



Adult Protective Services Activities Include:

- Making a face-to-face, unannounced visit to the adult with a disability
- Evaluating the need for protective services
- Working with the adult, family, and multi-disciplinary providers to secure needed essential services for the adult such as food, safe housing or medical care
- Planning with and supporting the disabled or elderly adult and the family or caregiver to identify, remedy and prevent problems that result in abuse, neglect or exploitation
- Reporting evidence of mistreatment to the District Attorney and regulatory agencies; court action is initiated as necessary to protect the adult with a disability

For more information about protecting older adults and adults with disabilities from abuse, neglect, and exploitation, please contact your County Department of Social Services or contact the

NC Division of Aging and Adult Services
2101 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-2101

Phone 919-855-3400

Fax 919-715-0023

www.ncdhhs.gov/

For access to other services and supports in your community, contact No Wrong Door at 1-888-892-1162 or dial 2-1-1 or visit www.nc211.org/current-initiatives



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