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Assisted Living Waiver
Program, Contact
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**Assisted Living
Waiver Program**

**"Another Choice
To Call Home..."**

Providing Choices For Consumers

The **Assisted Living Waiver Program** helps Medicaid Waiver eligible individuals to reside in an Assisted Living setting.



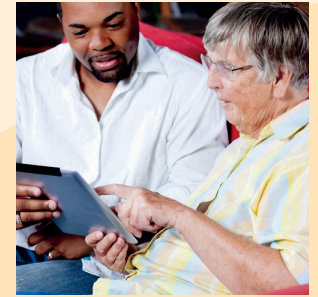
Eligibility

The **Assisted Living Waiver Program** is for those consumers who may otherwise have to enter a nursing home due to the need for a more supportive environment. If interested, a consumer must first be evaluated by our professional staff, complete required documentation and begin an enrollment process.

You Or A Loved One May Qualify If You:

- Have resided in a residential care facility but are now out of resources
- Are 21 years old or older at the time of enrollment
- Meet relevant Medicaid financial requirements
- Need assistance with personal care

The Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging can help determine if you are eligible. Please call us at 1.800.626.7277.



Benefits

The **Assisted Living Waiver Program** enables a consumer to access assisted living as an alternative to nursing home placement. Consumers leaving nursing homes are eligible for a one-time allowance to help with the costs related to moving into an assisted living setting. Consumers select from our list of Certified Assisted Living Waiver Residences that may meet their needs. Each location is based on availability. A list is available on our website at www.areaagingsolutions.org.

Consumer Costs

Once a consumer is enrolled in the **Assisted Living Waiver Program**, there is a monthly room and board fee based on the current Social Security benefit rate. The consumer may also be responsible for an additional fee called a liability. This is based on income and determined during the eligibility evaluation and is ongoing.

