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# a website for the elderly & people with disabilities

- find services
- gain knowledge
- remain independent
- be heard

Network of Care is a comprehensive, Internet-based community resource for the elderly and people with disabilities, including their caregivers and service providers.

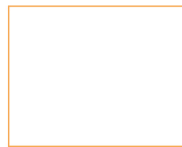
This easy-to-use website provides an extensive directory to put people in touch with the right services at the right time. It also offers vital information about assistive devices, caregiving, day-to-day challenges and diseases, as well as daily news from around the world concerning aging and disabilities. This unique, one-stop information tool enables you to keep personal records, create an online family meeting place, and communicate directly with elected officials to make your voice heard in the legislative halls.



**“Network of Care represents a breakthrough solution for the elderly and people with disabilities and those who care for them.”**



Theodore R. Kulongoski,  
**Governor**



# A Reference Guide to Your Network of Care Website

## Resource Finder

Finding information about the right service for you or your loved one is now much simpler and faster. An easy-to-use comprehensive directory of community services in our county is at your fingertips.

## Library

Benefit from our extensive collection of articles and fact sheets about medical, financial, legal and caregiver information.

## Assistive Devices

No matter what kind of assistive device you need, look here first. We constantly update our database of more than 18,000 tools and devices, which you can search by function, company or brand.

The screenshot shows the Network of Care website interface. At the top, there are navigation buttons: Resource Finder, Library, Assistive Devices, Links, Legislate, and My Record. Below these is a 'LOGIN' section with options for Providers, View Hotlist, Newsletter, Large Print, and Message Boards. A central banner features a photo of an elderly woman and the text 'network of care Putting you in touch'. To the right, there is a 'NEWS' section with headlines like 'AMA Urges Adults to Take Multivitamin' and 'Pharmacist Shortage Threatens Seniors'. At the bottom, there are language options (中文, ESPAÑOL) and links for About Us, Feedback, and Privacy Policy.

## Links

The hunt is over – we’ve rounded up the websites for the local, state and federal agencies you need. Just click, and you’re there.

## My Record

Create a private online file of medical and legal information for yourself – and if you choose, share it with a special relative or friend.

## Legislate

Use our amazing bill-tracking tool to follow legislation, take part in informal “straw polls,” and communicate directly with lawmakers before they vote.

## LANGUAGES

Network of Care offers content in Spanish, Chinese and other languages.

## Text-Only Version:

This graphics-free version of our site is designed to be totally accessible to people with vision loss. It is easy to use with computer screen readers.

## For Providers

**Service providers can share challenges and ideas here.** Agencies can use our private message boards, create their own websites and much more.

## Message Boards

Join our online community and share your thoughts, questions and challenges with other people just like you. It’s easy – and free!

## News

**Current headlines affect you.** Every day, we bring you the top state and national news about aging, disabilities, caregiving and more.