

As a local source for information and assistance, the Agency on Aging of South Central Connecticut wants to connect you with trusted resources regarding the Coronavirus Disease 2019 – COVID-19. The CDC has included older adults among those considered “at higher risk of getting very sick from this illness”, so we want to be sure that older adults, caregivers and providers have the facts you need during this time.

Primary sources of information are the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#) and [CT Department of Consumer Health](#). AOASCC is following the guidelines recommended by the CDC and DPH, and providers will find helpful information at these sites as well.

Answers to many of the questions people may have can be found by visiting the state’s coronavirus information website at ct.gov/coronavirus. If you have a question that is not answered here, the State of Connecticut is partnering with United Way of Connecticut to launch an information hotline for questions from the public regarding issues related to the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19). People who have questions can **call 2-1-1** or **text “CTCOVID” to 898211**. This information hotline is only intended to be used by individuals who are not experiencing symptoms but may have general questions related to COVID-19. Anyone experiencing symptoms is strongly urged to call their medical provider to seek treatment.

As this is an evolving situation, we will continue to provide updated information.

