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Department of Aging and Disability Services

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Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC):

- DADS aging and disability resource centers (ADRCs):
 - Support Texas “No Wrong Door” System
 - Serve as key point of access to person-centered long-term services and supports
 - Provides specialized information, referral, and assistance
- Goal: To serve as a highly visible, trusted resource for assistance with access to the full range of community-based Long-term Services and Supports via a no wrong door model for all individuals regardless of age, income and disability
- Currently: 22 ADRCs, statewide coverage

Area Agencies on Aging (AAA)

- DADS area agencies on aging (AAAs):
 - Coordinate regional planning, identify and assess needs and provide services in partnership with existing regional resources
 - Provide evidence-based and transition/diversion programs
 - Provide family caregiver support
 - Educate Medicare beneficiaries about benefits how to access benefits
 - Assist older individuals in the areas of public benefits, medical entitlements, insurance, surrogate decision making, individual rights, housing, institutional care and consumer issues
 - Provide a wide array of nutrition and supportive services directly to consumers or through subrecipient contracts
- Goal: Support independence and dignity of older Americans and their families by organizing, coordinating and providing community-based services and opportunities
- Currently: 28 AAAs, statewide coverage

HOW TO FIND HELP

- <https://www.dads.state.tx.us/contact/aaa.cfm>
- <https://www.dads.state.tx.us/care/findanadrc.html>

