

# Waiver Program

Office Open Monday – Friday  
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

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## ELDER ABUSE HOTLINE

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## WHAT IS THE AGING WAIVER PROGRAM?

The Aging Waiver is a program administered in Montgomery County through the Office of Aging and Adult Services. This program provides extensive home and community based long term care services to individuals as an alternative to nursing home placement. It is referred to as a waiver program because services are funded through a special waiver of certain Medicaid restrictions, allowing payments typically used for nursing home care to be used for home care services instead.

Only older residents of Montgomery County who can be cared for SAFELY within a community setting are eligible to participate in this program.

A variety of in-home services can be provided through the Aging Waiver Program to meet an individual's needs. Our staff will work with each participant and their families to assess the participant's needs, develop a plan of care, and allow the participant to choose who may provide the care within the home.

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE AGING WAIVER PROGRAM?

A participant will be eligible for the Aging Waiver if the following requirements are met:

- *60 years of age or older*
- *Meet Medicaid financial requirements OR have an income of no more than 300% of the SSI level*
- *No more than \$8,000 in liquid assets*
- *Require the level of care of a nursing home*
- *Choose community-based services rather than a nursing home*

Once assessed and determined to be **functionally** eligible for the program, you will also be **required** to provide information regarding your income and assets.

**Your financial eligibility MUST be determined by the County Assistance Office prior to your involvement in the program.**

## What services may be provided under the Aging Waiver Program?

- *Adult Daily Living Services*
- *Community Transition Services*
- *Companion Services*
- *Counseling Services*
- *Environmental Modifications*
- *Financial Management Services*
- *Home Delivered Meals*
- *Home Health Services*
- *Home Support Services*
- *Non-Medical Transportation Services*
- *Personal Assistance Services*
- *Personal Emergency Response System*
- *Respite Services*
- *Specialized Medical Equipment and Supplies*
- *TeleCare*