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Community for Life

Helping Maryland Seniors Stay in Their Homes Healthy and Fulfilled

Purpose: The Maryland Department of Aging (MDoA) is soliciting grant applications to help Maryland residents age-in-place and remain active and healthy. MDoA aims to enhance the availability of key services and supports that help Maryland seniors cope with the predictable challenges of aging without exhausting their financial resources while decreasing, at the same time, the likelihood of needing long-term care.

The Program: MDoA seeks financially sustainable service models that will not depend for continuation of services on the ongoing availability of grant funding. To this end, MDoA is seeking providers who propose to establish programs to deliver a financially self-sustaining, standardized package of non-medical supportive services to fee-paying voluntary members, and potentially, with support to individuals unable to contribute the full amount, within their service area. Services should be directed to participants living in their homes in a geographically-defined community. Proposal design should center on specification and justification for a set of services and a specific service demographic that is predominantly 65 and over. MDoA looks forward to preliminary discussions.

Provisos: MDoA funding is limited and can support only a portion of the cost. The Department is accepting letters of intent on a rolling basis.

Emails and calls are encouraged. Letters of Intent can be submitted to mdoa.executiveoffice@maryland.gov.

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