

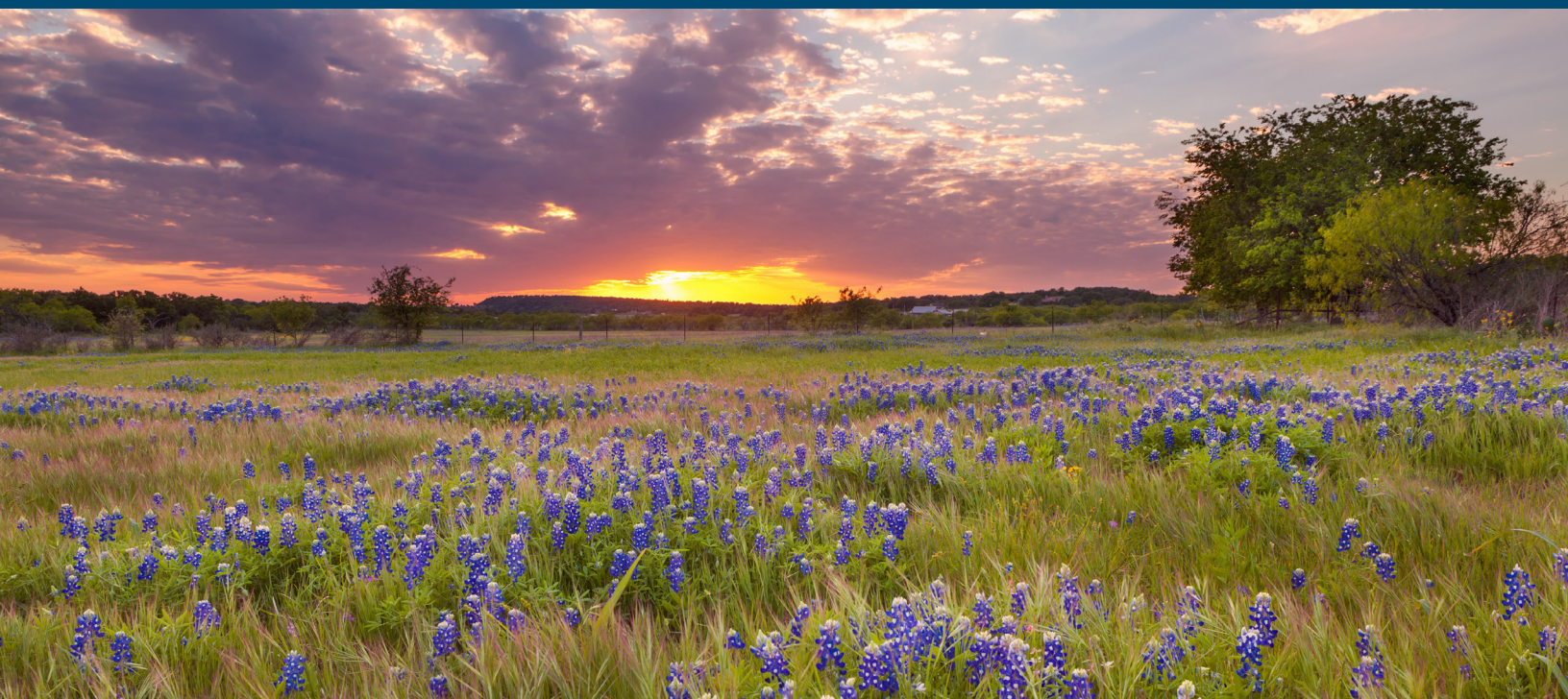
The Complete Guide to
RETIRING IN TEXAS



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AT GREAT HILLS

Choosing a new home for yourself or a family member is a significant decision, one that involves careful thought about location, lifestyle, and the availability of care. For many, Texas represents an ideal blend of vibrant culture, pleasant weather, and Southern hospitality, making it a premier destination for senior living. The state offers a unique backdrop for a fulfilling and engaging next chapter.

Our team at The Pavilion at Great Hills provides a comprehensive look at senior living in Texas, exploring what makes the state so appealing for an active retirement. We will also take a closer look at our unparalleled amenities, services, and personalized care options available, helping you understand how to find the right fit for your needs.



Why Should You Consider Texas for Retirement?

The Lone Star State has long been a popular choice for retirees, and for good reason. Its unique combination of cultural richness, diverse attractions, and a climate that encourages an active lifestyle makes it an appealing place to call home. Austin, in particular, has been named one of the “Best Places to Retire in America,” offering a special energy that has no age limit.

Discovering Austin: Local Attractions and Enriching Experiences

From the vibrant energy of its cultural centers to the tranquil beauty of its natural landscapes, Texas offers enriching experiences for every sensibility. Residents of The Pavilion at Great Hills are perfectly situated to enjoy a myriad of engaging ventures in and around Austin, with attractions designed for both individual enjoyment and cherished family outings.

For those with a love of history and art, Austin’s museums offer accessible, intellectually stimulating exhibits. If you appreciate the splendor of the outdoors, the city’s verdant parks and trails provide the perfect setting for leisurely strolls or active mornings.

Notable attractions include:

Bullock Texas State History Museum & Blanton Museum of Art:

Delve into rich historical narratives and world-class art collections.

Zilker Park:

Home to the serene Zilker Botanical Garden and gentle walking trails.

Lady Bird Lake Hike-and-Bike Trail:

A scenic path for walking or cycling in the heart of the city.

The Texas State Capitol:

Explore a majestic landmark of Texas history.

Mount Bonnell:

Enjoy breathtaking panoramic views of the city and surrounding hills.

The Domain:

Ideally located near our senior living community, this premier district offers sophisticated shopping, diverse dining, and elegant entertainment, placing residents at the very heart of Austin’s refined lifestyle.

Did you know?

Texas has no state income tax!

This is a significant financial benefit for retirees. It means that your retirement income, including Social Security benefits and distributions from retirement accounts, goes further, allowing you to allocate more of your budget to lifestyle and leisure.

Texas Flavors: Food, Culture, and Community

The heart of Texas is a vibrant blend of Southern charm, Western spirit, and rich Mexican influences. This cultural heritage shines through in its world-renowned cuisine, from the smoky perfection of authentic barbecue to the bold flavors of Tex-Mex. Beyond these iconic dishes, Austin stands out with its thriving culinary scene, known for its farm-to-table movement and diverse gourmet offerings.

At The Pavilion at Great Hills, we honor this culinary legacy through exceptional, restaurant-style dining available anytime. Our expert chefs thoughtfully craft menus using locally sourced, seasonal ingredients to capture the authentic flavors of Texas while ensuring optimal nutrition for residents.

Some key highlights of our dining experience include:

Fresh, seasonal produce for vibrant and nutritious meals.

Lean proteins and wholesome grains to support a balanced diet.

Menus designed to promote overall well-being and vitality.

Weather and Active Lifestyle

Embrace the radiant allure of Texas, where abundant sunshine and a consistently temperate climate foster an active, engaging lifestyle throughout the year. For older adults joining us from regions with more severe winters, the liberation from ice, snow, and the limitations of indoor living is a truly cherished benefit.

Our long, sun-kissed summers and delightfully mild winters invite countless opportunities to enjoy the outdoors. Imagine leisurely strolls through our beautifully landscaped courtyards, vibrant social gatherings al fresco, or enriching group excursions to discover local attractions. This continuous connection with nature not only enhances physical vitality but also cultivates a profound sense of well-being, allowing residents to pursue their passions and foster connections without interruptions from the weather.

At The Pavilion at Great Hills, our commitment to an active, fulfilling life, thoughtfully supported by our welcoming Texas climate, is a cornerstone of our comprehensive wellness philosophy.



The Pavilion at Great Hills: A Closer Look

The Pavilion at Great Hills is not just another senior living community; it's a new way of looking at retirement. Designed with a stylish, modern vibe, it offers the comfort and amenities of a boutique hotel combined with a profound commitment to your health and well-being. It's a place where you can live life as completely as you always have, surrounded by people who share your energy and interests.

Amenities and Services

The community was designed to inspire and surprise you at every turn during your retirement journey. The amenities are tailored to engage every side of you, supporting you in all the ways that matter.

For your creative side:

An art studio to explore your artistic impulses.

For your curious side:

A library for quiet reading and reflection.

For your social side:

A game room with billiards, a theater for movie nights, and beautiful outdoor courtyards perfect for BBQs with friends.

For your active side:

A fitness center with personalized wellness programs.

For your pampering needs:

A full-service salon right on site.



In addition to these amenities, a range of services ensures a convenient and worry-free lifestyle. These include housekeeping, laundry and linen services, transportation, 24-hour team coverage, maintenance, and an emergency call system for added security.

Personalized Care Approach

What truly sets The Pavilion at Great Hills apart is our dedication to a personalized approach. Upon joining the community, each resident undergoes a comprehensive wellness review with our Wellness Director, a registered nurse. This assessment helps determine the most suitable wellness level, ensuring that programs and services are tailored to each person's unique needs and preferences. This individualized approach is guided by the Salus™ Wellness Philosophy, which focuses on whole-person well-being—physical, social, intellectual, and spiritual.

Did you know?

Austin is a hub for top-tier healthcare!

The city is home to several nationally recognized hospitals and medical centers. Living at a community like The Pavilion at Great Hills provides convenient access to these facilities, with a Wellness Director on-site to help coordinate ancillary and medical services.



Our Continuum of Care

The Pavilion at Great Hills offers a continuum of care, ensuring that as your needs change, the support you receive can change with you. This allows residents to remain in a familiar and comfortable setting while receiving the appropriate level of assistance.

Catered Living: Independence with Support

Catered Living is an innovative approach designed for those who desire to live independently but want the peace of mind that comes with having support readily available. This option offers a unique blend of autonomy and personalized care, allowing residents to enjoy an active, engaging lifestyle while knowing an expert team is always there.

Catered Living includes access to all community amenities, restaurant-style dining, a robust calendar of social programs, and housekeeping services. It preserves independence and helps manage a budget for years to come, offering the best value in Austin.

Assisted Living: Support with Daily Tasks

For those who need a helping hand with daily tasks, Assisted Living offers the perfect balance of support and independence. Assistance is available for things like medication management, showering, and dressing, freeing you up to focus on the things that bring you happiness.

The community is designed to feel more like a stylish hotel than a sterile facility, with a vibrant calendar of events and regional cuisine. The focus is on helping you live as creatively as you always have, with a support system in place to handle the rest. With no large upfront costs and five wellness packages to choose from, Assisted Living can be customized to fit your personal needs.



Valeo™ Memory Care: Specialized Dementia Care

For individuals with memory impairments like dementia or Alzheimer's, the Valeo™ Memory Care program provides a secure and engaging neighborhood. “Valeo” is a Latin word meaning “to thrive,” and the program is designed to do just that by nurturing every aspect of a resident's well-being.

We learn each resident's life story and work closely with families to create a complete picture. This allows for customized programming that creates meaningful moments every day. Our approach focuses on four pillars: physical, social, intellectual, and spiritual wellness, with signature programs backed by scientific research to improve well-being.

The Pavilion at Great Hills is a pet-friendly community that recognizes the important role pets play in our lives. Our “Creature Comforts” program even brings gentle, four-legged visitors to spend time with Memory Care residents.



Begin Your Next Chapter with Us

Deciding on the right senior living community is a journey, and Texas offers a remarkable setting for it. With its vibrant culture, sunny weather, and welcoming spirit, it's a place where you can truly thrive. At The Pavilion at Great Hills, we combine the best of Texas living with a commitment to personalized care, stylish amenities, and a continuum of support that adapts to your needs.

We invite you to experience the difference for yourself. See how our focus on creativity, well-being, and individuality can help you create the life you want, with just the right amount of support you need.

Call us at (737) 258-4268 or schedule a guided tour today!

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