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SAVE-THE-DATES

Active Aging Centers' Outdoor Events

Bike	<p>WEDNESDAYS</p> <p>May 14th Pymatuning Spillway Trail, Linesville 10am June 11th Oil Creek State Park, Petroleum Ctr. 9:30am July 16th Allegheny River Trail, Oil City 9:30am August 13th East Branch Trail, Spartansburg 9:30am August 19th Maurice Goddard State Park 9:30am</p>	
	<p style="text-align: center;">TUESDAYS AT 10AM</p> <p>May 20th Tsuga Trail, Guys Mills June 17th Presque Isle, Beach 1 July 15th Ackerman Trail, Jamestown August 19th Maurice Goddard State Park September 16th Peninsula Park, Edinboro</p>	Hike
Kayak	<p>WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS</p> <p>May 28th Presque Isle Lagoons, 1:30pm June 18th Lake Wilhelm, 1:30pm August 22nd Canadohta Lake, 9am</p>	
	<p style="text-align: center;">EACH ONE WILL BE UNIQUE!</p> <p>July 9th Saegertown July 25th Canadohta Lake - Kayaking August 27th Linesville Beach - Archery September Roche Park - Pickleball</p>	Picnics
CONTACT:	<p>For more information & to RSVP for each event contact your local Center</p> <p>Bair Family Center - 814-683-4959 Cambridge Center - 814-398-8616 Canadohta / Meadville Center - 814-336-1792 ext. 106</p>	

Sometimes nature is all you need

ANNUAL BAIR'S CORVETTES CRUISE-IN BENEFIT PASTA DINNER AND CRAFT FAIR

The Active Aging Bair Family Center
237 South Pymatuning St., Linesville, PA 16424
814-683-4959



Saturday, May 17, 2025

Craft Fair open from 10a-2p Multiple Vendors
Pasta Dinner open from 11a-2p (or until sold out!)
Eat In or Take Out

Dinner includes Spaghetti with Delicious Homemade Sauce, Homemade Meatballs, Tossed Salad, Homemade Italian Bread

\$10.00 Adults.....\$5.00 Children under 12

Soft Drinks, Water, Coffee available for \$1.00 extra
Top it all off by purchasing a sweet treat from our Bake Sale

Crawford County's Designated Area Agency on Aging PURPOSE



ACTIVE AGING
1034 Park Avenue, Meadville, Pennsylvania 16335
(814) 336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705
Fax (814) 336-1705

The purpose of Active Aging Inc. is to develop, implement and maintain a comprehensive, coordinated, and supportive human services system for older persons aged 60 years and older in Crawford County. Please call 814-336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705 or email aainc@activeaging.org for more information.



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NOAH A. ERDE



KIMBERLY S. FOULK

From the Director's Desk, May 2025

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers out there! I'm writing this at the beginning of April, and we are already getting plenty of the April showers needed to ensure all the mothers get their Mother's Day flowers. Many of my trees already have buds on them, and the daffodils are blooming. At the same time, my weather app is telling me to expect snow next week. If you don't like the weather, just wait a minute, it is bound to change.

I hope you haven't gotten tired of me writing about scams because I'm going to do it again. Last week, I was sitting at home one evening when I received a Facebook messenger message from my sister that simply said, "Send me your number." I replied, "Phone number?" I got a response saying she was trying to sign into Facebook on her new phone, and it didn't work, so Facebook told her two friends could receive a help friend login code to help her get back into her account. I asked how I could know if this was her, and she hadn't been hacked. The reply was, "I'm not hacked." To which I responded, "That's what a hacker would say, if you aren't a hacker, what was Grandma Crawford's first name?" I got no response. I then decided to call my sister on her phone. It was not her sending me those messages. There was no other indication that this was a scam. The language was fine; the request was simple and didn't mention money in any way, but my natural skepticism saved me from someone who was obviously up to no good. I'm sure with a little time and effort, an online search could have yielded the answer to my question, but it just goes to show that these hackers/scammers don't want to work for it, they will just find someone who won't question them. Be suspicious, trust but verify, and don't give those dirty scammers an inch!!

Krista Geer

Services and Programs we offer are:

Senior Center Services

- Nutritious Noon-Time Meals
- Educational Programs
- Socialization & Recreation
- PrimeTime Health/ Wellness
- Activities
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Life-Long Learning
- Outreach/Information Lunches
- Transportation
- County-wide Picnics, Dances, and Parties
- Large-Print Library
- Travel Opportunities

In-Home Services

- Care Management / Assessments
 - Family Caregiver Support Program
 - Home Delivered Meals
 - In-Home Care
 - Nursing Home Pre-Admission Assessments
 - Personal Assistance
 - Personal Care / Home Support
- *These are examples of services available, and is not an all inclusive listing. Contact us for more information.

Special Services

- "Echo" Newsletter
- Information & Referral
 - PA MEDI Insurance Counseling
 - PACE (Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly)
 - Pennsylvania Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program
- Older Adult Protective Services
- Ombudsman
- Voter Registration
- SHARE Housing

The Community Center of Crawford County



The Lew Davies Community Bldg.
1034 Park Ave. Meadville, PA
www.activeaging.org

- Basic hall rental to complete rental packages including customized catering services available
- Convenient location
- Plenty of FREE parking
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- Air Conditioned



For more information or to reserve your date call us at

Active Aging Foundation 814-336-1792



ACTIVE AGING, INC. CENTERS

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16335
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Meadville Center

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Bair Family Center

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16424
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Cambridge Springs Center

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PA 16403
(814) 398-8616
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Canadohta Center

Bloomfield Twp Building Lincolnville
(Fridays only)
22978 Shreve Ridge Road- Union City,
PA 16438
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Patty Flaherty

Titusville Senior Center

714 East Main Street-Titusville, PA 16354
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Spend Winter at Wesbury

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A PA MEDI COUNSELOR CAN HELP YOU TO:

- Understand Medicare eligibility & enrollment
- Understand what services are covered under Medicare Parts A and B and your Medicare Summary Notice
- Understand your Medicare Prescription Drug (Part D) benefit
- Make informed choices about Medicare coverage options, Medigap policies and Medicare Advantage Plans *and more!*



Are You Up-To-Date on Your Preventive Services?

Medicare covers a full range of preventive services to help keep you healthy and help find problems early, when treatment is most effective. Ask your doctor which of these services is right for you.



✓	Preventive service	Date	Notes
	One time "Welcome to Medicare" Preventive Visit—within the first 12 months you have Medicare Part B (Medical Insurance)		
	Yearly "Wellness" Visit—get this visit 12 months after your "Welcome to Medicare" preventive visit or 12 months after your Part B effective date		
	Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening		
	Alcohol Misuse Screening and Counseling		
	Bone Mass Measurement (Bone Density Test)		
	Cardiovascular Disease (Behavioral Therapy)		
	Cardiovascular Screenings (cholesterol, lipids, triglycerides)		
	Colorectal Cancer Screenings		
	Depression Screening		
	Diabetes Screening		

FALL 2025 CASINO BUS TRIPS

Thursday, September 18, 2025
Seneca Allegany Resort & Casino in Salamanca, NY
At Seneca Allegany from 11:00AM to 5:00PM
Depart from Meadville at 9:00AM & Return to Meadville at 6:45PM
\$25 Back in Free Slot Play & \$5 Food Voucher!

Tuesday, October 7, 2025
Seneca Buffalo Creek Casino in Buffalo, NY
At Seneca Buffalo Creek from 11:00AM to 5:00PM
Depart from Meadville at 8:30AM & Return to Meadville at 7:30PM
\$25 Back in Free Slot Play & \$5 Food Voucher!

Sunday, November 2, 2025
Seneca Niagara Resort & Casino in Niagara Falls, NY
At Seneca Niagara from 11:00AM to 5:00PM
Depart from Meadville at 8:30 AM & Return to Meadville at 7:30PM
\$25 Back in Free Slot Play & \$5 Food Voucher!

Full Payment due at the time of Reservation

\$50 per Person per Trip
or **SAVE \$15 By Booking All 3 Fall Casino Bus Trips for \$135* Per Person**

**Must reserve seats & pay for all 3 fall trips at the same time for the same individual. (\$15 Savings ONLY available while seats are available on all 3 fall trips.)*

Trips Include Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation & Trip Escort on Motorcoach



For more information and reservations:

Active Aging Foundation
Monday through Friday 9:00AM - 4:00PM
Lew Davies Community Building
1034 Park Avenue, Meadville, PA (814) 336-1792



*Casino Bonuses Subject to Change by Casino Without Prior Notice.
*Must carry a Government issued Photo ID
*Must be 21 or older on All Casino Trips.



Be sure to like all the Active Aging pages to find out about the latest events & information!

Active Aging, Inc.

The Active Aging Center of Cambridge Springs

The Active Aging Bair Family Center (Linesville)

The Active Aging Center of Meadville

The Active Aging Foundation

ACTIVE AGING

CLOSED
Monday, May 26, 2025
For Memorial Day

MEADVILLE CENTER ACTIVE AGING, INC.

(814)336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705 - Fax (814)336-1705

The Lew Davies Community Building 1034 Park Ave., Meadville •
Center Manager: Patty Flaherty and Ashley McLallen**Follow us on Facebook at The Active Aging Center of Meadville
May**

- 5/1 **Basket Raffle!** All donations of baskets, gifts, or gift certificates to be received by 11AM on Wednesday, 4/30. Tickets are \$5 for 25 tickets. Drawing occurs Thursday, 5/8 afternoon. Do not need to be present to win. Pick up your winnings either before 3p on day of drawing or on Monday, 5/12 or Tuesday, 5/13 between 8AM-11AM or 1PM-2:30PM. All proceeds benefit the Meadville Center. Volunteers to man the basket raffle table are needed.
- 5/8 **Mother's Day Celebration!** Meal order and \$10 per meal, due by 10AM on Monday, 4/28.
Basket Raffle Drawing. See 5/1 for details.
- 5/9 **Meadville Center Closes at 2:30PM**
- 5/12 **11:30AM Karrie Mazza with The VA** speaks on Medical Foster Home Program
- 5/13 **12:15PM Mikel Prester, accomplished musician,** will discuss drum lessons
- 5/14 **11AM Rex Sherry presentation** on A Navajo Reservation
- 5/15 **Paula Brown with Crawford County Historical Society** speaks on the Oral History Program
- 5/20 **10AM Hiking at Guys Mills Tsuga Trail with Ashley.** RSVP's required.
12PM Kelly Bianco with Life Program will present on Alzheimer's and make Smoothies
- 5/26 **Center Closed – Happy Memorial Day!**
- 5/28 **1:30PM Kayaking at Presque Isle Lagoons with Ashley.** RSVP's required by 5/19

JUNE SAVE THE DATE(S):**6/4-13 Our own watercolor painting class displays their artwork**

The Meadville Center is open weekdays from 8AM until 3PM. – unless otherwise indicated. All monies shown are a suggested donation. Call to schedule your card groups/table games; \$1/person. Call Patty/Ashley with any questions at 814-336-1792 ext. 106.

EVERY DAY: Library; Exercise Machines (treadmills, recumbent bike, stationary bikes, elliptical, weight-machine); \$1; No machine use during Yoga. Pool Table/Ping-Pong Table; no fee (call to reserve),

MONDAY Center Closed 5/26

- 9:00AM **Healthy Steps in Motion;** \$1
- 10:00AM **Bingo;** .50/card for 10 games & .25/card for coverall
- 10:00AM **Yoga;** \$3
- 10:00AM **Walking Group:** Meet at Meadville Mall; no fee
- 11:00AM **Tai Chi;** \$1
- 1:00PM **Veteran's Committee Meeting:** (1st Monday of March-November)

TUESDAY

- 9:00AM **Healthy Steps in Motion;** \$1
- 10:00AM **Watercolor Painting Class;** \$1
- 10:00AM **S.A.I.L. Exercise Program;** \$1
- 11:00AM **Yoga;** \$3
- 1:00PM **Technology Help;** Call to sign up for a 1:1, 30-minute appointment.
- 1:30PM **Chi Kung;** \$1
- 2:00PM **Diabetes Support Group - 2nd Tuesday** each month; no fee
- 5:00PM **Classic Cardio;** \$3

WEDNESDAY

- 9:00AM **Pickle Ball Court;** \$1 Weather Permitting. Court available until 2p
- 9:00AM **Healthy Steps in Motion;** \$1
- 10:00AM **Yoga;** \$3
- 11:00AM **Tai Chi;** \$1
- 1:00PM **Quilting Group;** no fee
- 4:00PM **Yoga;** \$3

THURSDAY Center Closed 5/22

- 9:00AM **Healthy Steps in Motion;** \$1
- 10:00AM **Line Dancing;** \$1
- 10:00AM **S.A.I.L. Exercise Program;** \$1
- 11:00AM **Chair Fitness;** \$1
- 1:00PM **Knitting Group;** no fee
- 5:00PM **Classic Cardio;** \$3

FRIDAY

- 9:00AM **Healthy Steps in Motion;** \$1
- 10:00AM **Bingo;** .50/card for 10 games & .25/card for coverall
- 10:30AM **Yoga;** \$3

*Please call to verify date change; if activity falls on 'Center Closed' date. Tune in to COOL 101.7 to hear the Centers' updates from Center Director, Tami Boylan. Check out our Facebook page, Active Aging Center Meadville (Canadohta included with Meadville).

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS CENTER156 Venango Ave., Cambridge Springs
Center Manager: Tami Boylan 398-8616**Follow us on Facebook at The Active Aging Center of Cambridge Springs
May**

- 6 **10:30AM BINGO w/ Michael**
- 8 **11:45AM Mother's Day Lunch. Reservations Required.**
- 13 **10:10AM CS 1st grade class** comes to meet with their pen pals
- 14 **10:00AM Biking w/ Tami in Linesville** at Pymatuning State Park
- 15 **10:30AM-1:30PM Card & Game Day Party.** Please RSVP.
- 22 **Center is Closed for Volunteer Recognition Dinner**
- 27 **10:30AM Emerging Drug Trends w/ Alan**
- 29 **10:30AM EyeSmart Glasses Program**
- Tuesday:** 9:00AM **HSIM Exercise Class**
10:00AM **Chair Yoga**
10:00AM **Games/ Dominos**
- Wednesday:** 9:30AM **Euchre Cards - reservations needed**
- Thursday:** 9:00AM **HSIM Exercise Class**
10:00AM **Games/ Dominos**
10:00AM-3PM **Woodcarving**
- Friday:** 9:30AM **Euchre Cards- reservations needed**
1:30PM **Gentle Yoga**

Exercise Equipment/ Gym Available Monday – Friday 8:00AM-3:00PM

Ukuleles Available to play daily 8:00AM- 3:00PM

Meal Reservations needed two days in advance 814-398-8616

Lunch served at 11:45 daily

CANADOHTA CENTER

Center Manager: Patty Flaherty 814-336-1792

**Follow us on Facebook at The Active Aging Center of Meadville
May**

- 5/2 **10AM Tina with Help at Home** discusses Fall Prevention
- 5/9 **Internal Auction;** donations of new or slightly used items (knick-knacks, food, clothing, books, puzzles etc.) All proceeds benefit the Canadohta Center.
Italian Sub orders and money due, \$5 per sub. Subs include, Ham, salami, pepperoni, provolone cheese and wrapped separately, lettuce, tomato and onion. Pick up on 5/23.
- 5/16 **Gina Trace with Interim Healthcare** leads a dried flower collage project
- 5/23 **11:30AM-1PM Pre-order sub pick.** See 5/9 for sub details.
- 5/30 **8AM-1:30PM Tami leads Healthy Steps for Older Adults (HSOA)**
Please Contact Patty Flaherty, Manager, Canadohta Center @ 814-336-1792x106 to pre-register for lunch on the Tuesday before. (includes' curbside pickup)

THE BAIR FAMILY CENTER

237 South Pymatuning Street, Linesville 683-4959

Center Manager: Janet Wasserman

May HAPPENINGS

- 5/1 **AFFORDABLE CARE HEARING - hearing checks – appointment only**
- 5/2 **9:30AM CRAFTY FRIDAY - KENTUCKY DERBY HATS** Cost: \$5.00
- 5/5 **1-3PM SEED TO SUPPER CLASS**
- 5/7 **9:30AM BINGO – \$1.25 to play plus \$.05/per card/per game**
- 5/8 **10AM MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION** with CASH JAZZ BAND & VOCAL ENSEMBLE (Prior reservations only) NO BINGO TODAY!!
- 5/9 **9:30AM KIDS OF ALL AGES** resumes – Shine Bright Preschool joins us to plant flowers for Mothers Day gift
- 5/12 **1-3PM SEED TO SUPPER CLASS**
- 5/15 **10AM COFFEE CONNECTIONS – networking meeting** for service providers
- 5/15 **11:45AM LUNCH 'n LEARN – VA MEDICAL FOSTER HOME PROGRAM** presented by Kami Mazza, Erie VA. Reserve lunch (\$2.50 suggested donation) by 10AM May 12 5/16
- 5/16 **11:30AM PASTA DINNER/CRAFT FAIR SET-UP: HELP NEEDED!**
- 5/16 **12:30PM SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS**
- 5/17 **10AM-3PM BAIR'S CORVETTES CRUISE-IN PASTA DINNER/CRAFT FAIR FUNDRAISER!!!!** Craft Fair 10AM-3PM; Pasta Dinner served 11AM-2PM while supplies last! HELP NEEDED!
- 5/19 **1-3PM SEED TO SUPPER CLASS**
- 5/21 **10:30AM HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOB DYLAN!** Cost \$6 includes lunch/snacks
Music provided by Bob Dylan enthusiast Arco Wasserman – sing along with your favorite Bob Dylan songs, enjoy lunch and watch A COMPLETE UNKNOWN – recently released movie about the life of Bob Dylan
- 5/22 **CENTER CLOSED FOR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER**
- 5/23 **10AM CRAFTY FRIDAY – MAY FLOWERS AND DESSERT** with Gina from Interim Healthcare
Reservations appreciated Cost: FREE!
- 5/26 **CENTER CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY**
- 5/29 **11:45AM LUNCH 'n LEARN – FINANCIAL PLANNING: FINANCES, INSURANCE, FINAL EXPENSES** presented by local professionals. Reserve lunch (\$2.50 suggested donation) by 10am May 27
- 5/30 **DEADLINE TO SIGN UP FOR FATHER'S DAY PARTY \$10 SINGO** with Home Instead, Dad Jokes and a delicious meal!
- LOOKING AHEAD:**
- 6/12 **10AM FATHERS DAY PARTY**
- 6/24 **The Wilds Bus Trip Accepting Reservations Now!**
- 6/26 **1-3PM Summertime Tea Party**

TITUSVILLE SENIOR CENTER

714 E. Main St., Titusville

Center Manager: Ashley Thompson 827-9134 • www.goseniors.org

May

- 4/28 12:45PM Pinochle Party
- 4/29 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 4/30 12:45PM Bingo
- 5/1 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/2 9:00AM Breakfast
- 5/2 10:00AM SINGO with Abbey!
- 5/3 10 AM – 3 PM TASC Spring Craft & Vendor Show
- 5/5 12:45PM Pinochle Party
- 5/6 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/7 12:45PM Bingo
- 5/8 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/8 12:45PM Chat with TAH Pharmacy
- 5/9 12:30PM Rise & Shine Pinochle
- 5/12 12:45PM Pinochle Party
- 5/13 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/14 12:45PM Bingo
- 5/15 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion with
- 5/16 11:00AM Blood Pressure Screenings
- 5/16 12:00PM Birthday Luncheon
- 5/16 12:45PM Senior Council
- 5/19 12:45PM Pinochle Party
- 5/20 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/21 12:45PM Lucky Duck Bingo
- 5/22 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/23 9:00AM Donuts & Coffee, Rise & Shine Pinochle
- 5/26 CLOSED for Memorial Day
- 5/27 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/27 12:45PM Nutrition Fun with Daphne
- 5/28 12:45PM Bingo
- 5/28 World Book Day – Visit our Lending Library!
- 5/29 10:30AM Healthy Steps in Motion
- 5/30 12:00PM Lawn Party & Picnic

SAVE THE DATES

May 9th – Senior Prom - July 19th – TASC Rummage Sale - Summer Lawn Party Series: 5/30, 6/27, 7/25 & 8/22 – Food, Games, Music & Fun!

*Calendar subject to change. To verify, check our website, www.goseniors.org, find us on Facebook, or pick up a newsletter at The Center.

Titusville Senior Center is located at Burgess Park in Titusville. Visit www.goseniors.org to view our newsletter, full calendar, and menu - or find us on Facebook! Our mission is to assure that older adults remain active, independent, healthy and involved in our community. Stop by to check out what's happening here at the Center. In addition to scheduled activities our activity/game room, craft room, card and puzzle tables, communication lab, lending library, TV room, new massage chair, porches, coffee counter and snack bar are open for your use during normal business hours. As always lunch is a \$2.50 donation, served at noon. Reservations required TWO business days in advance by calling (814) 827-9134 or sending an email to goseniors@zoominternet.net. Don't forget to stop by for tickets for our Monthly 50/50 Raffle, which is open to the public. See you soon!

BINGO

Every Wednesday

Doors Open at 4:30 PM
Games Begin at 6:30 PM

\$50 on Singles & \$100 on Doubles
With Over \$2,000 in Jackpots!

4 Guaranteed Jackpot Games: 1 - \$1,100, 1 - \$400, 1 - \$300 and 1 - \$250
2 Additional Extra Games Sold On the Floor Only:

The "Red, White & Blue" Triple Progress Early Bird Jackpot Game and the Count Down Game that will pay anywhere from a "Winner-Take-All" or can "countdown" to a 50/50 payout game.

Admission Prices

9 Card Admission Packets Start at \$25*

Extra Books Available at \$5 per Book

*5 for 5 Jugs are Included in Your Admission Packet Price.

Temperature Screenings are Currently Required
Hand Sanitizer Stations throughout the Building

Reserve Your Seat

The Bingo Seat Reservation Voicemail Box System is available from noon the day before bingo until noon the day of bingo and can be reached at 814-336-1792 Ext. 158. Reserved seats are on a "first called-first saved" basis and particular seat requests are honored when possible, but not guaranteed. Reserved seats are only held until 6 PM and are not required in order to play bingo -

Walk-ins are always welcome!

If you or anyone living in your household has tested positive for Covid-19 in the past 10 days, we are asking you to self-quarantine 10 days after all symptoms have ended before attending one of our bingo games. If you have had a Covid-19 test, please do not attend one of our bingo games until you have your test results back and they are negative.

1st Friday of the Month
Doors Open at 4:30 PM
Games Begin at 6:30 PM

Admission Packets \$30
Play as Many Cards as You Want, includes 5 for \$5 Jugs
4 Guaranteed Jackpots: 1 - \$1,000, 1 - \$200 and 2 - \$150

Community Center of Crawford County
1034 Park Ave. Meadville, PA 814-336-1792



Bingo Proceeds Benefit the Programs and Services Offered through Active Aging, Inc.

Bingo License No. BNG23021 Small Games of Chance License No. SGC23104



Do you have extra space in your home?
Would you like some companionship or assistance with living expenses?

The SHARE program may be just what you need!

Shared Housing and Resource Exchange (SHARE) is an affordable housing choice that brings together homeowners who want to share their home with home seekers who have an option to assist with living expenses, help around the house, or a combination of both.

SHARE is available here, in Crawford County!

Reach out to the Professional Housing Counselor today. They work to screen and match people who have extra space in their homes with people seeking an affordable living situation.

Contact Housing Coordinator for Crawford County
Gwen Smith at 814-336-1792 ext 165

Resources available to Pennsylvanians in need of support:

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:
1-800-273-TALK (8255)

Nacional de Prevención del Suicidio:
1-888-628-9454

Crisis Text Line: Text "PA" to 741-741

Veteran Crisis Line: 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

Disaster Distress Helpline: 1-800-985-5990

Get Help Now Hotline (for substance use disorders):
1-800-662-4357

Pennsylvania Sexual Assault Helpline:
1-888-772-7227

National Domestic Violence Helpline:
1-800-799-7233

Active Aging is accepting donations of unopened incontinent supplies, including pads, pull-ups or underpads. Active Aging will also accept donations of nutritional supplements unless out of date.

Donations can be dropped off Monday to Friday, 8AM - 4:30PM at 1034 Park Ave. in Meadville.

We are also able to pick up if needed, call to schedule.

If you or anyone you know over the age of 60 requires supplies and are unable to afford them, please call for assistance.

814-336-1792

May 2025

**Crawford County
Active Aging**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		 *menu subject to change based on availability	1 3oz Pork Loin w/ 2oz Creamy Mushroom Sauce 1/2c Brown Rice 1/2c Broccoli Dinner Roll 1/2c Blushed Fruit	2 Stuffed Pepper w/ Tomato Sauce 1/2c Garlic Whipped Potatoes 1/2c Carrots 1 White Bread 1/2c Pudding
5 4oz Egg Salad Sandwich 1c Cream of Potato Soup 1/2c Pickled Beets Hamburger Bun Fresh Fruit	6 3oz Roast Beef w/ 2oz Gravy 1/2c Mashed Potatoes 1/2c Coin Carrots 1 Italian Bread Brownie	7 Stadium Hot Dog 1/2c Baked Beans 1/2c Three Bean Salad 1 Hot Dog Roll 1/2c Pineapple & Mandarin Oranges	MOTHER'S DAY MEAL 8 Stuffed Chicken Breast Whipped Potatoes w/ Gravy Asparagus Coleslaw Dinner Roll w/ Butter Cream Pie	9 BBQ Pork Ribette 1/2c Buttered Pasta 1/2c Brussel Sprouts 1 Sandwich Roll 1/2c Pineapple Delight
12 Korean Meatballs (4) 1/2c White Rice 1/2c Oriental Vegetables 1 Wheat Bread 1/2c Fresh Melon	13 Shrimp Scampi (3oz Shrimp) 1/2c Creamy Pasta 1/2c Lemon Pepper Broccoli 1 Breadstick 1/2c Mixed Fruit	14 Chicken Philly Cheesesteak 1c Cream of Spinach Soup 1/2c Coleslaw 1 Hoagie Roll 1/2c Gelatin	MAY BIRTHDAYS 15 Swiss Steak w/ Onion Gravy 1/2c Cabbage & Noodles 1/2c Green Beans Wheat Bread Birthday Cake	16 Sliced Ham 1/2c Tri Color Sweet Potatoes 1/2c Peas 1 Dinner Roll 1 Cookie
19 Western Omelet w/ Peppers, Onions, Cheese 1 Sausage Patty 1/2c Breakfast Potatoes 1 English Muffin w/ Jelly 4oz Apple Juice	20 Grilled Chicken Salad (2oz Chicken, Cheddar, HB Egg over 1c Mixed Greens) 1c Cream of Broccoli Soup 1 Dinner Roll 1/2c Fruited Gelatin	21 3oz Pot Roast w/ 2oz Gravy 1/2c Mashed Potatoes 1/2c Mixed Vegetables Wheat Bread 1/2c Apple Crisp	22 CENTERS CLOSED	23 BBQ Chicken Breast 1/2c Country Collard Greens 1/2c Baked Beans 1 Dinner Roll Seasonal Fresh Fruit
MEMORIAL DAY 26 	27 3oz Balsamic Chicken 1/2c Rosemary White Beans 1/2c Tomatoes & Zucchini 1 Garlic Breadstick 1/2c Pineapple Tidbits	28 4oz Sloppy Joe 1/2c Roasted Sweet Potatoes 1/2c Cauliflower 1 Hamburger Bun Oatmeal Cream Pie	29 Baked Crab Cake 1c Tomato Basil Soup 1/2c California Blend Vegetables 1 Wheat Bread 1/2c Gelatin	30 Vegetable Lasagna 1c Tossed Salad w/ Egg 1/2c Green Beans 1 Dinner Roll 1 Cookie

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Active Aging Centers

FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

Thursday, June 12th

Reservations due by
Friday, May 30th

Contact your local Center for further details & reservations:

Bair Family Center: 814-683-4959
Cambridge Center: 814-398-8616
Meadville Center: 814-336-1792 ext. 106

Roast Beef with Gravy
Butter Whipped Potatoes
Broccoli/Cauliflower Blend Vegetables
Coleslaw
Dinner Roll with Butter
Fruit Pie

**BOB DYLAN!!!
BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

MAY 21 10:30am COST \$6.00 (includes lunch/snacks)



The Active Aging Bair Family Center celebrates the life of Bob Dylan!

Bob will be 84 years old this year!!

Local Bob Dylan enthusiast Arco Wasserman will provide us with a musical stroll down Bob Dylan Lane, then we will enjoy lunch while watching the newly released movie:

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Music begins at 10:30am.

Reserve lunch by 10am May 19

Call 814-683-4959 to reserve.
The Active Aging Bair Family Center
237 South Pymatuning Street
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PACE / PACENET

Started in 1984, the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly (PACE) Program helps older persons living in Pennsylvania to pay their prescription expenses. PACENET is the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier. This program has been created to assist older Pennsylvanians, whose incomes are slightly higher than the PACE income limits, with the cost of their prescription drugs.

Eligibility Information:

PACE requirements:

- 65 years of age or older.
 - A resident of Pennsylvania for at least 90 days prior to the date of application.
 - Ineligible for pharmaceutical benefits under medical assistance.
 - Total income for last year for a single person must be less than \$14,500.
 - Total income for last year for a married couple must be less than \$17,700.
- Once an application is approved, an enrollee is responsible for \$6 copayment for generic drugs or a \$9 copayment for brand name drugs for each prescription reimbursed by PACE.

PACENET requirements:

- 65 years of age or older.
- A resident of Pennsylvania for at least 90 days prior to the date of application.
- Ineligible for pharmaceutical benefits under medical assistance.
- Total income for a single person from last year must be between \$14,500 to \$33,500.
- Total income for a married couple last year must be between \$17,701 to \$41,500.

PACENET may have a monthly drug plan premium to pay at the pharmacy, which will be cumulative if not met each month. Once that monthly drug premium has been met, PACENET has an \$8 copayment for generic drugs and a \$15 copayment for brand name drugs. Your out-of-pocket costs to you are computed by the PACE program.

To use your PACE/PACENET card: Take your card and prescription to any drugstore that accepts PACE. Always keep your card with you. Do not leave your card at the drugstore. Do not mail your card to a mail-order pharmacy.

You may not use your card to purchase drugs out of the state or to mail drugs out of the state. You can use your card ONLY while you are in Pennsylvania.

Can I have other medical insurance or prescription coverage and still apply for PACE/PACENET?

Yes, However, PACE is the payor of last resort and will only cover prescription costs not covered by other medical insurance. You will be asked to provide information about your insurance coverage when you apply for PACE/PACENET, and you should inform your pharmacist of all your medical and prescription plans.

Is it possible to get help with completing the PACE/PACENET application?

Yes! Please call Active Aging, Inc. at (814) 336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705. An appointment can be scheduled for you

DO YOU HAVE MEDICARE?

Do you have questions about your coverage or current plan? Do you want to know if you are eligible to save money on your prescription drug costs and/or your Part B premium? The PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT Program can help!

What is PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT?

PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT is a free health insurance counseling program designed to help all Pennsylvanians with Medicare. PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION

You may qualify for financial assistance programs! PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT wants to make sure you and your friends who have Medicare know about the Extra Help and Medicare Savings Programs.

Extra Help

Can help lower your prescription drug co-payments and premium, and gives you extra times to switch your plan!

You may qualify if:

- If you are single and have total monthly income of less than \$1,976; and less than \$17,600 in resources
- If you are married and have a total monthly income of less than \$2,664; and less than \$35,130 in resources

*There are certain deductions taken for Extra Help. You may qualify even if you are above these limits.

Medicare Savings Programs

Can help you with the payment of your Part B premium!

You may qualify if:

- If you are single and have a total monthly income of less than \$1,781; and less than \$9,660 in resources
- If you are married and have a total monthly income of less than \$2,399; and less than \$14,470 in resources

*Medicare Savings Programs can possibly help with the payment of your Medicare Part A and Part B cost-sharing.

*There are certain deductions taken for Medicare Savings Programs. You may qualify even if you are above these limits.

How can the PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT Program help you?

PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT can help with:

- Medicare
- Medicare Prescription Drug Plans (Part D)
- Medicare Advantage Plans
- Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap)
- Plan Comparisons
- Medicaid
- Screening and applying for financial assistance programs
- Medicare Appeals
- Long-Term Care

Call today to get connected to the PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT Program in your area.

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PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT is a free service provided by the PA Department of Aging, and is funded in whole or part by grant number 2001PAMIAA-00



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Updated information on 2025 eligibility for Programs available to help you with Medicare costs

Do you have Medicare and limited income and assets? You may qualify for one of the following programs to help you with Medicare costs.

Low Income Subsidy (Extra Help):

INCOME: less than \$23,715 single (\$1,976/month)
less than \$31,965 married (\$2,664/month)

ASSETS: less than \$17,600 single
less than \$35,130 couple

BENEFITS: low or no premium for Part D plan
low copays for generic and brand-name drugs

Medicare Saving Program:

ELIGIBILITY: Monthly income \$1,781 individual
Monthly income \$2,399 couple

ASSETS: \$9,660 individual or \$14,470 couple

BENEFIT: Pays your Medicare Part B premium

PACE/PACENET (resources not counted):

Must be 65 years of age, or older
Must be a Pennsylvania resident for at least 90 days prior to application
Cannot be enrolled in benefits under Pennsylvania's Medicaid Program

PACE income: Single \$14,500 Married \$17,700 based on prior year income
PACENET income: Single \$33,500 Married \$41,500 based on prior year income

For more information, or for an appointment to receive assistance in completing an application, contact the PA MEDI Program at Active Aging, Inc., (814)336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705.

The PA MEDI Program provides assistance to Medicare beneficiaries of any age.



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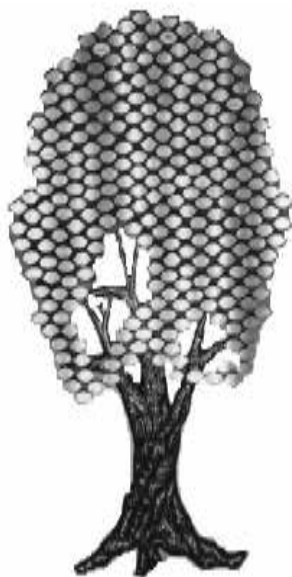
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PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT Update

PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT (PA MEDI), the State Health Insurance Assistance Program for all Medicare beneficiaries residing in Pennsylvania. During Medicare's Annual Open Enrollment, beneficiaries have the opportunity to compare their current Medicare Advantage Plan or Part D prescription drug plans and make any necessary changes to their coverage for the upcoming year. At Active Aging, Inc., the PA MEDI Program remains very busy all year. PA MEDI counselors are available, by appointment, to give information to individuals who are new to Medicare, assist with problems or questions about current coverage, and to screen and assist those eligible for Medicare cost-savings programs.

Outside of Annual Open Enrollment, there are Special Enrollment Periods (SEP) for individuals who may be eligible to make a change to their current coverage. Below is a list of examples for when a person may qualify for a SEP:

You change where you live

- I moved to a new address that isn't in my plan's service area.
- I moved to a new address that's still in my plan's service area, but I have new plan options in my new location.
- I moved back to the U.S. after living outside the country.
- I just moved into, currently live in, or just moved out of an institution (like a skilled

nursing facility or long-term care hospital).

- I'm released from jail.
- You lose your current coverage
- I'm no longer eligible for Medicaid.
- I left coverage from my employer or union (including COBRA coverage).
- I involuntarily lose other drug coverage that's as good as Medicare drug coverage (creditable coverage), or my other coverage changes and is no longer creditable.
- I had drug coverage through a Medicare Cost Plan and I left the plan.
- I dropped my coverage in a Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) plan.
- You have a chance to get other coverage
- I have a chance to enroll in other coverage offered by my employer or union.
- I have or am enrolling in other drug coverage as good as Medicare prescription drug coverage (like TRICARE or VA coverage).
- I enrolled in a Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) plan.
- Your plan changes its contract with Medicare
- Medicare takes an official action (called a "sanction") because of a problem with the plan that affects me.
- Medicare ends (terminates) my plan's contract.
- My Medicare Advantage Plan, Medicare Prescription Drug Plan, or Medicare Cost Plan's contract with Medicare isn't renewed.
- Other special situations
- I'm eligible for both Medicare and Medic-

aid.

- I qualify for Extra Help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage.
- I'm enrolled in a State Pharmaceutical Assistance Program (SPAP) or lose SPAP eligibility. (This is PACE/PACENET in PA)
- I dropped a Medigap policy the first time I joined a Medicare Advantage Plan.
- I have a severe or disabling condition, and there's a Medicare Chronic Care Special Needs Plan (SNP) available that serves people with my condition.
- I'm enrolled in a Special Needs Plan (SNP) and no longer have a condition that qualifies as a special need that the plan serves.
- I joined a plan, or chose not to join a plan, due to an error by a federal employee.
- I wasn't properly told that my other private drug coverage wasn't as good as Medicare drug coverage (creditable coverage).
- I wasn't properly told that I was losing private drug coverage that was as good as Medicare drug coverage (creditable coverage).

These Special Enrollment Period situations have been adapted from www.medicare.gov; if you would like to learn more about special enrollment period situations, please visit www.medicare.gov or contact PA MEDI. For more information on PENNSYLVANIA MEDICARE EDUCATION AND DECISION INSIGHT, or to schedule an appointment for assistance, please call Active Aging, Inc. at 814-336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705. Active Aging, Inc. is located at 1034 Park Ave., Meadville, Pa.



Emerging Drug Trends Safety Awareness Program

May 27th

10:30AM

Presented By: Alan

Join us for lunch following the program

Lunch reservations are required

For more information call: 814-398-8616

Cambridge Active Aging Center

156 Venango Ave Cambridge Springs PA 16403

Card & Game Party

Thurs. May 15th

10:30AM- 1:30PM

\$5 in advance \$6 at the door

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Springs Center: 814-398-8616



FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

Thursday, June 12th
Dine - In Seating at Noon

**Roast Beef with Gravy,
Butter Whipped Potatoes,
Broccoli/Cauliflower Blend
Vegetables, Coleslaw, Dinner Roll
& Fruit Pie.**

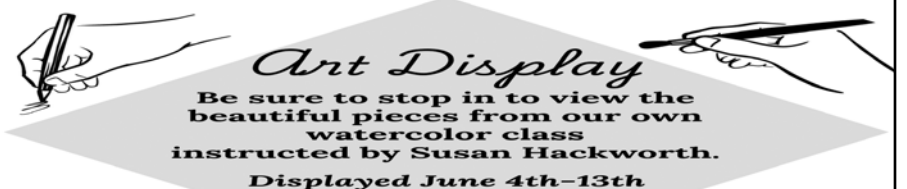
Payment (\$10) & Reservations due by

Friday, May 30th

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LUNCH 'n LEARN

<p>MAY 15</p> <p>VA MEDICAL FOSTER HOME PROGRAM</p> <p>11:45am Presented by Kami Mazza, Erie VA</p> <p>Reserve lunch by May 12 at 10am (\$2.50 suggested donation)</p> <p>Call 814-683-4959</p>	<p>MAY 29</p> <p>FINANCIAL PLANNING: FINANCES, INSURANCE, FINAL EXPENSES</p> <p>11:45am Presented by Local Professionals</p> <p>Reserve lunch by May 27 at 10am (\$2.50 suggested donation)</p> <p>Call 814-683-4959</p>
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This Month in History May

- May 2, 1878- The US stops minting the 20 cent coin.
- May 3, 1845- The 1st African American lawyer, Macon B Allen, was admitted to the bar in Massachusetts.
- May 5, 1809- Mary Kies is the 1st woman who was issued a US patent for weaving straw.
- May 7, 1914- US Congress establishes mother's day.
- May 8, 1945- V-E Day; WWII ends in Europe after Germany signs an unconditional surrender.
- May 9, 1960- US becomes the first country to legalize the birth control pill.
- May 10, 1503- Christopher Columbus discovers the Cayman Islands.
- May 12, 1915- Mary Kay Ash, American businesswoman, founded Mary Kay Cosmetics.
- May 13, 1942- Helicopter makes its 1st cross-country flight.
- May 14, 1908- 1st passenger flight in an airplane.
- May 15, 1940- McDonald's opens its first restaurant in San Bernardino, California.
- May 16, 1927- US Supreme Court rule bootleggers must pay an income tax.
- May 17, 1953- Yanks & Browns use record 41 players in a game.
- May 20, 1970- 100,000 march in NY supporting US policies in Vietnam.
- May 21, 1954- Amendment to give 18-year-olds right to vote is defeated.
- May 22, 1942- The Steel Workers Organizing Committee disbands, and a new trade union, the United Steelworkers, is formed.
- May 26, 1927- Henry Ford and the Ford Motor Company produce the last (and 15th million) Model T Ford/ Tin Lizzie.
- May 27, 1937- Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco opens to pedestrians.
- May 29, 1790- Rhode Island becomes the last of the original 13 colonies ratifying US Constitution.
- May 30, 1783- Benjamin Tower of Philadelphia publishes 1st daily newspaper in the US.
- May 31, 1790- US copyright law enacted.


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You may qualify for the 2024 PA Property Tax/Rent Rebate. Active Aging, Inc. has trained staff volunteers who can help you file if you meet the qualifications. For more information on the program details or to schedule an appointment for this free service, please call Active Aging, Inc. at 814-336-1792.

New: File Your Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program Applications Online

Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program claimants now have the option to submit program applications online with the Department of Revenue's myPATH system. Filing online leads to fast processing, easy direct deposit options and automatic calculators that will help you apply for your rebate. Visit mypath.pa.gov to file your application.

REMINDER:
Elder Pennsylvanians deserve honor and respect ... not abuse. Stop Elder Abuse in Crawford County.
Call Active Aging, Inc.
336-1792 or 1-800-321-7705

What is PA Link?

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC) exist nationwide. In Pennsylvania, ADRC is known as the Pennsylvania Link to Aging and Disability Resources, commonly known as the PA Link. It is designed to be a cross-age, cross-system network of local, regional, and state partner agencies that collaborate to help individuals who need home and community based services and supports. This coordinated network of partners allows a consumer to initiate contact with any PA Link partner and access information, assistance, and resources through a “no wrong door” approach, thereby minimizing consumer and provider duplication, reducing confusion, streamlining access, and creating much needed “safety nets”.

PA Link partners represent a wide range of local human service and healthcare providers as well as community leaders, civic organizations, state agencies, and other groups such as consumer, advocacy, and faith organizations. PA Link partners strive to help the following populations, regardless of income: adults age 60+, individuals living with any type of disability, persons living with behavioral health or substance abuse issues, Veterans, and the caregivers and family members of these populations. The mission of the PA Link to Aging and Disability Resources is to assemble and strengthen an organized alliance of private and public community agencies to better support consumer wishes and empower them to understand, determine and effectively navigate their long term care service options, regardless of age, ability or income.

A toll-free statewide ADRC helpline is operated by trained staff who assist Pennsylvanians looking for information on long-term living services and supports. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday - 8:30am to 5pm (excluding holidays). #1-800-753-8827.

If you are interested in becoming a partner to the PA Link, or if you know of an agency that should be approached about becoming a PA Link partner, please contact Kathy Freeman, Lead Link Coordinator for Service Area 1, at information@activeaging.org.

Pennsylvania Link to Aging and Disability Resources

The Pennsylvania Link to Aging and Disability Resources is a program of the Pennsylvania Department of Aging. Commonly referred to as the PA Link, this network of local, state and federal partners works together to provide information on, and improved access to, long-term care services and supports to all Pennsylvanians regardless of age, ability or income.

PA Link partners in Crawford County can provide information and support in the following areas:

- Assistive Technology
- Caregiver Support
- Care Transitions
- Disability Services
- Drug and Alcohol Services
- Emergency Contacts
- Employment Services
- Financial Assistance
- Health and Nutrition
- Health Insurance
- Home Modification
- Housing Assistance
- In-Home Services
- Legal Aid
- Lifespan Respite
- Medical Services
- Mental Health Services
- Nursing Home Transition
- Options Counseling
- Protective Services
- Support Groups
- Transportation
- Utilities and Fuel
- Veterans Services



The Pennsylvania Link to Aging & Disability Resources Helpline: 1-800-753-8827

Current PA Link Partners

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| Alzheimer's Association | Med Staffers |
| Amerihealth Caritas | MERP |
| AseraCare Hospice | Millcreek Community Hospital/LECOM |
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| Casey Ball Supports | Presbyterian Senior Care Network |
| Center for Community Resources | Primary Health Network |
| Center for Family Services | PRO MEDICA |
| CHAPS | Regional Home Health & Hospice |
| Comfort Care Agencies | SafeinHome |
| Community Care Network Community Health Services | Saint Vincent / Allegheny Health Network |
| Community Resources for Independ. | Self Determination Housing Project |
| Consumer Satisfaction Team | Seniors Choice |
| Crawford CAO | Senior Helpers |
| Crawford County Care Center | Service Coordination Unlimited |
| Crawford County Human Services | Shryock Senior Housing |
| Cross Home Care | Social Security Administration |
| Diagnostic X-Ray Service | Special Kids Network |
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| Embassy @ Park Ave. | St. Vincent Behavioral Health |
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| From The Heart | Titusville Social Connection |
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| Gateway | TLC Insurance |
| Genesis HealthCare | Transition Assistance Advisors |
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| Guardian Elder Care | UPMC Health Plan |
| HCF Management | UPMC for Life |
| HCR Manor | Vantage Healthcare |
| Health Care Solutions | Veterans Admin |
| Heartland Hospice | Veterans First |
| Helpmates | Veterans Miracle Center |
| Home Instead | Veterans Services |
| Hospice of Crawford County | VNA Alliance |
| HVA Sr. Living Alliance | Walberg Family Pharmacies |
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