Guidelines, Health Care Quality & Patient Safety, Health Finder, Health Literacy & Communication, & Physical Activity Guidelines

Physical Activity Guidelines <u>website</u>

US Food & Drug Administration <u>website</u>

You-tube videos, search for health

& other topics <u>website</u>

KEYS/LOCKS/LOST & FOUND

Tips: For emergency, homecare, & friends, consider an outdoor lockbox for their access to a key. Be sure to change the initial code of the device Consider electronic means to find your keys, glasses, the remote etc.

Batteries Plus 503-581-4890

Key FOB Replacement

3045 Lancaster Dr., NE, Salem website

Fox Lock & Safe 503-364-1066 Duplicates keys, opens homes & vehicles. 1865 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem website LEGAL ASSISTANCE Legal Aid Services of Oregon 800-359-1845 Salem Regional Office 503-581-5265 Gives advice & representation to low-income citizens of Marion-Polk counties. For age 60+ includes living facility problems, guardianships, debt collection, financial abuse, housing law, public benefits, & Wildfire Disaster Relief. 280 Liberty St. SE #320, Salem website Oregon State Bar Lawyer Referral Service 800-452-7636 For those of modest means Rose Elder Law 971-865-3171 Michael J. Rose, JD Jennifer Trundy, JD Estate Planning, Medicaid Lake Oswego website Sherman, Sherman, Johnnie & Hoyt, LLP 503-364-2281 Jennifer Smith, Elder Law Attorney **Estate Planning** 693 Chemeketa St. NE, Salem website **MASSAGE THERAPY** Clubb Massage in Salem area Fri. Schedule appointment on phone, 503-930-7529 or book appointment on-line website Silverton Senior Center 115 Westfield, Silverton **Grand Rising Wellness** 509-902-9093 Massage Therapy & Bodywork 401 N. Water, Silverton website (set-back by Silver Creek)

Oregon Garden Resort Moonstone Spa 503-874-2503

Offer several types of massage

895 W. Main, Silverton website

ORT Chiropractic Clinic 503-874-8678

Massage, Chiropractic, & Rehabilitation

426 McClaine St., Silverton website

Silverton Bodywork Clinic 503-874-4484

Deep Tissue & Swedish Massage

210 Oak St., Ste. 2, Silverton website

Zetta House Community Wellness Collective Services include massage therapy.

503 N. First, Silverton website

MEALS (see Food)

MEDICAL SUPPLY, DEVICES, DURABLE & MOBILITY EQUIPMENT

Tips: Check for ease of use, space needed, & cost.

Verify whether your supplier accepts Medicare

*Bed Rails

Bed rails for adults may be portable products, or medical devices. Both offer benefits & risks of injuries & death. Some facilities don't allow.

US Food & Drug Administration

Bed Rail Safety website

A Guide to Bed Safety Bed Rails in Hospitals,

Nursing Homes & Home Health Care: website

*Supplies, general

National Library of Medicine

Choosing the correct walking aid for patients website

*Face Masks/Shields

Tips: The best face masks combine good filtration with breathability, and comfort. These masks, esp. N-95, K-N95, reduce risk of respiratory infections, including COVID, influenza, RSV, & colds by reducing your exposure from others & you being exposing to others. Masks also reduce inhaling smoke.

*Supplies, donations/lending organizations

Keizer Lions Club 503-559-6631

Accepts durable medical equipment, including

hospital beds

1091 Chemawa Rd. N., Keizer

NorthWest Senior & Disability Resource

503-304-3420 or 866-206-4799 Aging & Disability Resource Connection

3410 Cherry Ave. NE, Salem website

Silverton 50+ Center 503-873-3093

The Senior Center does not take unsolicited donations of hard goods, such as medical equipment, shower chairs, walkers, or wheelchairs. (See also Donations).

website

Yakima Valley Farmworkers Clinics 503-588-7656 Ex. 6423

May take good wheelchairs, scooters, & walkers

Lancaster Family Health Center 503-588-0076

3896 Beverly Ave NE, Bldg. J, Ste. 40, Salem

Salud Medical Center 503-982-2000

1175 Mt. Hood Ave, Woodburn

*Supplies, for sale

Access Technologies Inc. 503-361-1201

Assistive technology, new & used

for those with significant hearing & vision loss

2225 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem website

Hi-School Pharmacy 503-873-8391

Canes, commodes, walkers, & the like.

406 McClaine St., Silverton website

Pacific Medical Supply 503-585-2027

Full service durable medical equipment

& supplies.

1090 Commercial St. NE, Salem

Providence Home Medical Equipment 503-585-4027

Provides products, services, & repairs

2508 SE Pringle Rd., Salem website Rite-Aid Pharmacy 503-873-2460

Canes, commodes, walkers & the like Free COVID-19 testing by appointment 626 McClaine St., Silverton

website

MEDICAL WASTE

*Medications

Tips: Check if your pharmacy or disposal company has a Drug Take Back program occasionally or ongoing.

Do not flush medication down the toilet.

Medical Take Back Oregon 844-482-5322

Provides drop-off locations (844-4-TAKE-BACK)

that accept medications in any dosage form

in original container or sealed bag.

Does **not accept** herbs, vitamins, supplements, personal care items, medical devices, batteries, mercury thermometers, sharps, illicit drugs, pet pesticides, animal medicines, or biologics. <u>website</u> Participating locations include:

Hi-School Pharmacy

406 McClaine St., Silverton

Rite-Aid 626 McClaine St., Silverton

Silverton Pill Box 302 N. First, Silverton

Silverton Police Department Mon.-Fri., 8 AM-5 PM 410 N. Water St., Silverton

*Syringes & Needles

Republic Services of Marion Co. 503-981-1278

Contact for red sharps container for a fee.

Call for pick-up when container is full.

2215 N. Front St., Woodburn <u>website</u>

MEDICATION SUPPLIERS (Dispensaries, Pharmacies, & Supplement Providers)

*Medical Marijuana Dispensaries

Sell to Oregonians with valid medical marijuana card issued by the

Oregon Medical Marijuana Program (OMMP) 971-673-1234

The Lucky Leaf 5503-874-4788

208 Jersey St., Silverton <u>website</u>

Silver Creek Dispensary 503-874-4630

307 E. Main St., Silverton website

*Pharmacies & Prescription Drug Information

Services & Supplies for OTC, Supplement, & Prescription Drugs, including counseling, refills, & transfers.

Tips: Check if your local pharmacy has home delivery, or your insurance includes mail order. Verify any extra charges for this service.

Verify you have the correct medication before leaving the pharmacy. Ask your pharmacist questions you have about your medications. Secure your medications away from visitors to your home.

Alliance for Safe On-line Pharmacies

Verify if on-line pharmacy is legal <u>website</u>

American Foundation for the Blind Guidelines for drug information & prescription Labels developed by AFFB & Consultant Pharmacists Foundation.

Ask your pharmacist for prescriptions labels

& drug information following their guidelines. <u>website</u>

Consumer Med Safety

Institute for Safe Medication Practices

Tips & tools to prevent med errors <u>website</u>

FDA (US Food & Drug Administration)

BeSafeRx how to buy medicine safely online website
Health Fraud Scam signs & news website

MedWatch report of adverse effects

by consumers/patients <u>website</u>

Hi-School Pharmacy 503-873-8391

immunizations, on-line refills, drive-through, & delivery in-town

Free blood pressure check

406 McClaine St., Silverton website

Legacy Woodburn Health Center

Outpatient Pharmacy 971-983-5290

Whether Legacy patient or not. 1475 Mt. Hood Ave., Woodburn

Rite-Aid Pharmacy 503-873-2460

immunizations, on-line refills, drive-through, delivery.

Higi kiosk, near pharmacy, measures & tracks blood pressure, pulse, weight, body composition & body mass index. Information includes corona virus & diabetes.

Familiarize yourself with Higi privacy policy May share information with 3rd parties.

Bilingual (EN/SP), wheelchair accessible website (Higi) 626 McClaine St., Silverton website (Rite-Aid)

503-873-6321 Silverton Pillbox Pharmacy

immunizations, drive-through, delivery

302 N. First St., Silverton website

*Assistance To Pay For Medications &/or Co-pays

Tips: Evaluate discounts and coupons.

Some require a fee or membership, others are free

Some are not accredited by the Better Business Bureau

Compare to insurance price and to cash price, which vary widely

Compare to price of generic, if available

Compare to pharmacy in-house discount program, if any

Some pharmaceutical manufacturers offer assistance.

The entity may collect information about you from name to IP address

to location, &/or send you advertisements

Array Discount Card 800-913-4146

Formerly Oregon Prescription Drug Program website **Consumer Reports**

"A drugstore tool we're not crazy about. Why discount cards from AARP, AAA, &

others aren't always great deals"

website

FamilyWize prescription savings card/app

844-234-3057

<u>website</u>

Needy Meds Program

website

PhRMA Medicine Assistance Tool Search engine links to other savings

& assistance programs.

website

Providence Charitable Pharmacy Accepts & distributes prescription drugs for the needy. Donations must be in original, sealed, tamper-proof packaging with lot # & expiration date. Wilsonville

*Supplements

Natural Health Center Herbs, supplements, vitamins, nutrition Classes, counseling, Chi energizer, Far Infrared sauna, massage 309 S. Water St., Silverton 503-873-6051

NOTARY Public

Tip: Check if your attorney, bank, credit union, or tax preparer has notary.

Notary to Go

Jenny Ohren 503-244-8011

Mobile Notary in greater Salem area

365 Monitor Rd., Silverton Facebook

Postal Connections 503-873-7678

345 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Recycling (see Donations)

SELF-DEFENSE (See also Guns)

Tip: Consider locks, security system, dog, or handgun.

SOCIAL LIFE (see also Churches, Transportation, Travel, & Volunteers)

Tip: Holistic health includes social contact & mental stimulation.

Silverton 50+ Center (Silverton Area Seniors Inc.--SASI) (See also Donations, Medical Supplies)

The mission of the Silverton Senior Center is a place residents of Silverton & surrounding communities, age 50+ come for social, educational, & recreational opportunities in a safe & inclusive environment.

503-873-3093

website

Activities for SASI may be listed separately, as exercise, food, foot care, & massage. For other SASI Activities check website calendar for appropriate month.

Activities now at the Senior Center include:

Bridge, 2-5 PM, Mon.

Pinochle Noon-4 PM Fri.
Poker 10 AM-1:30 PM, Mon. & Fri.
Knit Witz, 10 AM-noon, Wed., main hall
Open Studio Painters, 1 PM-4 PM, Wed.
in meeting room #2.
Ukelele Song Circle,

play & sing practice, 1-2:30 PM Fri.

SASI Board Meeting, 1 PM, 2nd Tues.

Silverton Senior Center 115 Westfield St., Silverton

<u>website</u>

SOCIAL SECURITY

866-593-1559

Information & guidance on Social Security, SSI, Medicare & Medicaid 1750 McGilchrist St. SE, Ste, 110, Salem

website

SUICIDE (See Emergency/Crisis, Support groups)

SUPPORT in GROUPS or INDIVIDUALLY (See also Caregiving, Grief Counseling)

Support Groups will be offered again at the Silverton Senior Center. Watch website.

503-873-3093 website

800-621-1646

Verify whether the support group of interest meets face-to-face &/or virtually.

Addiction, General, & Dual Diagnosis

Seasons 503-873-3941

Offers drug treatment, outpatient, DUI. 209 C. St., Silverton

Alcohol problems

Al-Anon, Oregon, District 4 888-4AL-ANON

Tues. 5:30 PM, Evening Paths to Recovery

Al-Anon Electronic Meetings <u>website</u>

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) <u>website</u>
Willamette Valley Intergroup
Noon, Recovery at Noon

302 N. Water, Silverton

Alzheimer's Support Group

Held at Silverton Coffee Club.

Oregon Council on Alcoholism

Alzheimer's Association of OR & SW WA 800-272-3900 (24/7 all year)

For caregivers, families, & public via phone
Contact for times

website

Caregivers
Alzheimer's Association of Oregon & SW

Alzheimer's Association of Oregon & SW 800-272-3900 Washington

Northwest Senior & Disability Services (NWSDS)

1) Family Caregiver Support Program

Caregiver Connection

For unpaid family caregivers caring for age 18+

Provides social support for caregivers.

3rd Tues. monthly, 1-2:30 PM 3410 Cherry Ave NE, Salem, or

1st Wed. monthly, 1-2 PM via Zoom 503-304-3432 (Julie Mendez)

website

2) Dementia Care Conversations

503-304-3432 (Julie Mendez)

For unpaid family caregivers
First Tues. monthly, 1-2:30 PM
3410 Cherry Ave. NE, Salem
Or 3rd Wed. 1-2 PM, monthly via Zoom

Oregon Care Partners

Free caregiver education for those caring for

older adults & those with Alzheimer's. website

Diabetes

Oregon Wellness Network 833-673-9355

Diabetes Prevention Program

1 year program for those at risk of diabetes.

Covered by Medicare & Oregon Health plan website

Disaster

National Disaster Distress 800-958-5990 Crisis counseling after natural or human-caused disaster.

Gambling Hotline 877-MYLIMIT

Grandparents Raising Children

Aging & Disability Resource Connection Caregiving Guides

"A Passaurce Guide for Grandparents & c

"A Resource Guide for Grandparents & other

Relatives Raising Children in Oregon" <u>website</u>

Northwest Senior & Disability Services 503-304-3429 (Suzy Deeds)

(NWSDS)

Parenting a Second Time Around, Relatives as Parents Program for age 55 + parenting age 18 or younger.

3rd Wed., 11 AM-12:30 PM

3410 Cherry Ave NE, Salem website

Living Well with Chronic Conditions

Resources on living with chronic conditions

Willamette Valley Providers Health Authority 503-587-5133

Salud Medical Center 503-982-2000 ext. 6424

Oregon Health Authority coordinates <u>website</u>

Loneliness (see also visiting under caregiving)

Senior Loneliness Line 503-200-1633

website

Oregon Health Authority 1-800-923-HELP (4357)

Partners with Safe + Strong for those needing to stay safe &/or to talk

Peer to Peer

Northwest Senior & Disabled Services (NWSD)

HOPE Senior Peer Mentor Program 503-304-3420

Free in Marion Co. for age 50+

Coping skills for mild-moderate depression

& anxiety.

Oregon Senior Peer Outreach 833-736-4676

Community Counseling Solutions

Trained peers call weekly to Oregonians age 55+ dealing with depression, grief,

isolation, &/or loneliness. website

Project ABLE 503-363-3260

Peer-to-peer support promotes recovery from mental health issues. Free. 9 AM-5 PM.

1599 State St., Salem <u>website</u>

Relationship Rebuilding

Center for Hope & Safety 503-378-1572

Offers refuge & support for victims of sexual 503-399-7722 (hotline)

Assault, stalking, & human trafficking.

605 Center St., Salem website

Safe + Strong Helpline 800-923-4357 (Help)

Emotional & mental health free counseling 24/7 Free

Program of Oregon Health Authority

Tobacco cessation

Native Quit Line

800-QUIT-NOW + 7

Free 24/7 service for Alaska Natives & American Indians emphasizing indigenous Values.

Oregon Health Authority, Smoke free Oregon

Tobacco Quit Line English 800-QUIT-NOW

(800-784-8669)

Text READY 34191

<u>website</u>

Tobacco Quit Line Spanish 877-2NO-FUME

(877-266-3863)

<u>website</u>

Oregon Health Plan

Tobacco cessation counseling 800-273-0557

Weight

Overeaters Anonymous Oregon Intergroup

Most virtual via Zoom. Tue., 7:30 PM website

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS)

Many meetings held virtually.

Face-to-face meetings include

TOPS

Thurs. 6 PM

Silverton United Methodist Church

203 W. Main, upstairs, Silverton website

TAX ASSISTANCE (see Finances)

TRANSLATION SERVICES (See also communication)

Tips: Inquire if your health provider provides translation services.

Verify translator is familiar with legal &/or medical terms.

Pharmacists in Oregon must label directions for taking prescription drugs in patient's preferred language out of 14 different languages for

those with limited English proficiency.

Oregon Health Authority

Health Care Interpreter (HCI) Registry website

Oregon Health Care Interpreters Association website

TRANSPORTATION

*Road Conditions

Oregon Department of Transportation 511
TripCheck road conditions & traffic alerts website

*Driving Yourself

Drivers age 65 and over comprise nearly 25% of drivers. Older drivers are more apt to use seat belts, limit driving at night & during bad weather, & less likely to drive under the influence (Centers for Disease Control & the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration).

Drivers age 75-79 have 2.5 times risk of fatal crash, age 80 and above have 5 times the risk. Risk rises with medication use, impaired vision, cognition, and grip strength, and slower reaction time. Dementia, stroke, Parkinson and other conditions may impair driving. Errors occur more during merging, changing lanes, turning left, & at intersections. Reduce distractions (turn off cell phone & radio, eating or drinking while driving) to reduce your risk. New technology may lower the risk of crashes.

Tips: Safe driving by older drivers include:

Plan your drive.

Avoid distractions, as phones, eating & drinking.

Open window slightly to better hear traffic.

GPS may be safer than map unless second person is navigator.

Allow adequate space between vehicles.

Be vigilant of pedestrians & cyclists in dark clothing.

If you wear glasses, consider anti-reflective coating; but

Do not wear so-called "night driving glasses" (amber/yellow) that may reduce visibility.

Consider mobility accessible vehicles or conversions if appropriate.

*Retain, Extend, & Improve Driving Skills

AARP, District 6 888-687-2277

Offers Smart Driver on-line & in person website

Periodically offers classes at the

Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton

American Automobile Association (AAA) Offers Senior Driving tips & classes, such as Roadwise Driver, I Drive Safely.

website

Carfit

Offers education, including online videos, about fitting vehicle to prevent injuries due to fragility of older drivers.

website

Car Insurance firms

Oregon law requires insurers provide a discount (unspecified) to people completing a state-approved Mature Drive Improvement Program (every 3 years until age 70, every 2 years after age 70). Your car insurer may offer programs for older drivers.

National Institute on Aging Older Drivers

website

Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT)
Road Conditions & TripCheck 511

website

Oregon Department of Transportation & DMV

Ways to Improve Driving website

*Mobility Services driving equipment for disabilities

Auto & van dealers may provide this service.

R & J Mobility Service 503-838-5520 200 Hawthorne Ave. SE, Suite F-650, Salem website

*Parking

Tips: Parking designated for persons with disabilities are only for them.

Some handicap parking is for wheelchair users only.

Space designated for senior citizens at some establishments & parks.

Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV)
Parking Permits for Disabled &
for Wheelchair users
website

*When You Drive

Tips: Drugs (medications, supplements, herbs, or recreational) may impair your alertness, reaction time, judgment, cognition, due to causing confusion, dizziness, drowsiness, or vision changes. Find out if your drugs may do this. These span alcohol, allergy pills, pain medication, motion sickness, & overactive bladder medication.

Oregon Department of Transportation &
Oregon Health Authority
Oregon law ORS 813.010 specifies 0.08%
or more blood alcohol, or intoxicating liquor,
inhalant, or controlled substance constitutes
driving under the influence. Increases risk
of crash four-fold. Below still increases risk. website

*Signs To Stop Driving

Tips: People living in rural areas need to consider distances driven and availability of alternative transportation when considering stopping driving.

AARP Driver Safety "Conversations with someone having driving problems"

<u>website</u>

Healthwise 800-706-9646

Driving Decision Aid Increases knowledge & certainty, decreases conflict in older drivers about whether & when to stop driving.

2601 N. Bogus Basin Rd., Boise ID website

National Institute on Aging (NIA) Signs to stop driving

- Get lost on roads that know
- Other drivers honking at you
- Involvement in "fender benders"
- Vehicles & pedestrians appear out of nowhere
- Distracted while driving
- Others concerned about your driving.

Driving Safety and Alzheimer's Disease website

Vehicle Donation (see Donations, Recycling)

*Private Transportation

Tips: Verify in advance whether any charges are involved.

503-873-1784

CareVan appointments

Complimentary rides to Legacy Silverton

Medical Center & affiliated clinics.

Tues. through Fri., approximately 9 AM-4 PM

Donations accepted.

342 Fairview St., Silverton

Cascadia Care Providers 503-580-3310

Serge Trotter principal owner

Transport to & from medical appointments, church, cultural events, shopping, & the like.

Woodburn linked-in

Golden Hand Home Care 971-600-5949

Caregivers help transportation needs, as Medical appointments, stores, & visits

858 Lancaster Dr. SE, Salem website

TKG Transport 503-343-9799

Non-emergency transport for medical, social, concerts & the like in Portland metro area. Facilitates transport to OHSU & Veterans Hospital in Portland.

Accommodates varying mobility needs. Schedule at least 2 days in advance.

Beaverton website

UpHail

Uber, Lyft, Taxi in Silverton OR website

Yellow Cab Medical Transport 503-902-1290

Non-emergency medical transport. Book 24 In advance.

Taxi private pay, in cab, minivan, wheelchair

van, or stretcher vehicle.

Drivers assist getting on & off vehicles Available 24 hours/7 days per week

Serves Salem & some surrounding areas.

2425 Fisher Rd. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

*Public Transportation

Tips: Masks now optional

Wear flat shoes with tread.

Slow down.

Look for priority seating.

Grasp handrails.

Avoid carrying large packages or bags that obstruct your view.

Ask for help when needed.

Cherriots Regional

503-588-BUSS (2877)

Bus 20X serves Silverton/Mt. Angel/Woodburn to Salem Mon.-Sat. **Silverton stops**: Silverton

Hospital (Center & Fairview), Downtown (1st & Lewis), & Roth's (2nd & Bowtie).

Connections to Canyon, West Salem, Keizer, Polk Co., Canby, South Metro Area Regional Transit in Wilsonville & Tri-met in Portland Most buses operate Mon.-Sat.

Trip planning on website.

Cherriots Triplink for Oregon Health Plan 503-315-5544

patients. Non-emergency medical transportation for covered services

Schedule Cherriots Lift for eligible people

555 Court St. NE, Suite 5230, Salem <u>website</u>

Gold Star Transport 503-910-2717

Non-urgent medical transport, Marion Co. <u>website</u>

National Aging & Disability Transportation Center Promotes access transportation for those who are older, have disabilities, & their caregivers website

Point Oregon Intercity Bus Service

Cascades route from Portland to Eugene, <u>website</u>

Stops in Salem

(Amtrak Station, 5003 13th St. SE)

Stops in Woodburn

(Transit Facility, 2895 Newberg Hwy.)

Tickets available from Amtrak website

Silverton Area Community Aid (SACA) 503-873-3446

May provide passes for Cherriots, vouchers for gas & propane.

Mon. & Thurs.9 AM-noon, Tues. 4-6 PM

Closed Wed. & Fri.

421 S. Water St., Silverton website

503-873-4546 Silver Trolley

Transportation for special needs populations, includes seniors in Silverton city limits & urban growth boundary.

For local non-emergency medical appointments, shopping, dining, & personal trips in Silverton.

Mon.-Fri., 9 AM-11:30 AM & 1-4:30 PM

Reserve 24 hours in advance.

Donations encouraged

306 S. Water, Silverton website

Veterans Transportation Program for

VA Portland Health Care System website

Willamette Valley Caregivers 503-874-4199

Services include transportation & errands in greater Willamette Valley

Office visits by appointment only 204 N. 1st, Suite D. Silverton

website

Willamette Valley Transport Salem Dispatch 503-569-7070

Provides service for those ambulatory, using cane, walker, wheelchair, or stretcher to medical appointments, social events, weddings, funerals, residence Discharge & relocation services from hospitals & facilities. 1440 13th St. SE, Salem

website

TRAVEL & CULTURE

Tip: Take a copy of your emergency contact & medical information when traveling.

Brush Creek Playhouse 503-508-3682

Corner of Silverton Rd. & Brush Creek Dr. website

Collette For reservations call Inform them you are with Silverton (Oregon) Senior Ctr., so center will receive money. 162 Middle St. Pawtucket RI 02860	800-581-8942
Hull Park, Gardens of Enchantment Five Senses Garden with Braille markers Open May 1-Oct. 15	503-688-6195
43233 Oral Hull Rd., Sandy	<u>Facebook</u>
Kam Wah Chung & Co. Museum Open May 1- October 31	541-575-2800
Virtual tour any time 125 NW Canton St., John Day	<u>website</u>
Mt. Angel Theater & Stu.dio Live performances, workshops, & more	323-449-1183
220 Charles St., Mt. Angel	<u>website</u>
Oregon Crafters Market Handcrafted items, performances, & more Seniors encouraged to apply as vendor For questions contact Dodie Brockamp Every weekend May through Oct, 11 AM-5 PM Sat, 11 AM-5 PM Sun., 6-9 PM on 1st Fri.	503-983-5470
215 N. Water, Silverton	website
Oregon Garden, an 80 acre botanical garder 879 W. Main, Silverton	503-874-8100 website
Oregon Historical Society (OHS) OHS Digital Collections	<u>website</u>
Oregon Symphony in Salem Offers live & video programs online, such as	800-228-7343
Mondays with Maestro, An African American Requiem, minute for music	<u>website</u>

Passport in Time Combines travel with volunteer work US Forest Service	800-281-9176 website
Portland Art Museum Artworks on view collection Virtual Walk Through Exhibit Tours	website website
Road Scholar (trips by Elder-Hostel) Trips by activity level Senior Pass (replaced Golden Age passport) Annual or lifetime pass for age 62 & over to US National Park Service,	800-454-5768 website
& Federal Recreational Lands.	<u>website</u>
Silver Falls Library For patrons of Silver Falls Library Cultural passes available to several museums, gardens, Oregon Historical Society, Willamette Heritage Center, etc.	503-873-5173
410 S. Water St., Silverton	<u>website</u>
Willamette University Theatre Theatre33.org summer festival features new Plays by Oregon & NW playwrights Free. \$15 suggested donation.	503-370-6221
900 State St., Salem	<u>website</u>
UTILITY ASSISTANCE Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency for Oregon Energy Assistance	503-585-6232
Helps with utility costs & weatherization. 2475 Center St. NE, Salem	<u>website</u>
Northwest Natural (Gas), customer service Low income assistance, credit assistance	800-422-4012 503-226-4240 website
Oregon Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) Federal financial assistance for home energy	800-453-5511 website

Oregon Public Utility Commission Oregon Lifeline Program State & Federal programs provide discounts on phone & broadband services, or free cell phone & data service, for those qualifying. Applies with providers participating in Lifeline.	800-848-4442
Applications printable from website. 201 High St. SE, Suite 100, Salem	<u>website</u>
Portland General Electric (PGE) Customer service Residential Bill-payment Assistance Peak Time Rebates less energy specified time Power outage, report & power outage map Medical Certificate Program about electricity for medical condition or equipment, as oxygen	800-544-1795 503-612-3838
Salem Alliance Church Royal Order of Red Suspenders Split, chop, stack, & deliver firewood during cold months free for those in need. 555 Gaines St. NE, Salem	503-581-2129 website
Silverton Area Community Aid (SACA) May be able to help with utility bills. 421 S. Water St., Silverton	503-873-3446 website
VETERAN SERVICES Easter Seals Oregon Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program 7300 SW Hunziker St. Suite 103, Portland	503-228-5108 website
Northwest Battle Buddies Veterans Resource Connects Veterans with service dogs Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs Includes info on transportation to VA facilities 700 Summer St. NE, Salem	<u>website</u> 503-373-2000

Oregon Veterans' Homes 600 North 5th St., Lebanon

541-497-7265

website

700 Veterans Dr., The Dalles

541-296-7190

<u>website</u>

Paralyzed Veterans of America

503-362-7998

May accept or provide medical equipment.

600 N. Water St., Silverton

Project ABLE 503-363-3260

Peer support for veterans.

1599 State St., Salem website

Traditions Health Salem 503-485-0840

In-home hospice for Marion Co.

Provides care for Veterans

2290 Commercial St. SE #108, Salem website

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Veterans Crisis Line 24 hours/7 days week 988, press 1 or text 838255

website

U.S. Veterans' Administration (VA)

Federal Benefits for Veterans, Dependents,

& Survivors. 800-827-1000 website

Guide too VA Mental Health Services for

Veterans & Families website

Salem Community Based Outpatient Clinic 971-304-2200 (main)

(CBOC) 503-273-5187 (mental health)

Salem Clinic part of VA Portland system
1750 McGilchrist St. SE, Suite 130, Salem website

VETCare Oregon 503-364-1728

Transitional program promotes self-sufficiency. Non-profit helps 30 veterans in Marion/Polk Counties. Offers bathrooms, showers, laundry, kitchen, dining room, and case management. Also, life skills training, mental health services, employment services, substance abuse

recovery, & reintegration programs. 2933 Center St. NE, Unit 2, Salem

website

Veteran Service Office in Marion Co. 780 Commercial St. SE, Suite 302, Salem Compensation & pension issues 971-707-4400

Veterans Affairs Caregiver Support Line

855-260-3274

VISION & EYE CARE (See also Animals, Service)

Tips: Improve your visibility to others on dark days & nights by wearing white, pink, light blue, green, yellow, orange & reflective wear. Carry a flashlight. Your eyes need about 45 minutes for 80% recovery from bright to dim light. Cataracts worsen glare. Smoking worsens night vision.

Consider reading aids, such as magnifying glasses & e-book readers. Ask your pharmacist for prescriptions labels & drug information that follow guidelines developed by the American Society of Consultant Pharmacists Foundation & the American Foundation for the Blind.

*Ophthalmology

Kaiser Permanente Vision Essentials	800-813-2000, option 3 eye care
0400 Languages Dr. NE. Calaire	مراجع والمراجع

2400 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem <u>we</u>	<u>bsite</u>
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Legacy Devers Eye Institute	503-413-8202
7004 N. I. O. O. H. O. A. O. T. I. I.	1 17

7021 Nyberg St., Suite 210, Tualatin <u>website</u>

Medical Eye Clinic	503-581-5287
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655 Medical Center Dr. NE, Salem <u>website</u>

*Optometry

Silver Falls Eye Care 503-873-8619

600 N. First St., Silverton website

Silverton Eye Care 503-874-2020

Member of Vision Source

114 Main St., Silverton <u>website</u>

*Service

Access Technologies Inc. 503-361-1201 iCanConnect Program—Oregon Free communications equipment & training for those with significant hearing & vision loss 2225 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem website

Guide Dogs for the Blind, Oregon Campus 503-668-2100 32901 SE Kelso Rd. Boring, OR website

Hull Park, Gardens of Enchantment 503-688-6195
Five Senses Garden with Braille markers
Open May 1-Oct. 15
43233 SE Oral Hull Rd., Sandy Facebook

Magnifying Glasses
Assist seeing small print & detail of labels
(prescription, food) & hobbies.
Features span magnification (1x-45x),
hand held, wearable (headband, glasses, freestanding lamp), shape, & weight.
Optical glass may be unbreakable, anti-scratch.
Lighted ones may require batteries. Businesses
may hang magnifying glasses about every
12 feet to aid reading labels, for example, Rite-Aid
626 McClaine St., Silverton website

Oregon Commission for the Blind 503-378-8479
Provides Older Blind Services &
Independent Living
Tips for People Living with Visual Impairments
213 Madrona Ave. SE, Salem website

Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation 503-413-7399
Those eligible for assistance may receive free eye exams, eyeglasses, cataract surgery.
Yellow collection box for eyeglasses & hearing aids at Silverton Post Office.
1010 NW 22nd Ave. #144, Portland97210 website

Silverton Lions Club
Mission to provide vision for all.
Conducts vision screening.

Raises awareness of eye diseases. website

State Library of Oregon State 503-378-4243

Talking Books & Braille Library

250 Winter St. NE, Salem website

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Meals on Wheels, program of NWSDS 503-873-6906

Operates out of Silverton Senior Center

115 Westfield, Silverton

Silverton 50+ Center 503-873-3093

Volunteers serve at Center & off-site events

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

Numerous other organizations need volunteers for a variety of activities.

WEATHER

*Air Quality

Tip: Limit exposure to smoke & drink plenty of water.

Forest fires, field burning, & smoking may aggravate asthma, breathing, heart conditions, lung problems, cause cough, headaches, irregular heartbeat, heart attacks, & irritate eyes.

During wildfire smoke the EPA advises avoiding indoor smoking, frying, broiling, burning candles or incense, or vacuuming without a HEPA filter.

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 503-229-5359

Air quality index <u>website</u>

Oregon Smoke

blog information about air quality <u>website</u>

*Cooling Centers

During very hot weather, organizations may provide cooling centers. Tips: Heat exhaustion & heart stroke may occur during high temperatures, especially for those with heart or respiratory disease, or taking certain medications. High heat & high humidity may weaken your immune system. Consider hours the center closes, & temperatures you will encounter en-route.

Check that your fan & air condition are working.

Recognize risk rises when you are older, lack air conditioning, live alone, living outside, in a car, mobile home, recreational vehicle, or multifamily units.

Heat islands form around paved parking lots, railroads, & industrial areas. Overheating remains dangerous during the night.

Older people, more prone to heat stress, should drink plenty of water.

Effects from low fluid intake and depletion of electrolytes may occur during the week after the heat wave.

If you are on the Oregon Health Plan, Medicare, or a client of Meals on Wheels inquire whether you are eligible for free air conditioners, air filters, or fans.

If you are in the sun when it is 90 F. and above, consider using a mineral sunscreen, such as zinc oxide.

Centers for Disease Control Heat and Older Adults

website

Marion Co. Emergency Management

Cooling Centers List <u>website</u> (for cooling centers)

May only be available seasonally <u>website</u>

Oregon Health Authority

Air Conditioner/Air Filter Program website

Silverton Senior Center 503-873-3093

Serves as cooling center at direction of Fire

District or City of Silverton,

115 Westfield, Silverton <u>website</u>

2-1-1 Info **211**

Call or check website for information

on weather, transportation, etc. <u>website</u>

*Warming Centers & Shelters (see also Housing, Emergency Shelters)
During very cold weather, organizations may provide warming shelters.

Tips: Consider where you can go the hours the center is not open.

National Institute on Aging Information Center 800-222-2225 Cold Weather Safety for Older Adults. <u>website</u> Sheltering Silverton 503-509-4797
Offices at 345 Westfield St. #304, Silverton
Offers resource center & warming shelter,
only for those in the Silverton area experiencing
homeless at:
832 McClaine St., Silverton website

website

211 Warming Shelters, Marion Co. **211**Seasonal website

US Department of Energy During cold weather, consider safety of space heaters: *Portable Heaters*

<u>website</u>
