This document contains information on the Alzheimer's Association chapters and Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs) within Ohio. Alzheimer's Association and AAAs are important resources for persons living with memory loss and their family or friend caregivers throughout the state of Ohio and should be considered a primary source for information gathering.

## **Alzheimer's Association**

Ohio has six Alzheimer's Association chapters, and they are an excellent source to locate information about symptoms, disease progression, and available treatments. Through this regional chapters, the Alzheimer's Association provides a wide array of support services that can help individuals living with dementia and their family and friend caregivers The strength of these support services is that the majority are available to people living anywhere in the state of Ohio, since most of them are delivered by telephone or online. Alzheimer' Association services include:

- An 24/7 online and telephone helpline and emergency support
- In-person and/or virtual educational programs and support groups
- An online community forum, and
- A community resource finder.

Some Alzheimer's Association chapters also provide care consultation or care navigation services that help families locate needed services and resources. Table 1 lists contact information for the six Alzheimer's Association chapters in Ohio.

Table 1. Ohio Chapters of the Alzheimer's Association					
Association	Website	Phone Number	Counties Served		
Central Ohio	https://www.alz.org/centralohio	614.457.6003 or 800-272- 3900	Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Hocking, Licking, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Perry, Pickaway, Pike, Ross, and Union.		
Cleveland Area	https://www.alz.org/cleveland	216.342.5556 or 800-272- 3900	Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, and Lorain.		
Greater Cincinnati	https://www.alz.org/cincinnati	513-721-4284 or 800-272- 3900	Adams, Brown, Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Gallia, Hamilton, Highland, Jackson, Lawrence, Pike, Ross, Scioto, Vinton, and Warren.		
Greater East Ohio	https://www.alz.org/eastohio	330-996-7343 or 800-272- 3900	Belmont, Carroll, Columbiana, Coshocton, Guernsey, Jefferson, Mahoning, Medina, Muskingum, Portage, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Tuscarawas, and Wayne.		
Miami Valley	https://www.alz.org/dayton	937-291-3332 or 800-272- 3900	Champaign, Clark, Darke, Greene, Logan, Miami, Montgomery, Preble, and Shelby.		
Northwest Ohio	https://www.alz.org/nwohio	419-537-1999 or 800-272- 3900	Allen, Ashland, Auglaize, Crawford, Defiance, Erie, Fulton, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Huron, Knox, Lucas, Mercer, Ottawa,		

Paulding, Putnam, Richland, Sandusky, Seneca, Van Wert,
Williams, Wood, and Wyandot.

## **Area Agencies on Aging**

There are 12 Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) that provide a wide range of in-person and online services and resources across the state of Ohio for older adults, adults with disabilities, and family and friend caregivers. AAAs are a great place to start when looking for services or other resources for older or disabled adults and their families. A main goal of AAAs is helping older adults and people living with disabilities find local services and resources that enable them to live as independently as possible. Examples of assistance AAAs provide include:

- Long-term care planning
- Nutrition programs and home delivered meals
- Transportation assistance
- Housing related assistance
- In-home personal care and chore assistance
- Medicaid and Medicare information and enrollment assistance, and
- Respite services for caregivers.

Table 2 lists contact information for the 12 Ohio AAAs.

Table 2. Ohio Area Agencies on Aging				
Organization	Website	Counties Served		
1. The Council on	https://www.help4seniors.org/	Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Hamilton,		
Aging of Southwestern		and Warren		
Ohio				
2. Area Agency on	https://info4seniors.org/	Champaign, Clark, Darke, Greene,		
Aging, PSA 2		Logan, Miami, Montgomery, Preble,		
		and Shelby		
3. Agency on Aging 3,	https://www.aaa3.org/	Allen, Auglaize, Hancock, Hardin,		
Inc		Mercer, Putnam, and Van Wert		
4. Area Office on Aging	https://areaofficeonaging.com/	Serving Defiance, Erie, Fulton, Henry,		
of Northwestern Ohio		Lucas, Ottawa, Paulding, Sandusky,		
		Williams, and Wood		
5. Ohio District 5 Area	https://www.aaa5ohio.org/	Ashland, Crawford, Huron, Knox,		
Agencies on Aging		Marion, Morrow, Richland, Seneca,		
		and Wyandot		
6. Central Ohio Area	https://www.coaaa.org/	Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin,		
Agency on Aging		Licking, Madison, Pickaway, and Union		
7. Area Agency on	https://www.aaa7.org/	Adams, Brown, Gallia, Highland,		
Aging, District 7		Jackson, Lawrence, Pike, Ross,		
		Scioto, and Vinton		
8. Buckeye Hills	https://buckeyehills.org/	Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe,		
Regional Council		Morgan, Noble, Perry, and Washington		
9. Area Agency on	https://aaa9.org/	Belmont, Carroll, Coshocton,		
Aging Region 9		Guernsey, Harrison, Holmes,		

		Jefferson, Muskingum, and
		Tuscarawas
10. 10A-Western	https://www.areaagingsolution	Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Lorain, and
Reserve Area Agency	s.org/	Medina
on Aging		
11. 10B-Direction	https://www.dhad.org/	Portage, Stark, Summit, and Wayne
Home Akron Canton		
Area Agency on Aging		
12. 11-Direction Home	https://dheo.org/	Ashtabula, Columbiana, Mahoning,
of Eastern Ohio		and Trumbull