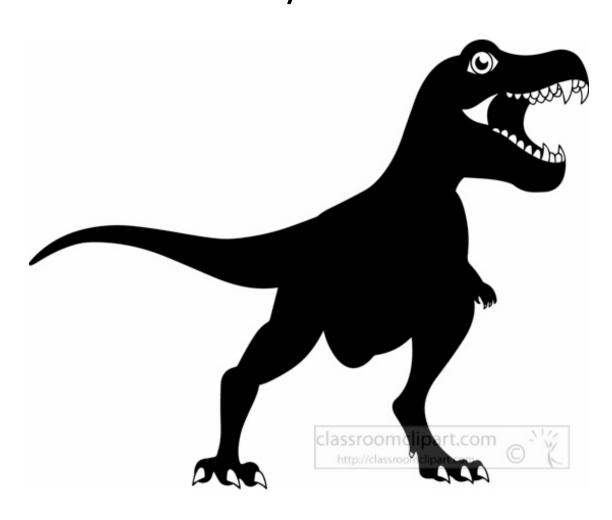
# MN Department of Human Services and Minnesota Board on Aging Overview: Request for Proposals

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# History – Before the term "home and community based services"



- Nursing Home
- Ramsey County Barb
   O'Grady Innovator
- Level of Acceptance
- Funding sources

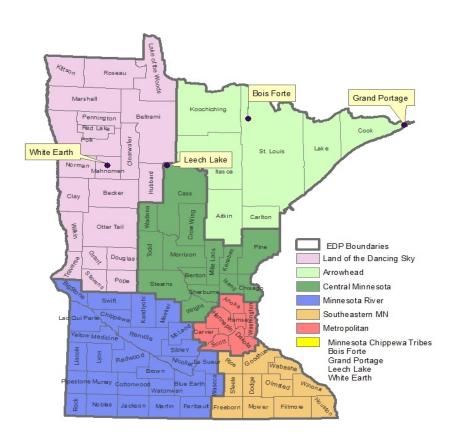
### My Role

Statewide ElderCare Partnership Administrator

Defined by State Statute-Allocation for Statewide effort Goal: Develop service delivery models that support high-risk, low-income adults 65+ and their caregivers to maintain their ability to live in their own homes as long as possible.

- Eldercare Development
   Partnerships' are effective because staff know their region
- Collaborative solutions among partners respond to the community's unique needs

#### Eldercare Development Partnerships



Eldercare Development Partnerships:

Land of the Dancing Sky
Arrowhead
Central Minnesota
Southwestern Minnesota
Southeastern Minnesota
Metropolitan
Minnesota Chippewa Tribes

Eldercare Development Partnerships

December 2015

### Live Well At Home: Grants Management

#### Manage about 90 LWAH grants includes

- Technical assistance for work plan/capacity building/processprocedures/sustainably
- Review grantees' reports
- Site visits

# DHS Two Upcoming Requests for Proposals (RFP)

- Live Well At Home MN DHS
- RFP release proposed January 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Responders Conference TBD
- Proposals Due TBD approx. end of February

- Dementia Grant MN Board on Aging
- RFP release about first week in March
- Responders Conference TBD (March?)
- Proposals Due TBD approx.
   early April

# DHS Two Upcoming Requests for Proposals (RFP)

#### Live Well At Home – MN DHS

- Develop and or Provide Services for Older Minnesotans to Live in the Community
- 65 and older
- At risk of long-term nursing home and or spending down into Medical Assistance (MA)
- Also interested in proposal to strengthen caregiver support and respite care network

### Dementia Grant – MN Board on Aging

Grantees to Provide Services, Education, and or Resources for Persons with Dementia and their Caregivers.

Seek proposals for regional & local projects increase awareness dementia, promote the benefits of early identification, increase rate of cognitive testing, or connect caregivers of persons with dementia to education and resources.

# DHS Two Upcoming Requests for Proposals (RFP)

Live Well At Home – MN DHS

State Allocation about \$7 million/year

**Grants can be one or two years** 

Fund programs/administrative costs/capital improvement

1:1 match required

**Examples** 

Dementia Grant – MN Board on Aging

State Allocation about \$1.5 million/year

**Grants for two years** 

Match may be required depends on amount awarded.

**Cultural Consultants** 

**Examples** 

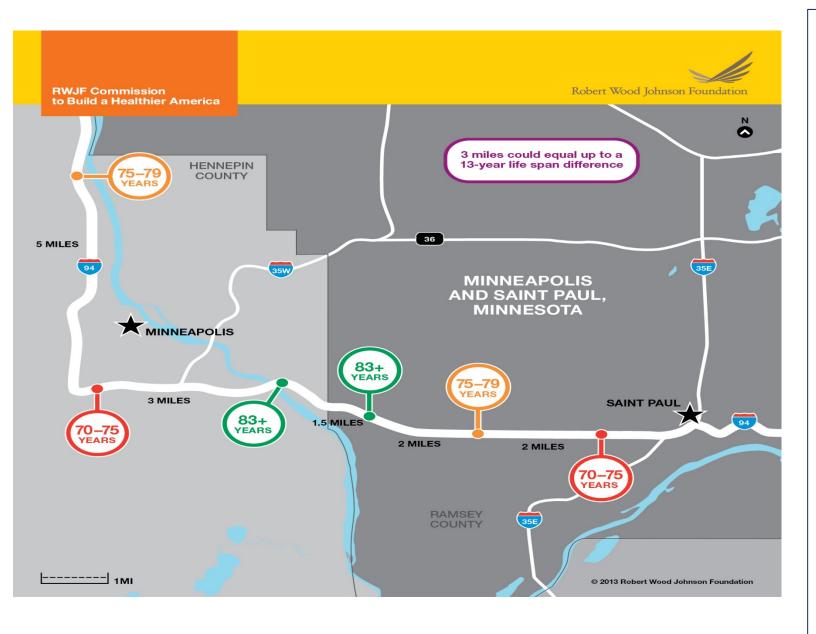
# DHS Two Upcoming Requests for Proposals (RFP) Details Matter

- 1) Live Well At Home MN DHS
- 2) Dementia Grant MN Board on Aging
- Provide required documents per RFP
- Review the Evaluation plan points assigned to each portion of proposal
- Reviewed and evaluation
- Contract negotiations
- Award announcement

### Potential Impact - Connecting to your networks!

- Who should consider this grant?
- Partnerships

- Consider Addressing Gaps DHS GAPS Analysis:
- https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/news-initiatives-reportsworkgroups/long-term-services-and-supports/gaps-analysis/



Minneapolis and St. Paul, MN

This map shows just a few miles can mean a 13-year diff. in life expectancy for babies born in Minneapolis & St. Paul.

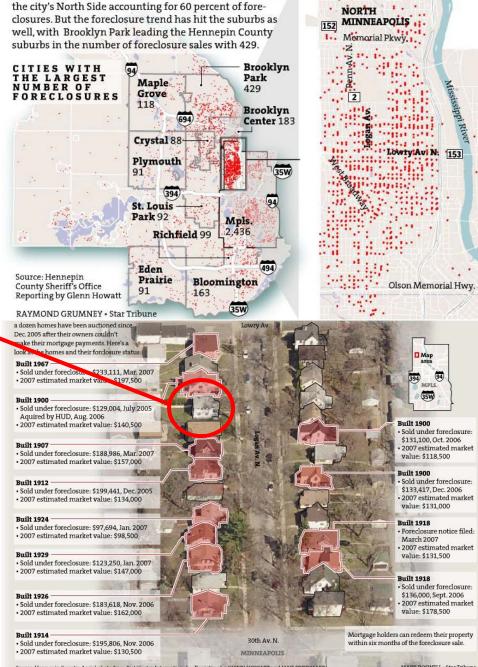


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Shelia Cranford looked out the window of her home on Logan Avenue N. Cranford said that she would like to move but doesn't believe she could sell her home for enough money to buy something decent elsewhere.

#### NORTH MINNEAPOLIS FORECLOSURES OUTPACE HENNEPIN COUNTY

Since January 2006, more than 2,500 Minneapolis homes have been sold at sheriff's foreclosure sales, with homes on the city's North Side accounting for 60 percent of foreclosures. But the foreclosure trend has hit the suburbs as



Community Caring Re-engagement



### Frameworks Core:

Not just what people think but how people think!

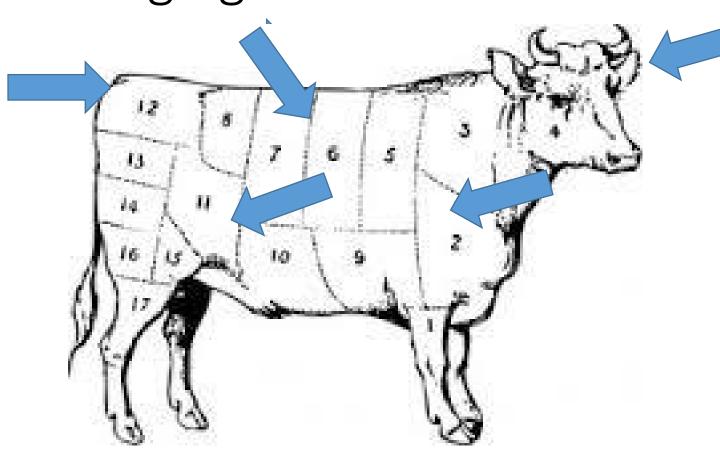
### Frameworks: Concepts behind research

- Social cognitive science
- How we think about aging
- What deep belief inform those views
- How media feed those views
- How we ask people to act on changing these views
- Improve the dialogue based on communication research

### Modeling our world

How people model their world matters-there are opportunities to shape/reshape the model .

### Diffusion: Each aging issue with a different story



#### **URLs**

### MN DHS Live Well At Home (LWAH) RFP:

Release of RFP – check State Register (sign up for email announcements)

 http://mn.gov/admin/government/ grants/

For general information/past grantees' awards

 https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-andproviders/grants-rfps/live-well/

### Minnesota Board on Aging Dementia grants:

Release of RFP – check State Register (sign up for email announcements)

 http://mn.gov/admin/government/ grants/

For general information/past grantees' awards

 http://www.mnaging.net/en/Admi nistrator/DementiaGrants.aspx

### "Alone we can do so little; together so much."

- Helen Keller

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