

#ksagingcareers

## ABOUT US

LeadingAge Kansas is the association of not-for-profit retirement communities, senior housing, nursing homes, hospital based long-term care units, PACE programs, assisted living providers, and community-based service providers throughout the state. Our association is comprised of approximately 160 members across the state of Kansas who serve over 25,000 seniors each day. For more detailed information about our association, please visit our website at [WWW.LEADINGAGEKANSAS.ORG](http://WWW.LEADINGAGEKANSAS.ORG).

Learn more about our workforce efforts at [LEADINGAGEKANSAS.ORG/WORKFORCE](http://LEADINGAGEKANSAS.ORG/WORKFORCE)

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- LeadingAge: [www.leadingage.org/workforce](http://www.leadingage.org/workforce)
  - Association of Gerontology for Higher Education: [www.aghe.org](http://www.aghe.org)
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# Careers in AGING SERVICES



Join a fast-growing workforce to care for seniors in Kansas!

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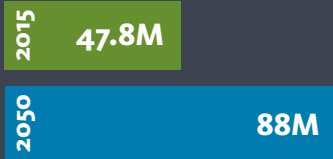


**Are you looking for a job** in an area that is growing rapidly, that needs people with a broad range of skills, that will improve people's lives, and that will be challenging, exciting and rewarding?

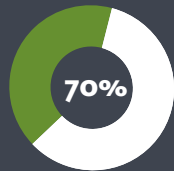
**Consider a career in the field of aging!**  
By 2030, the US will need 2.5 million people to provide long-term services and supports to keep up with the growth of America's aging population.

## A Rapidly Growing Older Population

The population of adults age 65 and older will increase from 47.8 million in 2015 to 88 million in 2050.



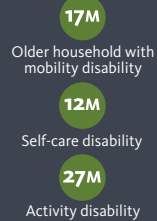
## A Growing Need for Assistance



The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services estimates that nearly **70% of people who reach the age of 65** will ultimately need some form of long-term services and supports (LTSS).



By 2035, the number of older households with disability will increase by 76% to reach 31.2M



## A Growing Need for Workers

The nation will need **2.5 million** LTSS workers by 2030 to keep up with the growth of America's aging population.



# What careers ARE AVAILABLE IN AGING SERVICES?



### ADMINISTRATION

- Nursing Home Administrator
- Housing Director
- Assisted Living Operator
- Home Health Director
- Hospice Director
- Independent Living Manager

### NURSING

- Registered Nurse
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Nurse Practitioner (APRN)

### HANDS-ON CAREGIVERS

- Certified Nurses Assistant (CNA)
- Certified Medication Aide (CMA)
- Rehabilitation Aide (RA)

### SOCIAL SERVICES

- Social Worker
- Social Service Designee
- Activities Professional
- Concierge
- Wellness Professional

### OFFICE

- Accounting
- Bookkeeping
- Human Resource
- Health Information Manager
- Information Technology (IT)
- Data Management

### FOOD SERVICE

- Registered Dietician
- Chef
- Certified Dietary Manager
- Server
- Aide

### ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

- Maintenance
- Laundry
- Housekeeping
- Groundskeeper

*This is only a partial list.*

