

North Orange County Senior Collaborative



Please tell us about yourself:

I am a:

☐ senior; ☐ family caregiver; ☐ a professional serving seniors - if you are a professional please answer all of the following from the perspective of the seniors you serve.

My age is in the range:

☐ less than 30; ☐ 30-40; ☐ 41-50; ☐ 51-60; ☐ 61-70; ☐ 71-80; ☐ 91+.

I currently live:

☐ alone; ☐ with someone else.

Housing Issues:

1. I plan to stay in my home as I age:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree.

2. I have family and friends living within a few miles of my home who can give me support and assistance:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree.

3. I believe government programs like Medicare will provide in-home care if I can't pay for it:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree.

4. I know where to get information on services and resources for seniors:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree.

Legal Issues:

5. A good time to plan for end of life is:

☐ as a pre-retirement adult; ☐ at retirement; ☐ after I am diagnosed with a life threatening condition, (☐ no need to plan.

6. My Trust, Will and financial Power of Attorney are up to date:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree; ☐ don't understand the question.

7. My family members or my decision maker know what a *Trust*, a *Will* and a *Power of Attorney* require them to do:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree; ☐ don't understand the question.

8. I know what an Advance Health Care Directive is:

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree; ☐ don't understand the question.

9. I have an Advance Health Care Directive and have provided copies to my health care agent and physician(s):

☐ agree; ☐ not sure; ☐ disagree; ☐ don't understand the question.

10. I worry most about getting help with (choose only one):

☐ doing my daily tasks; ☐ transportation; ☐ assistance if I get dementia;
☐ legal issues; ☐ paying for health care.

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Thank you in advance for participating in our survey of the unmet needs of seniors living in North Orange County. The North Orange County Senior Collaborative, The Orange County Board of Supervisors and St. Jude Senior Services look forward to your response. If you are a senior or a family caregiver, please help us know what you need. Professionals, please tell us about the needs of the seniors you serve.