

## Saving Money / Financial Assistance National Resources and Websites

Organization/Person	Website	Services Offered
<b>AARP</b> - 601 E Street NW Washington, DC 20049; Tel: (888)-687-2277	<a href="http://www.aarp.org/">http://www.aarp.org/</a>	Offer a wide <u>variety of information</u> (including financial, health, travel, etc...) for saving money and finding services.
<b>Government Grants, Benefits, &amp; Financial Aid for Citizens - USA.gov</b> - Tel: (800)-333-4636	<a href="http://www.usa.gov/Citizen/Topics/Benefits.shtml">http://www.usa.gov/Citizen/Topics/Benefits.shtml</a>	An online directory of information for <u>federal financial services</u> such as renters assistance, low income home energy, Medicare, tax counseling for the elderly, student loans, veterans' benefits, etc...
<b>Mymoney.gov</b>	<a href="http://mymoney.gov/">http://mymoney.gov/</a>	A service of the U.S. Financial Literacy and Education Commission. Find valuable information on a <u>wide range of</u> money topics.
<b>Choose to Save</b>	<a href="http://www.choosetosave.org/">http://www.choosetosave.org/</a>	Visit this site to find a directory of information resources online, and learn about topics like saving for retirement, avoiding credit debt, etc...
<b>Smart Money</b>	<a href="http://www.smartmoney.com/">http://www.smartmoney.com/</a>	Website offers a wide selection of articles and tools concerning the topics of <u>saving money (ex. ways to save on grocery &amp; heating bills)</u> , <u>personal finance</u> , investing, and more.

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<b>Consumer Reports</b>	<a href="http://www.consumerreports.org/">http://www.consumerreports.org/</a>	Find product reviews, articles, and other <u>consumer information</u> . The library has a print and online subscription to Consumer Reports Magazine, ask a librarian for help in using this resource!
<b>Fuel Economy - Automobiles</b>	<a href="http://www.fueleconomy.gov/">http://www.fueleconomy.gov/</a>	Government website devoted to information about hybrid vehicles, <u>fuel economy</u> ratings, and other driving tips to save money.
<b>Elder Hostel</b> - Tel: (800) 454-5768	<a href="http://www.elderhostel.org/">http://www.elderhostel.org/</a>	Their mission is to provide educational <u>travel opportunities</u> to adults. Website and newsletter provide information about deals and trip packages.
<b>Amtrak</b>	<a href="http://www.amtrak.com">http://www.amtrak.com</a>	Offer <u>travel discounts</u> to seniors, children, veterans, & more. Click on the Hot Deals tab and then on the Passenger Discounts link to find this information on their website.
<b>Southwest Airlines</b>	<a href="http://www.southwest.com/">http://www.southwest.com/</a>	Offer <u>airfare</u> discounts to seniors and other discount promotions and packages.
<b>United Airlines</b>	<a href="http://www.united.com/">http://www.united.com/</a>	Travel programs geared towards seniors and college students can help you save money on <u>airfare</u> .

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<b>National Park Service</b>	<a href="http://www.nps.gov/fees_passes.htm">http://www.nps.gov/fees_passes.htm</a>	National Park and Federal Recreational <u>passes</u> are available at <u>discounted rates</u> for seniors.
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