

Heart To Heart Peer Visitor

The Heart to Heart Peer Visitor Program matches volunteers with homebound seniors to provide a friendly visit on a regular basis. Volunteers visit at least twice a month to provide the homebound senior with some companionship.



Phone Friends Telephone Reassurance Program

Volunteers make a 10 minute call to an isolated senior once or twice a week. The program's goal is to let isolated seniors know someone cares. It is a regular call between two people, one a volunteer and the other a senior in need of a friend.



Medical Transportation Program

The RSVP Transporters provide frail and/or isolated seniors living in Marquette County with a ride to their non emergency medical appointments. Occasionally this may also include a stop at the pharmacy to pick up needed prescriptions.

Many seniors living in our area do not have family or friends available to help them because of work schedules or living out of the area. As an RSVP Transporter, you will help these seniors access much needed medical care.



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Retired and Senior Volunteer Program
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Your Invitation to Serve

In Home Support Programs



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Marquette County Aging Services

Friends in Action

RSVP has three programs that offer services to seniors and their caregivers in Marquette County.

Heart to Heart Peer Visitors, Phone Friends Telephone Reassurance and the Medical Transportation program.

As a Friend in Action, you will find that in giving of yourself you will gain in return the satisfaction of doing



Non-emergency Medical Transporters

Requests for help with a ride to medical appointments are called into the RSVP office from local senior centers, home health agencies, and other senior service providers in Marquette County.

The senior who is need of a ride must be fully ambulatory and able to get in and out of a car on their own. Those who have difficulty walking long distances, with the help of the volunteer, may be able to use a wheelchair at the medical center or hospital to get to and from their appointments.

Volunteer Benefits

- Training opportunities
- Mileage reimbursement
- Excess accident and liability insurance
- Knowing you are making a difference in the quality of life for a neighbor in need!

