



O4AD advocates for the independence, dignity, choice and safety of Oregon's older adults and people with disabilities.

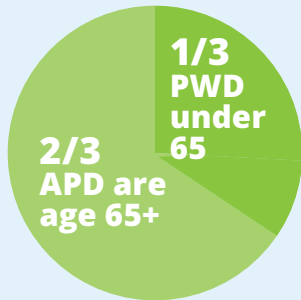
Oregon Association of Area Agencies on Aging & Disabilities

Area agencies on Aging & Disabilities

CLIENTS SERVED

- 40,000 in licensed LTC facilities
- 45,000 with SSI disability determination

Those served



THE FUTURE

- By 2030, percent will be 21%
- 25.6 of state is living with disability in 2020

AAA set forth in federal law –

Who we are:

The Older Americans Act intends that the area agency on aging shall be the leader relative to all aging issues on behalf of all older persons in the planning and service area.

What we do:

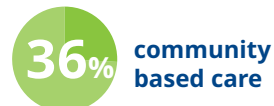
We carry out, under the leadership and direction of the State agency, a wide range of functions related to advocacy, planning, coordination, inter-agency linkages, information sharing, brokering, monitoring and evaluation, designed to lead to the development or enhancement of comprehensive and coordinated community based systems in, or serving, each community in the planning and service area.

Why we function:

To assist older persons in leading independent, meaningful and dignified lives in their own homes and communities as long as possible.

SERVICES PROVIDED

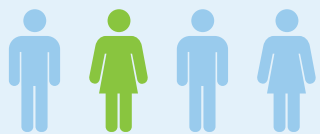
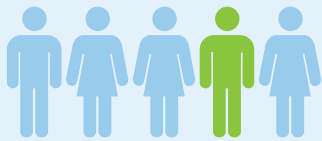
- 1,850 in Oregon Project Independence
Oregon currently has a demonstration waiver in review by CMS to allow Federal match for this program which will allow greater numbers to be served at a lower cost to the state. OPI services cost an average of \$600 per month. A dramatic savings compared to Medicaid services.
- 85,222 via Older Americans Act programs
- 13,554 protected from abuse via Adult Protective Services
- 180,000 accessing Medicaid, Medicare premium assistance, General Assistance and SNAP benefits
- 56,268 served through Medicaid long term services and supports
- 89,500 served via the Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC) – information and referral, referrals to community services and supports, person centered options counseling



Plan



60% OF THE STATE LTSS CASELOAD IS SERVED WITHIN A MEDICAID AREA AGENCY



30%

OF INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE/ REFERRAL CONSUMERS WERE IN RURAL/ FRONTIER COMMUNITIES

MEDICAID AREA AGENCIES PROVIDE:

- Adult protective services
- Disability determination
- Financial eligibility
 - Medicare premium assistance
 - GA
 - SNAP
- Medicaid LTSS – 60% of the state LTSS caseload is served within a Medicaid Area Agency
- Oregon Health Plan enrollment
 - Adult protective services – in 2021, adult protective services assisted 13,554 victims of abuse in the community

ALL AREA AGENCIES PROVIDE:

- Older Americans Act – meals, job support, case mgmt., transportation
- Oregon Project Independence
- Aging and Disability Resource Connection

OREGON PROJECT INDEPENDENCE

Older adults and people with disabilities are able to remain in their own home at a lower cost to the State than Medicaid services.

- OPI is an Oregon innovation that allows at-risk older adults stay in their own homes and avoid unnecessary or premature reliance on more costly Medicaid services. Most OPI consumers would qualify for Medicaid services but by choosing OPI, they save the state in cost of care and stay in their home.

COST OF CARE FOR MEDICAID SERVICES

- Nursing facility - \$13,280
- Program for All Inclusive Care/PACE - \$5,578
- Assisted Living - \$3,020
- In Home care - \$2,332
- Adult foster home - \$2,205

Oregon prioritizes helping an individual remain in their own home and community when possible. Effective and well supported case management allows an older adult or person with disability to find the right care that protects their independence, dignity choice and safety.

“Plan for thoughtful and effective program, services, and investments to meet the growing needs of our vulnerable neighbors, family and friends.”



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