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Report for Common Council/Commission on Aging

Department of Elderly Services
Narrative/Key Indicators
February 2008

Elmwood Hall Senior Center

153 program offerings

Highlights: Best Life Diet Discussion Group, Native American Studies, "Go Direct," Spousal Protection in Medicaid Planning, Valentine Party, The Song Appreciation Group, What is the SweetHART Bus and How do I get a Ride?, A Day at the Beach Party, Slaves Who Ran Away, Ballroom Dance Party

Municipal Agent

136 office/phone appointments

Monthly Concerns: energy assistance, area subsidized and affordable housing, rent rebate, CT Prescription Program (ConnPACE), new and renewed applications, low income subsidy program for Medicare Part D, elderly benefits information, Medicare, Medicaid, Home Care Options, Medicare Rx Plans, Medicare Savings Programs

SeniorNet

Classes in progress:

- Computer Fundamentals
- Exploring Windows XP
- PC Introduction
- Email Made Easy
- File Management Workshop
- Internet Security Workshop

Van Transportation Program

283 one way trips