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Hot Topics in Aging

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Attached is information on a new resource for wounded, ill and injured service members, veterans and their families. To access the National Resource Directory, visit www.nationalresourcedirectory.org.

Technology, Entertainment, Design (TED) began in 1984. This particular presentation offered by TED focuses on the increasing population of elders within the world and its impact on the number of individuals who are diagnosed with a neurological diseases, including Parkinson's disease and Alzheimer's disease. This is an interesting talk by Gregory Petsko on the topic of "The Coming Neurological Epidemic" and is accessed at
[:http://www.ted.com/index.php/talks/gregory_petsko_on_the_coming_neurological_epidemic.html](http://www.ted.com/index.php/talks/gregory_petsko_on_the_coming_neurological_epidemic.html)

AARP offers an article focusing on the value of caregiving in the United States. This article is accessed at; [Read the AARP report.](#)

The Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention offers information on a variety of topics including "Stay Healthy This Winter" which is accessed at:
http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/boh/heat_2008.shtml