Aging Services Division and Nevada Commission on Aging

Agency History

Programs for the elderly in the United States were first authorized by the U.S. Congress in 1965 with

The Division was initially organized into area agencies for Washoe and Clark Counties, and a state area

The **Commission on Aging** is the policy making body for the Division and was estal

According to the NRS, the duties of the Commission on Aging are to:

-Determine and evaluate the needs of the older people of Nevada,
-Seek ways to avoid unnecessary duplication of services for older persons by public and private orga
-Establish priorities for the work of the Division according to the most pressing needs of older person
-Promote programs that provide community-based services necessary to enable a frail elder person,
-Establish priorities for programs funded under the Older American Act,
-Review and approve the State plan for providing services to meet the needs of older persons,
-Gather and disseminate information in the field of aging,
-Conduct hearings, conferences, and special studies on the problems of elder persons and programs
-Evaluate existing programs, recommend needed changes, and propose new programs that would ef
-Evaluate any proposed legislation that would affect older persons, and
-Coordinate and assist the efforts of public and private organizations that serve the needs of older pe

RECORDS OF THE DIVISION OF AGING SERVICES 66 cubic feet 1971-2003

Administrative Records 11 cubic feet 1974-2000

The administrative records include files of the division administrator and deputy administrator, corresp

The administrative records came to the Nevada State Archives at various times and from several sourc

Project Files 51.5 cubic feet 1971-1999

This series documents grants awarded to Nevada local governments, civic organizations, and private

Nevada Commission on Aging Records 3 cubic feet 1983-2003

Records of the Commission on Aging consist of Commission meeting packets. Each packet generall

AGING-0025 1983-1986
AGING-0057 1985-1988
AGING-0042 1989-1992
AGING-0066 1995-1998
AGING-0065 1997-2003
AGING-0067 1999-2000

Advisory Boards and Commissions 1 cubic foot 1973-1993

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The records of these organizations consist of some correspondence and meeting packets. AGING-0023