# Interagency Council on Aging of South Central Connecticut Member Agencies September 2014 - June 2015

bringing together providers in the aging network...

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# Agency on Aging of South Central Connecticut

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Incorporated in 1974, the Agency on Aging of South Central Connecticut (AASCC) is one of five independent non-profit agencies on aging serving older adults and individuals with disabilities in Connecticut. AASCC's mission is to empower adults to remain as independent and engaged as possible within their communities through advocacy, information, and services.

### Almost Family, Inc.

1344 Silas Deane Highway Rocky Hill, CT 06067 almostfamily.com



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We are senior advocates who promote safe, secure aging in the home by providing an array of homecare services.

### Borrow My Glasses, LLC

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# **Callahan House Association**

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The Callahan House Association is a non-profit organization formed by residents on a volunteer basis. Under the Callahan House Association is a collaborative Resident Services Program. The Resident Services Coordinator provides case management for the tenants served, community organization and bridges out services for tenants to the community.

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# **Caregiver Homes**

1 Long Wharf Suite 301 New Haven, CT 06511 caregiverhomes.com

# caregiver

Matthew J. Lockwood Mullaney, State Director (Interim)

Caregiver Homes is Connecticut's first and leading provider of Adult Family Living. We provide the support and financial assistance to keep care in the home.

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### **Caregiver Homes of CT**

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Providing adult family living services in Connecticut under CHCPE, CHCP and PCA Waiver. A division of Seniorlink based in Massachusetts.

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### Casa Otonal, Inc.

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### **Clelian Adult Day Center**

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The Clelian Adult Day Center is certified as a medical model Adult Day Center by the CT State Department of Social Services and we are members of the CAADC and the Alzheimer's Association of America. We provide day care for elders who have age-related medical conditions such as memory loss, limited mobility, incontinence, and individuals in need of socialization. Our clinical staff consists of a registered nurse, licensed practical nurses, certified nursing assistants and a certified therapeutic recreation specialist. The staff to client ratio is one to seven

# **Comfort Keepers**

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Comfort Keepers provides non-medical in-home care for seniors who want to remain in their own home. Homemaking, companionship and personal care services are available 3 hours to 24/7.

# **Comfort Keepers of CT Shoreline**

722 Village Walk Guilford, CT 06437 comfortkeepers.com/guilford-ct



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Comfort Keepers is a leading provider of in-home care service throughout the CT Shoreline. Our expert caregivers provide personalized care plans that may include personal care and companion home services. We help seniors and other adults live an independent quality life.

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# **Companions & Home Helpers - East Hartford**

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### **Companions & Home Helpers - North Haven**

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For over 12 years Companions and Home Helpers has been Connecticut's most trusted homecare agency helping senior citizens remain safe, comfortable and independent in their own home. Our mission is to encourage a healthy and active lifestyle for your loved ones by providing customizable non-medical supplemental care.

# Companions & Homemakers, Inc.

613 New Britain Avenue Farmington, CT 06032 companionsandhomemakers.com

Jonathan Hunt, Regional Manager

Companions & Homemakers was founded in 1990 and is going into its 25th year of extraordinary client care in maintaining our mission of keeping clients living within their homes. We have 11 offices throughout the state, and cover all of CT, providing care to both clients whom pay privately or through long term care insurance, as well as clients through state funded waiver programs such as the CT Homecare Program for Elders.

# **Compassionate Care at Home**

250 W. Main Street Suite 203 Branford, CT 06405 compassionatect.com

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Compassionate Care at Home is a very progressive, non-medical home care agency offering the traditional services such as Homemaking, Companionship and Personal care to our clients. CCAH is a resource to our community and clients through education and creating awareness. We offer disease specific home cares services, promote the Aid in Attendance program benefits to veterans. In addition, CCAH offers a very unique program known as "Pathways, a program designed to reduce re-admission rates at hospitals.

### **Connecticut In-Home Assistance**

2341 Whitney Avenue Hamden, CT 06518 cthomecare.com

Kim Vertrees, Community Liaison

Helping you care for a loved one by providing companionship, homemaking, personal care, transportation and nursing supervision. Serving New Haven and Fairfield Counties and live-ins state wide. Family owned and operated since 2000.



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# **Easter Seals Goodwill Industries**

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We are a non-profit agency that assists individuals with developmental disabilities with employment, education, social and recreational opportunities. My focus is working with individuals who have retired and joined our senior program. Our seniors are integrated into the communicity through local senior centers and volunteering.

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### Family & Children's Agency

140 Water Street Norwalk, CT 06854 familyandchildren'sagency.org

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Megan Haque, Social Worker, Home Care Program mhaque@fcagency.org; 203-831-2900

FCA is one of the largest human services agency in the Fairfield county. We serve a diversity of populations from birth to senior. Our Home Care Program has been serving clients for forty years.

#### FSW, Inc. CT

317 East Street New Haven, CT 06511 fswinc.org

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FSW, Inc manages the Elderly Nutrition Program for the Greater New Haven region. The Meals on Wheels Program delivers up to two nutritious meals per week-day. FSW also provides food at twenty congregate sites throughout the service areas and hosts the "Senior Dine" program at the Greek Olive Restaurant in New Haven. All meals are planned and overseen by a registered dietician.

# **Goodwin-Levine Adult Day Health Center**

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# Goggin & Associates, LLC

54 Stanton Road Clinton, CT 06413 solutions4seniors.net

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Our mission is to enhance an Elder's quality of life through advocacy and coordination while insuring their safety and wellbeing. Our comprehensive holistic approach is designed to support Elders and their families utilizing income, insurance(s), assets and public benefit programs such as Title XIX at home or in a facility – Providing options for Elders so that they can Age in a Place of their choosing.

# **Guilford Social Services**

263 Church Street Guilford, CT 06437

Tammy C. DeFrancesco, Director defrancescot@ci.guilford.ct.us; 203-453-8009

Local town government social services department that houses duties of municipal agent for elderly, oversight of town food bank, provides local administration of state social programs such as energy assistance, as well as providing direct service and case management.

# **Integrated Care Partners A Hartford Healthcare Partner**

1290 Silas Deane Hwy 2nd Floor Whethersfield, CT 06109

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# Interfaith Volunter Care Givers of Greater New Haven

30 Gillies Road Hamden, CT 6517 carenewhaven.org

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Volunteer caregivers are neighbors helping neighbors – people of all ages reaching out with love and concern. Care receivers and volunteer care givers are carefully matched according to interest, location, schedules and needs. Services are free and available to all persons 60 and over.



# Mary Wade Home

118 Clinton Avenue New Haven, CT 06513 marywade.org



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Located in Historic Fair Haven, Mary Wade offers a 94 bed skilled facility for long term and hospice care as well as Short term rehab. Our STR program includes IV therapy, a Pulmonary program RT, OT and Speech. We have a 45 bed Residential care home, an Adult Day Center which is a medical model open seven days a week with an additional specialized Alzheimer program for those severely impaired. We offer weekend and medical transportation, outpatient rehab, and hospice care.

# New England Emergency Response Systems

7 Church Street Dover, NH 03820 neers.com



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We provide Health Care Monitoring; Personal Emergency Response Systems, Medication Adherence-Monitored Medication Dispensers, Telehealth Solutions-Vital Sign Monitoring. In business since 1989. Contracted with Medicaid Waiver Programs in every New England State. Serve over 110,000 people throughout the US.

### No Place Like Home Care

14 Summit Place Branford, CT 06405 noplacelikehomecare.com

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We are a locally owned and managed agency specializing in aging in place. We take great pride in making succesful matches between our caregivers and clients, by thoroughly checking out the compatibility. We believe in the personal touch. Ed Hayden established the agency after caring for his mother, 12 years ago.



# **Orange Visiting Nurse Association**

605A Orange Center Rd Orange, CT 06477 orange-ct.go/govser/ovna.htm

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Licensed and nationally accredited homecare agency providing skilled nursing, PT, OT, ST, MSW, home health aides and homemaking to residents of Orange, Milford, and Woodbridge.

### **Orchard House Medical Adult Day Center**

421 Shore Drive Branford, CT 06405 theorchardhouse.org

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Orchard House is a medical day program that has been serving aging adults and their family caregivers along the Shoreline, and in Greater New Haven, for over 30 years. Orchard House integrates expert nursing care, attentive personal care staff, and enriching therapeutic programs to meet the social-emotional needs of our participants. The Dementia Care Program serves to meet the specific needs of adults living with a dementia related disorder. Orchard House provides family caregivers with care coordination services, a support group, and informational & educational opportunities.

# **Quality Staffing Home Care Agency, LLC**

21 Hazel Terrace Woodbridge, CT 06525 qualitystaffinghomecare.com

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Quality Staffing is a service provider in the home care field. Our company goal is to maintain an optimum level of well being at a very affordable cost for both long and short term care. Our mission is to commit to helping clients receive the day to day support and services they need to live in a safe comfortable environment with dignity.

# **Right at Home**

337 North Colony Street Wallingford, CT 06492 rightathome-ct.com

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Provide quality home care to seniors and others who wish to maintain independence. Services include: Companionship, Physical Assistance, Bathing, Medication Reminders, Ambulation, Safety Supervision, Meals, Transportation, Housekeeping, Hospital-to-Home, Hospice Supportive Care, Respite. Hourly or Live-In. The Right Care, Right at Home.

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# Shady Knoll Health Care Center

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Shady Knoll Health Care Center, nestled in the quiet residential area of Seymour, provides short-term rehabilitation services, respite care, hospice and long-term care to its residents of the Lower Naugatuck Valley Area. Tours available by calling 203-881-2555.

# Stevens Woods, Elderly Housing

165 Clintonville Road North Haven, CT 06473 sfieldburguiere@ehmchm.org

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HUD Section 8 housing.

# Sunset Shores Adult Day Center

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Sunset Shores Adult Day Health Center is an adult day center who takes care of the frail elderly during the day. We are a medical model. We provide transportation, recreation activities, nursing, toileting and a nutritious lunch. A safe, fun, caring environment for the elderly during the day time hours.

# Task Medical Staffing, Inc.

99 Danbury Road Ridgefield, CT 06877 taskmed.com

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Task provides non-skilled home care services. Our goal is to be a center of excellence for providing services to clients with Alzheimer's & Dementia. The current staff coordinator and case manager have received in services for developing care plans. The goal of the organization is to have caregivers receive in-services in this disease.

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### Team, Inc.

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Team, Inc. is a private, non-profit corporation whose mission is to connect individuals and families with solutions that lead to well-being, self-sufficiency and full participation in the community.

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# The Kennedy Center, Inc.

2440 Reservoir Avenue Trumbull, CT 06611 thekennedycenterinc.org



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The Kennedy Center, provides home and community based services to persons with disabilities and special needs by offering innovative, comprehensive services. Our staff is highly experienced in developing individual plans for those with intellectual disabilities, autism, psychiatric disabilities, acquired brain injuries, Alzheimer's, cognitive disabilities, as well as mobility, hearing and visual impairments.

# The Umbrella Center for Domestic Violence Services

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# **Tower One/Tower East**

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Tower One/Tower East offers seniors an affordable, active senior living community in one of New England's most historic and vital cities. The Towers has for forty years provided a safe and vibrant environment for older persons of varying means. We are the only adult living community in greater New Haven that assists residents in avoiding unnecessary concerns about long-term expenses for assisted living services.

# Town of Branford, Aging and Adult Services/Canoe Brook Center

11 Cherry Hill Road Branford, CT 06405 branford-ct.gov

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#### Town of Hamden, Elderly Services

2901 Dixwell Avenue Hamdne, CT 06518 hamden.com

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The center provides sponsored activities, programs and services to Hamden's elderly through the following three departments: the administration of the Miller Senior Center, the Elderly Outreach Office, Elderly Nutrition Program (ENP), and the Senior Transportation Program through GNHTD. The Elderly Outreach department consists of three counselors who are crucial and the keystone in assisting our elderly by connecting seniors with social services, such as, home visits/checks, fuel/energy assistance, rent rebate, emergency food distribution and benefit checkups. This department, along with the Coordinator, works with the Police and Fire departments regarding seniors in crisis too.

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#### Town of North Haven, Joyce C. Budrow Senior Center

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#### **VNA of South Central Connecticut, Inc.** 1 Long Wharf Drive

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VNA Health Systems is a community based organization dedicated to providing a wide array of high-quality health services for individuals in the home and community. The purpose of the Visiting Nurse Association of South Central Connecticut is to improve the quality of life for all the residents of the community it serves by fostering access to community health and home care services.

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# West Haven Elderly Services

201 Noble Street West Haven, CT 06516

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West Haven Elder Services oversees 2 senior centers in West Haven. The West Haven Senior Center, 201 Noble Street, and the Allingtown Senior Center, 1 Forest Road.

# Y.E.A., LLC

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I provide daily money management services to seniors - bill payment, deposits, bank reconciliation.