

PROJECT SUMMARY

Many senior centers are proposing technology labs. These labs use a variety of methods with one common goal, to help seniors stay connected and be comfortable with using technology.

One additional benefit of the technolog labs is that they offer a place for seniors to apply for benefits such as SNAP.

HIGHLIGHTS

Find out what technology is most relevant to seniors. You may not need a full computer lab, but a tutor to show how to take selfies and post on Facebook! Or perhaps tablet computers are easier to use and offer assistive technology apps that can help in other areas.

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Our seniors LOVE playing games on the tablets. They play a lot of memory games which is very helpful for them.

CHALLENGES

Make sure to purchase quality equipment with the help of tech savy staff or volunteers. Nothing is more frustring than the WiFi going out while teaching a class.

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