

Information & Referral Assistance Program



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ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.....**1-800-660-1993**

Hours: 9:00 to 5:00, M – F

www.alz.org

Eligibility: Alzheimer's and other dementia

Fee: None

Area Served: Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Modesto, San Francisco, San Matao, Santa Clara, and Solano Counties

Application Procedure: Call for assistance

Transportation Provided: No

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: AT&T Language Service

Description: Education, referral, support groups

CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING – FRESNO.....**276-6777 or 1-800-244-2274**

3475 W. Shaw Ave., Suite 101, Fresno, CA 93711

TDD / TTY 276-6779

Hours: 8:30 to 5:00, M – F

www.cil-fresno.org

Eligibility: Fresno, Madera, Kings, Merced, or Tulare County resident, mentally or physically disabled.

Fee: None. Attendant registry is \$10.00.

Area Served: Fresno, Madera, Kings, Tulare, and Merced Counties

Application Procedure: Telephone or apply in person

Transportation Provided: None

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: Spanish

Description: Disability awareness project; community education; I & R relevant to disability, accessibility, benefits, housing, community resources, assistive devices. Attendant registry for the handicapped. Client Assistance Program (CAP) through Dept. of Rehabilitation.

CLUB 55 PLUS AT SAINT AGNES.....**449-5555**

www.samc.com

COMMUNITY RESOURCES & INFORMATION.....**488-2048**

Comprehensive I & R for the general population, 24 hour phone

DEAF & HARD OF HEARING SERVICE CENTER.....**225-3323**

5070 N. Sixth St., Suite 169, Fresno, CA 93710

Hours: 8:30 to 5:00, M - F

Eligibility: None

Fee: For special classes only

Area Served: Fresno County

Application Procedure: Call for application information

Transportation Provided: None

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: American Sign Language

Description: Community education, advocacy and I & R.

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EASTER SEALS SOCIETY OF CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.....264-7113
1685 E Street, Suite 101, Fresno, CA 93706 www.easter-seals.org

Hours: 8:30 to 4:30, M - F

Eligibility: Must have a disability and reside in Central California

Fee: None

Area Served: Central California

Application Procedure: Call for details

Transportation Provided: Reimbursement provided for program participants who qualify

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: None

Description: I & R, follow up for information on handicapped services, provides speakers for community groups or school classes on issues relating to rights of persons with disabilities and community interaction. Reimbursement for transportation at \$.30 per mile for out of town medical appointments if income eligible.

ELDER CARE LOCATOR.....1-800-677-1116
For information and referral in the greater California area and United States. www.aoa.dhhs.gov

FRESNO COUNTY I & R NETWORK.....488-3857
Comprehensive I & R for every person and every need. www.fresnolibrary.com

FRESNO-MADERA AREA AGENCY ON AGING
4974 E. Clinton Way, Suite A-103, Fresno, CA 93727.....1-800-510-2020 or 251-0115
Fresno-Madera Area Agency on Aging I & A program for seniors, www.fmaaa.org
Spanish speaking staff available.

MADERA COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY.....673-9173
1200 W. Maple St., Madera, CA 93637

Hours: 8:00 to 5:00, M - F

Eligibility: Must demonstrate need and meet income guidelines

Fee: None

Area Served: Madera County

Application Procedure: Telephone or apply in person

Transportation Provided: No

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: Spanish

Description: Assistance and referral for child care for families. Housing, PG&E forms assistance, food, and other emergency services such as: emergency lodging.

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VALLEY CAREGIVER RESOURCE CENTER.....447-2140 or 1-800-541-8614
5424 N. Palm Ave., Suite 108, Fresno CA 93704 www.valleycrc.org

Hours: 8:00 to 5:00, M – F / Wed. 8 am to 8 pm

Eligibility: Families and caregivers of brain impaired adults including Alzheimer’s/ Dementia and Parkinson’s (impairment occurring after age 18).

Fee: Sliding scale for respite and counseling, all other services free of charge

Area Served: Fresno, Kern, Madera, Kings, Mariposa, Merced, Stanislaus, Tulare, Tuolumne Counties

Application Procedure: Telephone contact

Transportation Provided: None

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: Spanish, Hmong

Description: Information and assistance in exploring immediate and long term care options and provide support and guidance in decision making. Support groups, long term care and financial planning, family counseling and respite for caregivers.

CHOWCHILLA SENIOR CENTER.....665-4781

FRANK A. BERGON SENIOR CENTER / MADERA.....673-4293

MADERA COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER.....645-6026
37221 Avenue 12, Suite 1-D, Madera, CA 93638 (Madera Ranchos)

MADERA COUNTY WELFARE DEPARTMENT.....675-7670
720 W. Yosemite Ave., Madera, CA 93638

Hours: 8:00 to 5:00, M - F

Eligibility: Must demonstrate need

Fee: None

Area Served: Madera County

Application Procedure: Apply in person

Transportation Provided: No

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: Spanish

Description: Information and assistance, financial assistance to eligible persons.

PAN AMERICAN SENIOR CENTER / MADERA.....675-2095

SIERRA SENIOR CENTER / OAKHURST.....683-3811

SENIOR CITIZENS SERVICES / MADERA.....661-5495
1030 S. Gateway Dr., Madera, CA 93637

Hours: 8:00 to 5:00, M - F

Eligibility: 60 years and older

Fee: None

Area Served: Madera County

Application Procedure: Telephone or in person at any senior center or senior services office

Transportation Provided: No

Wheelchair Accessibility: Yes

Other Languages: Spanish

Description: Information and referral