

History of ADRC

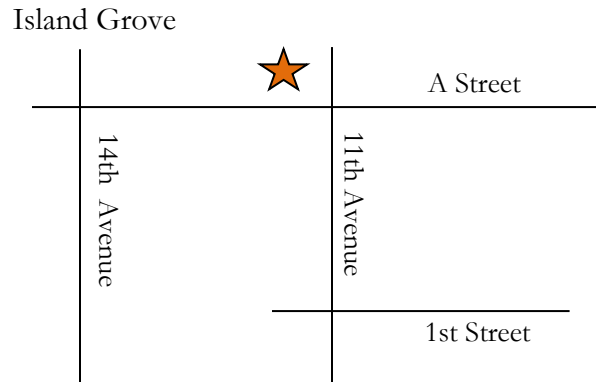
The Aging and Disability Resource Center Program (ADRC), a collaborative effort of the Administration on Aging (AoA) and the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), is designed to streamline access to long-term care services and supports for consumers 60 years of age and older, consumers 18 years of age and older with a disability, and their families, regardless of income.

In October of 2005, the Colorado Department of Human Services obtained a federal grant to design and start the implementation process of Aging and Disability Resource Centers. In Colorado, the resource centers are known as Aging and Disability Resources for Colorado.



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An Aging and Disability Resource Center



Helping YOU Make Informed Choices about your Long-Term Care Needs



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The overall goal of the ADRC program is to empower individuals to effectively navigate their health and other long-term support options. Assistance through ADRC is meant to streamline access to long-term care information and services. The ADRC program is available to people age 60 and over and age 18 and over with a disability that have long-term care needs.

Information & Assistance

Your Weld County ADRC Resource

Specialist is very knowledgeable about available programs and services to help meet your needs.

You can receive information on the following:

- Caregiver support
- Employment
- Housing assistance
- Legal assistance
- Long-term care facilities
- Medicaid/Medicare
- Senior Centers
- Social Security
- Transportation
- Veteran's Services, and many others....

Options Counseling

Options Counseling is a person-centered approach to help individuals gain an understanding of the benefits and limitations of long-term care support and service options. You can expect the following with your ADRC Options Counselor:

- Interview and assessment of needs
- Explore individualized options and resources
- Decision support
- Assistance in accessing services
- Action planning
- Follow up to assure service delivery and quality of care

If you or a loved one would like information on long-term care support and resource options, please contact us at:

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