



How about you?

You've learned a lot in 60 years of living.
Don't keep it to yourself.

Share what you spent a lifetime learning,
and make things happier for others.

Become an RSVP.

It is the caring and sharing program
for the active, alert
60 year or older person.

What is RSVP?

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) began in September, 1973 under the sponsorship of the Washington County Commission on Aging. It is funded jointly by this agency and ACTION, Washington, D. C.

RSVP is open to all senior citizens regardless of income, education, ethnic background, or creed.

While in service, each RSVP is protected by a full accident and life insurance plan provided by the program. The volunteer may also be reimbursed for auto mileage and luncheons while in service.

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A friendly visit at a nursing home



Visiting patients at nursing homes



The grandfather adoption program



Planting flowers at a nursing home

RSVP Volunteers May Help By

- Friendly visitation
- Letter writing
- Reading
- Sewing
- Musical entertainment,
games, films
- Arts and crafts
- Adoption of a resident
- Escorting patients to and
from therapy, beauty shops,
within the home or hospital
- Mending library books,
filing, typing, stuffing
envelopes
- Income tax aid
- Helping school children:
 - Remedial reading, writing
and arithmetic
 - Rhythm band
 - Puppet and theater shows
 - Mapmaking
 - Mechanical and carpenter
skills
 - Cooking and sewing
 - Gardening

Volunteer Areas Where You May Serve

- Washington County Schools and
Early Child Development Centers
- Washington County Library
- Washington County Museum
- Washington County Detention Center
- Red Cross
- Boys Club
- Girls Club
- Western Maryland Center
- American Cancer Society
- Arthritic Foundation
- Veteran's Hospital
- Senior Citizen Nutrition Sites
- Washington County Court House
- And various nursing homes

The list of things to be done
is varied and interesting. Enrich
your life by sharing your talents
and helping others.



Learning is fun

Call RSVP at the
Senior Citizens Center
35 West Franklin Street
Hagerstown, Maryland 21740
790-0275
Monday through Friday
9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.