**Questions for Aging Parents Checklist**

**Health**

\_\_\_ What doctor would you like to see for regular issues/treatments?

\_\_\_ Does your doctor have permission to speak to me about your health issues?

\_\_\_ Where do you keep your advanced-care documents, or, have you written them?

\_\_\_ What sort of medical issues does your doctor project for you?

\_\_\_ How can we prep for your care if these issues arise?

\_\_\_ What would you like done if you are being kept alive through ventilators, feeding tubes, etc?

**Finances**

\_\_\_ Do you have a written will, or do you need one written?

\_\_\_ Would you like to manage your finances as you age, or do you have someone to help?

\_\_\_ If someone is given Power of Attorney, who will it be?

\_\_\_ Is there a way to pay your bills for you through your account if you are unable to?

**Living Situations**

\_\_\_ Would you like to grow old in your home, a senior care home, or in a hospital?

\_\_\_ If you are living alone, do you have Life Alert? Is someone checking on you regularly?

\_\_\_ If you are unable to live alone, would you rather live with family members or in professional care?

\_\_\_ How do you want your home maintained if you are unable to?

**Death Preparations**

\_\_\_ Would you like your body donated to science, cremated, or buried?

\_\_\_ Have you reserved a burying plot and tombstone?

\_\_\_ Do you have any funeral requirements?