

LONG TERM HOME HEALTH CARE PROGRAM

If you live in Oneida County and qualify for nursing home placement, perhaps you could be maintained in your own home with some extra support. The Long Term Home Health Care Program (LTHHCP) is designed to offer this support.

The Oneida County Office for the Aging/Office of Continuing Care and the Visiting Nurse Association work in partnership to provide a coordinated plan of care and home care service through LTHHCP.

- The decision for LTHHCP is made by you, your family, your physician and the professional health care team.
- Home care may be appropriate if you have relatives or friends willing and able to help and a home environment that is safe and secure.
- The cost of LTHHCP may not exceed 75% of the average monthly cost of a skilled or intermediate care facility in Oneida County.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

NURSING
PHYSICAL THERAPY
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
RESPIRATORY THERAPY
SPEECH THERAPY
AUDIOLOGY
HOME HEALTH AIDE
PERSONAL CARE AIDE
MEDICAL SOCIAL WORKER
MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT
HOME DELIVERED MEALS
NUTRITIONAL COUNSELING/EDUCATION
SOCIAL DAY CARE
SOCIAL TRANSPORT
PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM
RESPIRE
HOME MAINTENANCE
MOVING ASSISTANCE

TO QUALIFY

Be eligible for nursing home placement
Desire to remain at home
You must have your physician's approval
Have an assessment that determines the individual's needs can be safely met at home
Require case management and coordinated services
Require a waived service
Remain within a budget for Medicaid provided services
If you are Medicaid eligible, spousal or traditional, you must have approval for the LTHHCP from the local Department of Social Services

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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