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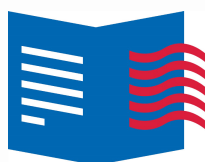
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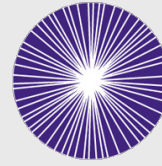
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Local and Regional Suggestions

- Contact your local **Senior Resource Center** to find out what support groups, community resources, and social activities they offer.
- Resource Centers for Independent Living:
 - Kansas - rcilinc.org | 877-929-7655
 - Missouri - mocil.org | 573-556-0400
- State Area Aging Agencies (AAA):
 - Kansas Association of Area Agencies on Aging & Disability (k4ad): k4ad.org | 785-267-1336
 - Missouri Association of Area Agencies on Aging & Disability (ma4): ma4web.org | 800-235-5503
- State Departments
 - Kansas Dept. for Aging & Disability Services: kdads.ks.gov | 855-200--2372
 - Missouri Dept. of Senior & Disability Services: health.mo.gov/seniors | 800-235-5503

National Organizations for Support, Information, and Research

- American Diabetes Association: diabetes.org | 800-342-2383
- Am. Macular Degeneration Foundation: macular.org | 888-622-852
- Foundation Fighting Blindness | fightingblindness.org
- MD Support (list of support groups): mdsupport.org | 816-588-7747
- National Eye Health Education Program via NIH: nei.nih.gov
- National Institutes of Health (database of privately and publicly funded clinical trials around the world): clinicaltrials.gov



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