

"Let the people decide..."
Former Governor Lee Dreyfus



CWAG Offers Services and Programs to Assist Older People in Wisconsin—

- Low Cost Prescription Drug Information
1-800-366-2990
- State & County Senior and Intergenerational Advocacy Training Program
1-800-366-2990 ext. 346
- Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Helpline
1-866-456-8211
- Wisconsin Senior Medicare Patrol
1-800-488-2596 ext. 317
- Wisconsin Guardianship Support Center
1-800-488-2596 ext. 314
- Upper Midwest Pension Rights Project
1-800-488-2596 ext. 314
- Wisconsin Elderly Benefit Specialist Program
1-800-488-2596 (for referral to your local county benefit specialist)
- Elder Financial Empowerment Program
1-800-488-2596 ext. 328
- Blue Ribbon Citizens Task Force on Patient Centered Care 1-800-366-2990 ext. 346



Become a CWAG Member Today:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ District: _____

Email: _____

Organization: _____

\$500 \$50 \$40 \$15 \$15

Life-Long Member Family Member Individual Low - Income Student

Enclosed is my check for: \$ _____

I want more information about my Organization becoming a member of CWAG.

- Non-profit or Government Agency
- Corporate Associate Membership

Please make checks payable to CWAG and mail to:

Coalition of Wisconsin Aging Groups
2850 Dairy Drive, Suite 100
Madison, WI 53718

Your contribution is tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Thank you!



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Protecting Our Elderly & Advocating for All Generations

Why You Should Become a CWAG Member Today...

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Information & Events

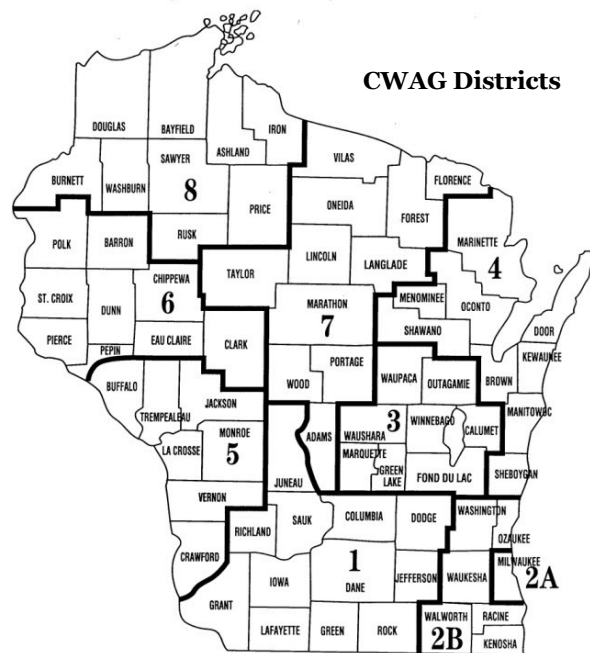
- News and articles on the legal and legislative issues affecting older people in Wisconsin.
- Just in time information on important state and federal legislative issues in CWAG's "Legislative Updates."
- Access to free and discounted publications on topics of interest to people of all ages.
- Invitations to CWAG's healthcare forums, annual convention and other special educational programs and events including the CWAG Senior & Intergenerational Statesmanship Advocacy Training Program.
- Access to CWAG's low cost Prescription Drug information service.

Membership Discounts

- Substantial discounts on realtor fees through First Weber Realtors.
- Discount on AAA (auto club) group auto & home owners insurance membership.
- Discounts on CWAG sponsored conferences and other events.
- Discount on the award winning publication, "Elder Rights & Benefits."
- Access to free guardianship legal services and consumer protection information.
- Real-time action alerts on crucial legislative and advocacy issues.

CWAG Mission:

The Coalition of Wisconsin Aging Groups is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, statewide membership organization that was founded in 1978. CWAGs' mission is to improve the quality of life for people of all ages through: Intergenerational Understanding and Leadership Development, Public Education, Legal and Legislative Advocacy and Public Policy Development.



CWAG membership is made up of 9 geographical districts, representing all 72 Wisconsin counties.

Working for Our Elderly & Their Children

- CWAG, a strong advocate on behalf of older adults and people with disabilities, provides ongoing legislative and legal advocacy on issues that are of concern to over one million elderly in Wisconsin.
- Through advocacy, CWAG develops and supports public policies that reflect our members' views and interests as directed by our legislative platform. CWAG's legislative successes are directly attributable to the activism of our membership and bipartisan coalition building.

CWAG's Advocacy Successes

- The implementation of a state prescription drug assistance plan for seniors—SeniorCare.
- The passage of a comprehensive reform plan for the state's long term care system—Family Care.
- Increased the state's funding for the Elderly and Disabled Transportation budget, which provides specialized transportation services.
- Increased state funding for guardianship services and protecting people from financial abuse.
- Improvements in Spousal Impoverishment legislation that protects the income and assets of the spouse of a nursing home resident and other consumer protection programs.
- Increased state funding for the Wisconsin Elderly Nutrition Program.
- Created and initiated Wisconsin's Blue Ribbon Citizens Task Force on Patient Centered Care.