



## **1. What is the MinnesotaHelp Network™?**

The MinnesotaHelp Network™ is an integrated system of aging and disability experts that builds on our existing home and community based infrastructure. The network strives to provide the right information, for the right people, at the right time, by connecting community providers who may intersect with people who need long-term care help, raising awareness of consumer needs and training these providers in resources and referrals. The goal is that there will be no wrong door for people who need help to remain in their home and communities.

## **2. Where are the MinnesotaHelp Network™ sites?**

There are many community locations through out Minnesota that are located in places where people go when they need help. These may be: clinics/physician offices, workforce centers, libraries, faith communities, and community/senior centers or even local businesses, like banks. To find out how your consumers and clients can get assistance at a MinnesotaHelp Network™ site, contact the Senior LinkAge Line® at 1-800-333-2433 or the Disability Linkage Line® at 1-866-333-2466 to find the nearest location in your community.

## **3. How do I become a MinnesotaHelp Network™ site?**

Contact Senior LinkAge Line® staff, who are the lead for the network and work on developing Network sites. They can provide more information on how to become an access or outreach site in the network. Access sites have staff on site available to make referrals and receive training and support in specialized tools. Outreach sites are places that create awareness in their customers/clients that may seek resource information and result in referrals to appropriate resources.

### **For additional information**

**Online**      [www.MinnesotaHelp.info](http://www.MinnesotaHelp.info)®

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Veterans Linkage Line™ at 1-888-LinkVet (546-5838)