



Aging True Fact Sheet

<p>About Aging True</p>	<p>Aging True (formerly Cathedral Foundation of Jacksonville Inc. and Urban Jacksonville Inc.) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization that provides seniors in Northeast Florida with the care and assistance they need to live independently longer. Aging True is Northeast Florida’s largest non-profit provider of senior services and a leader in enabling home-based senior independence.</p>
<p>Mission</p>	<p>To provide essential and innovative services and care for individuals, families and communities throughout Northeast Florida to prepare for and support graceful aging.</p>
<p>Services</p>	<p>Aging True’s professional staff work with seniors and their families to select the most appropriate program or combination of services, including <i>health, housing, financial, educational, nutritional and other vital areas of assistance</i>. Aging True is the designated lead agency of the Department of Elder Affairs for Duval County.</p>
<p>Impact</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Aging True services reach more than 6,000 Northeast Florida seniors each year. + The organization has served more than 150,000 seniors since its founding in 1962. + 95% of Aging True’s clients are kept out of nursing care facilities: Seniors who remain in their homes tend to live fuller, happier lives. + Research from the Florida Council on Aging shows that home-based and community care costs are on average \$49,580 less per year per senior than the costs for Medicaid nursing home care. Aging True’s services are designed to keep seniors in their homes as long as possible.
<p>Client Demographics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Most Aging True clients were born and raised on the First Coast + 55% female, 45% male + Average age is 78 years old + 60% are at or below the poverty line
<p>Interesting Facts</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + The oldest person served by Aging True is 112 years old. + January is the busiest time of year for client referrals to Aging True. + Hot dogs and baked chicken are the most popular meals served to our Meals on Wheels participants. + Total meals served in the last 10 years: 2.75 million. + Our 600-plus volunteers are primarily seniors themselves.

Leadership	<p>Teresa K. Barton, Chief Executive Officer Mike Ware, Chief Financial Officer Donna Melogy, Director of Finance and Operations Robin Pratt, Director of Finance and Operations Susan Evans, Director of Fund Development</p>	
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