Senior housing resources

Local

Heritage Area Agency on Aging

From its "Housing and Transportation" webpage, this area agency can direct you to relevant information, referral, assistance, and counseling services.

The Housing Fellowship

The Housing Fellowship is a private nonprofit that provides permanent affordable rental housing in Iowa City, Coralville, and North Liberty. Its rental homes include single family homes, duplexes, townhomes, and condominiums.

Iowa City Housing Authority

The Housing Authority is a division of Iowa City government that assists low-income families to acquire and maintain affordable housing through rental and ownership programs. Assistance is based on federally established income guidelines. Individuals receiving assistance include those who are elderly and/or disabled and veterans.

Johnson County Affordable Housing Coalition

This nonprofit organization provides information on its website about a number of topics: home ownership, financial assistance for home repairs, rental assistance, obtaining furniture, manufactured housing, emergency shelter, and more.

Johnson County Livable Community (JCLC)

On its website, JCLC provides a listing entitled Housing for Independent Living. This listing includes a wide range of styles and services in housing and includes subsidized options.

TRAIL-AARP Johnson County Senior Housing Guide

Sponsored by TRAIL of Johnson County and AARP Iowa, this guide lists senior living facilities in Johnson County in several categories including independent living, independent living with assisted living, assisted living with memory care, and continuing care communities. (Current as of Fall 2020)

State

AARP Iowa

Use the search function to find "senior housing" information and you'll come across many resources.

Senior Housing Choices

Offers resources on many topics for older adults living in Iowa. Housing-related topics include senior apartments, co-housing, moving and storage services, and aging in place.

National

Caring.com

Provides information about many forms of senior living and caregiving and a search function that helps find options near you.

Senior Living

Offers tools and guides in the areas of housing, safety, health and care, and planning for older adults.

Senior Resource

In its "Senior Housing Choices" section, this site discusses the aging in place, reasons to move, and choices in moving and provides a tool for making cost comparisons.

Find Continuing Care.com

This searchable website allows you to locate assisted living, memory care, and continuing care communities in your area.

U.S. Administration on Aging, Eldercare Locator

This nationwide service helps families search for and find local support resources in a number of areas including disability, legal services, and health insurance.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

On a webpage devoted to Iowa, HUD provides information and links related to housing counseling, discounted utility rates, legal assistance, home repairs, reverse mortgages and related fraud, and more.

Village to Village Network

This national network embodies and supports a movement that aims to help older adults age in place. It links local "villages" across the country, nonprofit, grassroots membership organizations that provide social supports and resources for their own members. TRAIL of Johnson County is one of these local villages.

Where You Live Matters

This online resource, powered by the American Seniors Housing Association, was created to answer questions about senior living. It offers a downloadable guide on the subject.