Consistent Resources

Core to daily activities, need comprehensive training

1. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) ← Could be offered by CLAIM
    a. Comprehensive Medicare Overview
    b. Coordination of Benefits
2. Family Support Division (FSD)
    a. Medicare Savings Programs (MSPs)
    b. MoHealthNet for Aged Blind & Disabled
    c. Spenddown
    d. Division of Assets
    e. Home and Community Based Services (HCBS)
    f. Rehab. Services for the Blind
    g. Other assistance program as applicable—food stamps, etc.
3. Social Security Administration (SSA)
    a. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
    b. Social Security Disability Income (SSDI)
    c. Low-Income Subsidies (LIS)/Extra Help
4. Veterans Administration
    a. VA benefits
    b. Pensions
    c. Coordination of Benefits
    d. Survivors benefits

Secondary subjects, need overview of services

5. Community Action Agencies
6. Department of Mental Health (DMH)
7. Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP)
8. Alzheimer's Association
9. Arthritis Foundation
10. Vocational Rehabilitation

- contacts should be made and networking done with local offices

Local Resources/Partnerships

1. In-home services providers
2. Housing options
3. Interagency groups
4. Providers (doctors/pharmacies/hospitals/etc.)
5. Community Health Centers (i.e. Northwest Health Services)
6. Health Departments
7. Senior Centers
8. Faith-based groups (i.e. Faith in Action, Ministerial Alliance)
9. Service groups (i.e. Community Betterment, Rotary, etc.)
10. Legal Services
11. USDA/Rural Development
12. Lifeline distributors
13. Local Support Groups (caregiver, grandparent, stroke, etc.)
14. Crisis Shelters

- Need to make local contacts to explain and explore these community-specific resources

Partner Resources—Cross Training

1. Area Agency on Aging
    a. Ombudsman Program
    b. Nutrition Services
    c. Transportation
    d. MoRx
    e. Health
    f. In-home services
2. Centers for Independent Living