Area #1: Big Stone, Chippewa, Kandiyohi, Lac Qui Parle, McLeod, Meeker, Renville, Swift, and Yellow Medicine Counties

A variety of service needs were identified Adult Day Services, Chore Services, Homemaker Services, Respite Care Services, Companion Services, Evidence-based Health Promotion Programs, and Mental Health/Counseling Services.

What are the greatest strengths or assets for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?

- Community Caring/Cohesion
- Nutritional Services
- Religious Institutions
- Transportation
What are the greatest service needs for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?

- Respite
- Transportation
- Assisted Living Needs
- Companionship & Activities

What are the greatest barriers preventing the availability of the services in your city/town?

- Financial Constraints
- Town/City Size & Location
- Service Advertisement/Awareness
- Personnel

Area #2: Blue Earth, Brown, Faribault, LeSueur, Martin, Nicollet, Sibley, Watonwan, Waseca

The primary service needs identified for Area #2 included Chore Services, Homemaker services, Respite Care Services, and Companion Services.

What are the greatest strengths or assets for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?

- Facilities/Services
- Intangible Strengths/Assets

What are the greatest service needs for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?

- Socialization
- Transportation

What are the greatest barriers preventing the availability of the services in your city/town?

- Financial Barriers
- Language Barrier
- Service Advertisement/Awareness

Area #3: Cottonwood, Jackson, Lincoln, Lyon, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, Rock

The primary service needs identified for Area #3 included Adult Day Services, Chore Services, Caregiver Counseling Services, Respite Care Services, Companion Services, and Home Modification Services.
What are the greatest strengths or assets for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?
- Facilities
- Services

What are the greatest service needs for individuals 60 years of age or older and/or their caregivers in your city/town?
- Transportation
- Service Advertisement/Awareness
- In-home Services
- Respite

What are the greatest barriers preventing the availability of the services in your city/town?
- Personnel
- Financial Constraints
- Service Advertisement/Awareness