

Support Groups

Alzheimer's Support Groups:

Golden Living Center - Rib Lake.....715-427-5291
For families and friends of those afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease or other dementia. Meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at 1:00 PM at Golden Living Center.

Taylor County Commission on Aging.....715-748-1491
Medford, WI

For caregivers of those suffering from Alzheimer's Disease or related dementia. Meets the 4th Monday of each month at the Medford Multipurpose Room at 1:30 PM. Respite care during the meeting available through Black River Industries, Inc.

Grief Programs:

Hope Hospice & Palliative Care.....1-877-375-0919
Provides a 12-week workshop for those dealing with a death or loss.
Medford.....715-748-3434
Rib Lake.....715-427-3532
Thorp.....715-669-7030

Perinatal Grief Program.....715-748-8156

Resolve Through Sharing (RTS) addresses the needs of families who have experienced a miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth, or newborn death. For more information contact Memorial Health Center's Family Center at (715)748-8156.

Living Well With Diabetes:

Memorial Health Center Diabetes Education Center

Medford, WI.....715-748-5800 or 715-748-2121
Provides diabetes patients and family members the opportunity to access both education offerings and self-help forums. Offered the 2nd Wednesday of March – May and September – November at 7:00 PM in the hospital classroom.

Look Good, Feel Better.....715-748-8846

Program for women cancer patients to help offset appearance related changes from cancer treatment. Call for more information.

Taylor Made Support Group.....715-748-6209

Provides support and information for caregivers and those affected by Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease, stroke, and related illnesses. Call for more information.

Durable Medical Equipment

Provides durable medical equipment and supplies.

American Home Patient.....1-800-284-6639
Marshfield, WI

Apria.....1-800-337-3432
Marshfield, WI or 384-0088
Offers respirator services, too.

Aspirus Home Medical Equipment1-800-338-6121
Wausau, WI or 715- 847-2545

Home Medical Products & Services.....1-866-536-2525
Merrill, WI
Products available to purchase or rent.

Reliant Rehab1-800-386-4425
Marshfield, WI or 715-384-5425

Valu-Rite Drug Store.....715-748-4477
Medford, WI
Carries equipment such as wheelchairs, commodes, canes, walkers and bath benches.

VA Office – Courthouse.....715-748-1488
Medford, WI
Loans out walkers, canes, wheelchairs, raised toilet seats and commodes.

Walgreens Health Initiatives.....1-800-362-0436
Wausau, WI or 715- 845-9303
Offers respirator services, too.

Ombudsman

WI State Board on Aging and Long Term Care

Central Office.....1-800-815-0015
An Ombudsman protects and promotes the rights of long-term care consumers, working with residents and their families to achieve quality care and quality of life. Services are provided at no charge.