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**Alabama's
Network for
Aging**

Join today!

ALABAMA GERONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The **Alabama Gerontological Society** is a 501(c)(3) non-profit membership organization devoted to improving the well-being of older persons throughout Alabama.

AGS brings together individuals, service providers, educators, policy makers, students, and other individuals and groups who work in the area of aging or who have an interest in and concern for Alabama's elderly. A major purpose is to ensure that older individuals have the opportunity to be full participating members of society with all the rights, privileges, benefits and responsibilities that pertain.

AGS members are individuals or groups who have a genuine concern for the elderly. If you have an interest in any of the above referenced areas you are a candidate for membership in AGS.

AGS members are encouraged to attend the Annual AGS Conference or one of the many workshops offering continuing education for many fields of service. The Society is frequently involved with other organizations and individuals in order to provide intensive workshops and courses for educational and professional needs.

The Society continually recognizes the achievements of its members and others who have made significant contributions to improving the lives of the older Alabamians.

AGS strives to maintain constant communication with older Alabamians to assure that our direction and activities are aimed at meeting their needs and promoting their well-being.

AGS GOALS

To provide a membership organization in support of persons or groups who are involved/interested in education, research, service delivery, and leadership and supportive roles in the field of gerontology;

To stimulate learning and educational growth of the membership;

To provide leadership in addressing current issues in the field of gerontology, research, and other matters deserving attention;

To provide a system enabling those needing assistance in gerontological employment to have access to available openings in Alabama and the Southeast;

To identify groups that have similar interests and objectives and finds ways of working with them to achieve AGS goals;

To encourage and, when appropriate, initiate educational and training programs, including curriculum planning and design, that serve older adults and the general public; and

To provide a mechanism for transmitting information to the membership regarding the latest research, program development, educational opportunities, available resources and funding, idea exchange, and other information relevant to the purpose, goals, and objectives of the Alabama Gerontological Society.

AGS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

Please indicate New Renewal

Name _____ Title _____

Organization/Employer _____

Mailing Address _____ Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ County _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

YES, I would like to make a donation to the Margaret S. Odom Scholarship Fund in the amount of \$ _____
(Please visit our website to learn more about the Margaret S. Odom Scholarship Fund)

Please circle appropriate category:
Individual: \$30.00
Senior (60 and Older): \$10.00
Student: \$10.00

The following information is optional: **Age:** Under 55 55-64 65-74 75-84 85+ **Sex:** Male Female
Ethnic Origin: African American Caucasian Hispanic American Indian Asian

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