The Aged and Disabled Waiver program is an alternative to nursing home care. The program provides in-home assistance with:

- Activities of daily living
- Areas of personal need
- Staying independent in your home and community



The ADW program can help you stay independent in your home and community.





For more information on the ADW program, contact:
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West Virginia Aged and Disabled Waiver (ADW) Program

The Program

The Aged and Disabled Waiver (ADW) program is an in-home care program for individuals who meet the nursing home eligibility level of care, but want to stay in their own home. Personal Attendant staff come to your home to assist with your personal care needs.

You must be at least 18 years of age in order to apply for the ADW program and be a West Virginia resident.

Application

To apply for the program, your doctor, a physician assistant or a nurse practitioner must complete a Medical Necessity Evaluation Request (MNER). This form can be found on the Bureau of Senior Services website at www.wvseniorservices.gov. If you have any questions about the application, please call 1-304-558-3317.



Services

The ADW program provides the following services:

- **Case Management**: A Case Manager is a licensed professional who assesses and identifies your needs, helps you plan for your care, and advocates for and connects you with services and resources in the community.
- **Personal Attendant**: A Personal Attendant is a trained care provider who assists you with bathing, dressing, grooming, eating, preparing meals and other personal care needs.
- **Skilled Nursing:** A Registered Nurse assesses your needs and supervises the care you receive from your Personal Attendant.
- **Non-Medical Transportation**: Transportation to community activities and essential errands is available.





Eligibility

When you apply for services, a Registered Nurse will contact you for an evaluation in your home.

In order to be eligible, an individual must have needs in at least five areas of activities of daily living. Activities of daily living include the following:

- Eating
- Bathing
- Dressing
- Grooming
- Mobility
- Restroom assistance
- Other areas of need

To receive ADW services, you must first meet the criteria for both financial and medical eligibility. To find out more about eligibility please visit www.wvseniorservices.gov.