

AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITY INITIATIVES (AFCIs)

Age-Friendly Community Initiatives (AFCIs) are “*deliberate and distinct efforts across stakeholders from multiple sectors within a defined and typically local geographic area to make social and/or physical environments more conducive to older adults’ health, well-being, and ability to age in place and in the community.*” (Age-Friendly Community Initiatives: Conceptual Issues and Key Questions. Emily A. Greenfield et al. Gerontologist (2015) 55 (2))

Bergen County has 5 AFCIs whose mission it is to help seniors who live in the community age in place:

- [Englewood AFCI](#)
- Garfield AFCI
- [Ridgewood AFCI](#)
- [Teaneck AFCI](#)
- [Westwood AFCI](#)