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Title IIIE Caregiver Support & Racial Equity: Caregivers of Color	and burden in a minimum of 10 caregivers of color that receive at least 112 paid respite service hours per year provided by qualified relative/ friend	Recruit and convene the Dane County Caregiver Advisory Board to be the workgroup on this goal area, responsible for design, pilot, testing, and then full implementation by December 2024. Create the internal or external systems for training other family relatives in proper respite care and processing of grants paid directly to individuals in order for other trusted relatives/friends to provide in-home respite care. Allocate Caregiver grant funds to support at least five Caregivers of Color per year for 112 hours of respites per year at a minimum of \$15 per hour.	AAA Aging Program Specialist & Caregiver Specialist AAA Aging Program Specialist & Caregiver Specialist AAA Aging Program Specialist & Caregiver Specialist & Caregiver Specialist		

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	On demand, personcentered individual transportation option(s) for Dane County older adult leisure/socialization activities from their residence that is affordable and available at least one time per month by 12/31/24. As measured by: (1) utilization of identified options; and (2) lower levels of social isolation on the UCLA three question social isolation and loneliness scale by persons using new	Research on demand transportation program options in other counties, states & countries and report findings to stakeholders. Select on demand model(s) to replicate, define approach/partners, and pilot. Reallocate existing funding or allocate new funding to support goal as needed.	ADRC Transportation Coordinator ADRC Transportation Coordinator ADRC Transportation Coordinator ADRC Transportation Coordinator		
	options at onset of use and annually after using the on demand options.				

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Title IIIB Supportive Services & Person-Centered Services: Transportation Services	Increased availability of group ride services for older adults to meet ridership demand while maintaining reasonable ride times to and from senior center programs for healthy aging and socialization beyond the senior meal program hours by 1/1/23. As measured by: increased ridership, reduced time in-transit, and increased participation in activities each year of the three-year aging plan from a 2021 baseline.	Educate stakeholders in the types of transportation funding available, how they can be used, what they are currently funding, and opportunities for additional funding for transportation. Provide methods, formulas, or calculation transparency of the allocation of existing funding each year as determined by ridership demand, not equal funding for all.	ADRC Transportation Coordinator ADRC Transportation Coordinator		
		Explore contracting with alternative vendors such as Assisted Living Facilities, Boys & Girls Clubs, Senior Focal Points, and others with vehicles to increase vehicle pool and availability for group rides.	ADRC Transportation Coordinator		