Services for LGBTQIA+ Seniors

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Local and State Social and Wellbeing Resources

MiGen

(313) 241-8994

https://migenconnect.org/

- Formerly SAGE Metro Detroit, Michigan's LGBTQ+ Elders Network
- Provides a variety of services, programs, and advocacy intended to make the lives of LGBTQ+ folks ages 45+ safer, more connected, more vibrant, and more fun.
- Some of their programs include:
 - Community Navigation and Support
 - Friendly Caller
 - o MI Options
 - Monthly food box delivery
 - Statewide Resource Center

- Tech Buddy
- Trans Aging Project
- Support Groups
- Housing
- Events

Milestone Senior Services

(269) 382-0515 | 918 Jasper Street Kalamazoo, MI 49001

https://milestoneseniorservices.org/

- Provides support to seniors and people with disabilities to help them maintain independence
- Kalamazoo County
 - Nutrition services
 - Home repair and accessibility
 - Companionship program
 - o Home-based care
 - Behavioral health
 - Volunteer services
- Calhoun County
 - Nutrition services
 - Home repair and accessibility
 - Companionship program
 - Home-based care
 - Volunteer services

- Barry County, Branch County, and Saint Joseph County
 - o Home-based care

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at WMU

(269) 387-4157

https://wmich.edu/olli

Offers high quality non-credit programs for mature adults in the greater Kalamazoo community. This
volunteer organization, with support from WMUx, works with WMU emeriti, faculty and staff to offer
courses, events and trips year-round

Senior Living Facilities

Brookdale Senior Living, Portage

(800) 695-8600 | 3100 Old Centre Ave. Portage, MI https://www.brookdale.com/en/communities/brookdale-portage-mi-al.html

Assisted living community

StoryPoint Kalamazoo at Bronson Place

(269) 475-9887 | 1700 Bronson Way Kalamazoo, MI 49009

https://www.storypoint.com/community/kalamazoo-mi/?utm_source=gmb&utm_medium=organic

- Independent living, enhanced living, and assisted living options
- Rated a "high performer" in the <u>Long-Term Care Equality Index 2023</u> by the Human Rights Campaign and SAGE

Home Care Agencies

A+ Nursing INC

(800) 531-0272 | 1125 E. Milham Ave. Suite C Kalamazoo, Michigan 49002 https://aplusnursinginc.com/

- services provided in private settings
- nursing services
- hospice support
- home health aide services
- medication management
- chore services
- staff relief in care facilities

Advantage Private Nursing Services, Inc.

(800) 695-8600 | 524 West Centre Ave. Portage, MI 49024

https://advantageprivatenursing.com/

- household/general help
- home health aide services
- skilled home care and nursing
- rehabilitation services: physical therapy
- rehabilitation services: occupational therapy

National Resources for LGBTQIA+ Seniors

Transgender Aging Network

(414) 559-2123

https://forge-forward.org/resource/transgender-aging-network/

- Aims to improve the lives of current and future trans/SOFFA (Significant Others, Friends, Family and Allies) elders by through advocacy and providing information
- Self-help resource pages: https://forge-forward.org/collections/self-help/

The National Resource Center on LGBTQ+ Aging

(414) 559-2123

https://www.lgbtagingcenter.org/

- Independent living, enhanced living, and assisted living options
- Rated a "high performer" in the <u>Long-Term Care Equality Index 2023</u> by the Human Rights Campaign and SAGE

LGBT National Senior Hotline

(888) 234-7243

https://www.lgbthotline.org/senior-hotline

- Mon. Fri. 4pm-12am EST
- Sat. 12pm-5pm EST
- Confidential peer support, information, and resources for those 50 and above about unique issues concerning sexual orientation and/or gender identity/ expression