

Program Title: Ohio Department of Aging Assessment

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Information about the program:

1. Assessors complete Long Term Care Consultation for individuals of all ages to discuss care options and referrals to meet their needs.
2. There is no charge for an in-home assessment to discuss your needs and options.
3. Assessor completes Assessments for Passport/Assisted Living Waivers and Non-Medicaid Care Coordination Program.
4. There is no charge for PASSPORT services if you are under a set income level. If you are over the income level, you may choose to pay a monthly amount determined at the time of enrollment or decline enrollment.
5. For Assisted Living Waiver the individual is responsible for paying a "room & board" rate and a possible patient liability amount depending on the individual's income.
6. Assessors complete desk reviews for individuals seeking nursing facility placement and have Medicaid payment.

Eligibility Criteria:

- The primary criteria for enrollment are age, level of care, and income.
- Individuals age 60 years and older for Passport and 21 years and older for Assisted Living and agreeable to participate.
- Have a physician's approval
- Meet financial requirements for assets/income
- Meet nursing home level of care (assistance w/activities of daily living)-All programs.
- Health needs can be met safely in the home
- Reside in a non-institutional setting
- Needs are not being met by current community services

Enrollment Process:

1. Assessor and program support specialist track status of case for eligibility criteria to be met.
2. Assessor orders Initial setup of services and enrolls the individual on to the PASSPORT or Assisted Living Program. Case Manager takes over and provides ongoing support after enrollment.
3. For AAA3 Non-Medicaid programs, Assessor will place individual on the waiting list and Non-Medicaid Case Managers monitor and enroll.

* For detailed information on Ohio Department of Aging services please see that program review sheet. *