

Guardianship Resource Guide

NYC Department of Aging

- 212-442-1000
- <http://www.nyc.gov/html/dfta/html/home/home.shtml>

New York State Caregiving and Respite Coalition (NYSCRC)

- Statewide coalition focused on supporting caregivers, professionals and providers across New York State
- <http://www.nyscrc.org/>

Adult Protective Services

- Provides services for physically and/or mentally impaired adults
- <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/hra/help/adult-protective-services.page>

Medicare Information

- www.medicare.gov

American Bar Association's Elderly Legal Issues

- This site specializes in information regarding elder law
- www.abanet.org

Alzheimer's Organization

- 24/7 Helpline: 1-800-272-3900
- www.alz.org

New York Office of the Aging

- <https://aging.ny.gov/>

New York Law School

- Elder Law Clinic:
http://www.nyls.edu/academics/office_of_clinical_and_experiential_learning/clinics/elder_law_clinic/

The Center for Hearing and Communication

- Hearing loss services: <http://chchearing.org/>

The Lighthouse Guild

- Services for the blind: <http://www.lighthouseguild.org/>

American Foundation for the Blind

- <http://www.visionaware.org/>

National Council on Aging

- National leader and trusted partner to help people aged 60+ meet the challenges of aging
- <http://www.ncoa.org/>

National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization

- Nonprofit membership organization representing hospice and palliative care programs and professionals
- <http://www.nhpco.org/>

The Village to Village Network

- Organization that helps coordinate and deliver services and supports, such as home repair and maintenance, transportation and other tasks, for older adults within their communities
- <http://www.vtvnetwork.org/>

Volunteers of Legal Services (VOLS) Elderly Project

- Free legal services for the elderly: <http://www.volsprobono.org/projects/elderly-project>

New York Memory Center

- Meeting the needs of people living with Alzheimer's and dementia-related disorders
- <http://nymemorycenter.org/>

Frey Elder Care, Inc.

- Geriatric Care Management: <http://www.freyeldercare.com/>

New York Lawyers for the Public Interest

- Legal Assistance: <http://www.nylpi.org/>

The Hoarding Disorder Resource and Training Group

- <http://hoardingdisordergroup.education/>

NYC Elder Abuse and Crime Victims Services

- <http://www.nyc.gov/html/dfta/html/services/crime-victims.shtml>

Independent Consumer Advocacy Network (ICAN)

- Assistance with Medicaid Long-term Care
- <http://icannys.org/>

Other Resources

Teepa Snow, America's leading dementia expert

- www.teepasnow.com

New York Times resources for Caring for the Elderly

- http://www.nytimes.com/ref/health/noa_resources.html

The Importance on Socializing the Elderly

- <http://blog.chartwell.com/benefits-of-socialization/the-importance-of-socialization-for-seniors/>

How to Communicate Effectively with Older Adults

- <https://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/communication-success/201411/how-communicate-effectively-older-adults>

Article 81 Guardianship Statute

- http://www.nycourts.gov/ip/gfs/Article_81_Law_2008.pdf

American Bar Association

- Commission on Law and Aging, Guardianship:
http://www.americanbar.org/groups/law_aging/resources/guardianship_law_practice.html