

<b>HARDEE COUNTY</b>	
<b>AGENCY AND DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>TELEPHONE, ADDRESS &amp; WEB SITE</b>
<p><b>CARES</b> Department of Elder Affairs preadmission screening program for nursing facility or alternative placement</p>	<p>200 N. Kentucky Ave, Suite 302 Lakeland, FL 33801 863-680-5584</p>
<p><b>Central Florida Deaf Services, Inc.</b> Fosters the development, improvement and growth of services for deaf, hard of hearing and late deafened people in Florida.</p>	<p>1415 Commercial Park Drive Lakeland, FL 33801 863-606-0800 TTY 863-606-0900 Voice</p>
<p><b>Elder Helpline</b> Accesses a qualified Information and Referral specialist who can provide information about services available for elders and their caregivers within the local community.</p>	<p>800-336-2226 or 813-740-3888</p>
<p><b>Hardee County Health Department</b> Offers primary care, personal health and related medical services.</p>	<p>115 K. D. Revell Rd. Wauchula, FL 33873 863-773-4161</p>
<p><b>Hardee County Special Needs Registry</b> Provides emergency evacuation services to elders and other persons with special needs.</p>	<p>863-773-6373</p>
<p><b>Nu-HOPE Elder Care Services</b> Community Care for the Elderly county lead agency. Provides case management and in-home services to qualified elders.</p>	<p>6414 US Highway 27 S. Sebring, FL 33876 863-382-2134</p>
<p><b>Legal Aid: Florida Rural Legal Services</b> Provides legal services for persons who would not otherwise have the means to obtain a lawyer.</p>	<p>P.O. Box 24688 Lakeland, FL 33802-4688 863-688-7376</p>
<p><b>Legal Aid: Heart of Florida Legal Aid Society</b> Provides legal services for persons who would not otherwise have the means to obtain a lawyer.</p>	<p>510 S. Broadway Ave., Suite 2 Bartow, FL 33830 863-519-5663</p>
<p><b>Wimauma Family Center</b> Provides medical care based on ability to pay.</p>	<p>5129 State Rd. 674 Wimauma, FL 33598 813-633-8489</p>