

The New Mexico AgrAbility Project (NMAP) is a partnership between NMSU, UNM, NMTAP and Mandy's Farm



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Are you, or do you know a farmer or rancher who may benefit from a no-cost farm site evaluation from NM AgrAbility?

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Purpose: the purpose of the NM AgrAbility project is to support success in agriculture for people with disabilities and improve quality of life through participation in agricultural production.



The New Mexico AgrAbility Project serves every New Mexico county with no cost services:

- Farm site evaluations
- Assistive technology assistance and information
- Referral to resources, and
- Networking activities to build value for New Mexico's agricultural community



Who We Serve

NMAP is prepared to provide support to farmers, ranchers, and food growers in all 33 New Mexico counties.

NM AgrAbility provides farm site assessment and other services to farmers and ranchers navigating a variety of health conditions or disabilities including (but not limited to):

- Arthritis
- Amputations
- Back injuries
- Chronic illness
- Changes in vision
- Hearing loss
- Intellectual or developmental disabilities
- Pain
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and other behavioral health conditions
- Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)
- Spinal cord injuries and/or paralysis

NM AgrAbility No Cost Services

- On-site farm assessments to identify barriers to completing workplace tasks
- Recommendations for assistive technology or adaptive equipment, tools, and devices
- Informational materials focused on farming with a disability and preventing secondary illness or injury
- Education, networking and training opportunities
- Farmer training and incubation through the AgrAbility Apprenticeship Program



Agriculture in New Mexico

With over 20,900 farms, 37,023 producers and over 39 million acres in production or pasture, the total value of agriculture sector output in New Mexico was \$3.99B in 2023.

New Mexico is a leading state in terms of growth in organic agriculture, in both numbers of farms and acreage. Additionally, New Mexico boasts a vibrant farmer's market culture in both urban and semi-rural communities.

Our economy relies on a healthy agriculture industry. However, working in an environment with high rates of accident, injury, and death, puts food on the table at a significant cost to those in food production.

NMAP works to deliver the resources and support necessary to increase safety, resources, and farming success for New Mexicans with health conditions or disabilities.