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Caregiver Homes is operated in Boston MA by Seniorlink, Inc.



Caregiver Homes is currently making placements with partners seeking community-based long-term care options that are afford-

able – including State Medicaid, Senior Care Organizations and PACE, Long Term Care insurers, and Departments of Disability and Elder Affairs. We also accept self-referrals and private pay participants.

Caregiver Homes is a uniquely qualified provider, with experience managing thousands of geriatric care cases.

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The Home and Care to make
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Introducing Caregiver Homes

The Caregiver Homes program was developed for frail elders and disabled adults who are at risk for nursing home placement and wish to remain in the community.

Caregiver Homes' participants receive 24-hour care in the home of a carefully screened and trained caregiver, who may be a family member. We make long-term placements, as well as placements for planned and emergency respite care.



Who is eligible?

Though eligibility requirements can vary a bit depending on the state and type of contract, participants generally:

- Require physical assistance with ADLs (e.g., bathing, eating, etc.)
- Require 24-hour supervision
- Need assistance with IADLs (e.g., transportation, meal preparation, shopping, medication management)
- Are not safe at home or are unable to return home due to personal assistance needs or functional impairments following illness

How it Works

Each Caregiver Homes placement is undertaken carefully and thoughtfully to ensure a positive experience for elders and caregivers. The program itself is uniquely designed to allow for one-to-one care and maximum clinical oversight.

Caregiver Recruitment and Screening

All potential caregivers (including family members) are carefully screened. Seniorlink performs: (1) a telephone interview, (2) application and references checks, including CORI, (3) a personal interview in the caregiver's home and (4) a home assessment.

Client Assessment and Matching

An elder who satisfies the program's eligibility requirements meets with a nurse case manager for a complete assessment of needs. A comprehensive plan of care is developed with input from all members of the elder's care team.

Based on the needs and preferences of the participant, an appropriate match is made with a caregiver (which can be a family member). We make every effort to find the best possible match for the caregiver and participant.

Placement

Once Seniorlink has identified a match, the case manager will facilitate an introductory meeting between the participant and caregiver (if they are unknown to each other). Family members are encouraged to attend this meeting. Prior to move-in, the caregiver receives training specific to the elder's care needs.

Ongoing Supervision and Support

A case manager provides ongoing supervision of the elder's status and the care provided in the Caregiver Home, including regular telephone communication and frequent home visits.

Caregivers record daily notes about the elder's wellbeing using Seniortouch™, an Internet-based application that enables other members of the participant's care team to communicate and view relevant information about the participant. The case manager uses the Seniortouch™ system to make any necessary adjustments to the participant's care plan. Clinical supervisors at Seniorlink use Seniortouch™ to provide an additional level of supervision and oversight.

Caregivers receive continuing education and training as needed to stay current with the changing needs of the participant. In addition, all caregivers are required to take occasional time off from caregiving, during which time respite care for the participant is arranged.

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