Maine has a strong agricultural heritage that is part of our quality of place. Agricultural goods and services contribute millions of dollars each year to the local economy. Maine agriculture takes many forms including:

- Working the forest
- Farming the land
- Fishing the water

To support employment in agriculture, Maine AgrAbility addresses health, safety and the prevention of injuries in the forest, on the farm and on the water.

Maine joins over 20 other state AgrAbility projects and works in coordination with the National AgrAbility Project. Funded by the USDA, Maine AgrAbility is a collaborative partnership between: *University of Maine Cooperative Extension, Alpha One,* and *Goodwill Industries of Northern New England.*

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We work with owners, operators, managers, employees and family members of forestry businesses who experience barriers of aging, injury and chronic illness such as, but not limited to:

- Arthritis
- Ptsd
- Head injury
- Limb loss
- Heart conditions and stroke
- Spinal cord injury
- Hearing and vision related issues
- Back pain and injury
- Mental health issues

We network with agricultural professionals, providers to connect forest workers and their families with available resources. Services are available at no charge.

How Can LogAbility Help?

We offer practical solutions to help forest workers work safely and remain employed. We consult to business planning, equipment modification ideas, safety planning, community connections, support advocacy, education and training, and on-site assessment. These services include productivity, consultation services, and business workshops and seminars.

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