Arizona Division of Aging & Adult Services



State Agency Mission

Arizonans have access to systems of support that enable them to live safely, independently, and with dignity and self-determination.

Populations Served

- Older Adults
- Adults with Physical Disabilities
- ☐ Adults with Developmental Disabilities
- Individuals with Traumatic and/or Acquired Brain Injuries
- Individuals with Behavioral Health Conditions
- Individuals with Substance Use Disorders

Organizational Structure

The director is hired by a higher ranking official, but serves at the convenience of the Governor and oversees a staff of 295 FTE.

Local Network

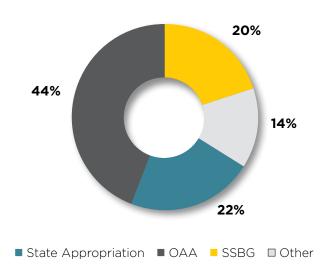
- 8 Area Agencies on Aging
- **2** Tribal Organizations

Top Five Agency Policy Priorities

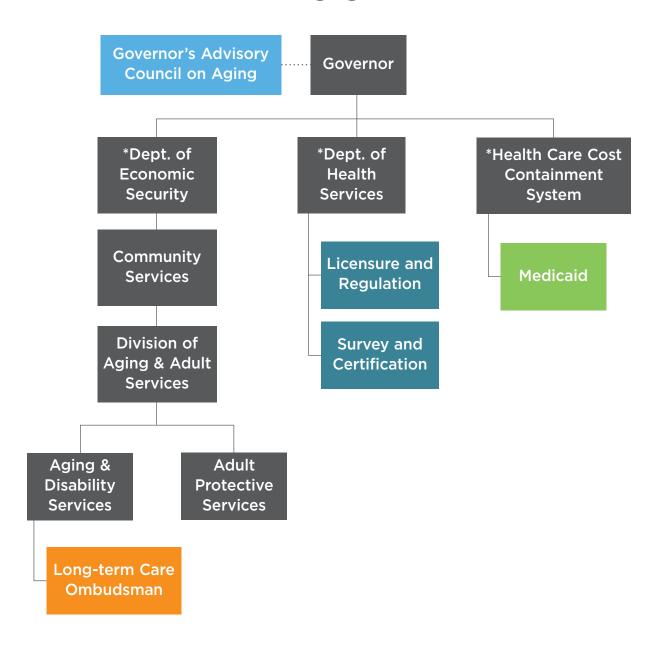
- **1.** Delivering Services Remotely during COVID
- 2. Workforce Shortage
- 3. Mitigating Social Isolation
- 4. Adult Protective Services
- **5.** Health and Welfare of LTSS Participants

Agency Funding Sources

Total FY2020 Budget \$70,723,253



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- Aging or Physical Disability Services and Agency or Division with Multiple Functions
- Medicaid Services
- Long-term Care Ombudsman
- Provider Regulation and Oversight

- Advisory Board
- Denotes an advisory board or a contractual/ indirect reporting relationship.
- * Denotes Cabinet-level Agency

Responsibilities of Arizona's Division of Aging & Adult Services

Aging & Adult Services	
Set statewide aging policy	1
Set statewide disability policy	
Administer Older Americans Act (all programs except SCSEP)	1
Administer Senior Community Service Employment Program	
Administer a state-funded aging & disability program	1
Manage state Aging & Disability Resource Center network	1
Administer the State Health Insurance Assistance Program	1
Provide Adult Protective Services (18+)	1
Provide Elder Protective Services only (60-65+)	
Operate state-owned institutional facilities	
Oversee guardianship program	
Serve as state guardian	
Oversee Centers for Independent Living	
Administer State Vocational Rehabilitation Program	
Administer State Assistive Technology Program	
Manage No Wrong Door system	1

Medicaid Services	
Administer Medicaid State Plan Services	
Administer Medicaid HCBS waiver(s)	
Administer PACE program	
Perform Medicaid functional eligibility determinations	
Perform Medicaid financial eligibility determinations	
Provide case management services to Medicaid recipients	
Administer PASRR	
Regulate and administer managed long-term services and supports	
Provide quality assurance for managed long-term services and supports	
Provide quality assurance for Medicaid HCBS	

Responsibilities for Provider Management	
Regulate institutional providers	
License institutional providers	
Regulate HCBS providers	
License HCBS providers	
Certify Assisted Living providers	

Key State Initiative

Arizona is currently working to reduce the number of enrollments on the Non-Medical Home and Community-Based Waitlist by 23% or 359 client enrollments by June 30, 2021.

