WHEN IT COMES TO AGING WELL, WHAT’S THE PLAN?

10 things you can do to age with dignity and independence.

TO DO:

☐ Talk to your family about what’s important to you as you age.
☐ Create an “Aging Journal” that serves as the one resource for all your vital information.
☐ Make a list of all your medications, and update it as your prescriptions change.
☐ Give a trusted family member an up-to-date list of all your passwords.
☐ Do a “home audit” to ensure your living space is safe and comfortable.
☐ Write down all the people on “Team You” who can assist you as you need it.
☐ Make a list of the things you need help with, and ask for help if you need it.
☐ Prepare for the future costs of your own care by reviewing your finances.
☐ Keep your doctor informed about any changes in your health.
☐ Find out where your local senior center is—and pay a visit.

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