



2008 At a Glance

Community Services

Supporting older adults and family caregivers through information, practical help at home, and education

- 2,598 Calls for information and assistance
- 1,086 Older adults receiving service
- 168 Family caregivers receiving support
- 648 Family caregivers attending eldercare seminars

People helped

Type of service

- 327 Service coordination & assistance for senior housing residents
- 348 Homemaking/housekeeping
- 96 Visiting
- 77 Grocery shopping & errands
- 33 Respite for caregivers
- 126 Caregiver coaching
- 115 Outdoor chores



Transportation

Ensuring mobility and community involvement through accessible ride services

- 169,387 Bus trips provided
- 119,716 Trips by certified riders
(Certified under Americans with Disabilities Act)
- 3,867 Riders actively riding with DARTS
- 1,396 Riders new to DARTS
- 37 Buses in DARTS' fleet



Volunteer Resources

Engaging all generations in building community through volunteerism

- 396 Ongoing volunteers providing community services
- 591 Single-activity volunteers
(including outdoor chore and special events)
- 122 Learning Buddies and Pen Pal volunteers
- 51 Office volunteers
- 176 Ongoing community building/advisory volunteers
- 24,550 Hours of volunteer service



New Initiatives

river bluffs village
a partnership of community residents and DARTS

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