



Elder Options, Inc.
"A Life Lived Fully Every Day"
Since 1988



Assisted Living Waiver Program

For Medi-Cal Recipients

The Assisted Living Waiver Program (ALW) is an alternative to long-term placement in a skilled nursing facility and is presently available to Medi-Cal recipients in Sacramento County. As a Care Coordination Agency for the ALW program, Elder Options conducts in-takes, establishes preliminary eligibility, conducts initial R.N. assessments, assists families in finding appropriate placement and provides advocacy and monthly face-to-face care coordination for all approved clients.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Full Scope Medi-Cal
- Source of Income (Social Security, Pension, SSI)
- Medi-Cal – no Share of Cost (SOC)
- Meeting the ADL/IADL criteria
- Wishing to move from skilled nursing to an Assisted Living Facility - Sacramento County
- Living in the community with the desire/need to enter Assisted Living

Elder Options is the oldest and most experienced Care Coordinating Agency, supporting the ALW program with Credentialed Care Managers since the initiation of the waiver as a pilot program. Our knowledgeable and helpful staff is well-versed in the program and can provide support to clients, families, and administrators.

Please note: Please note, the ALW Program is currently on a waitlist format for individuals who are transitioning from a community based setting. However, there is currently no waitlist for those transitioning from a skilled nursing facility. Individuals who are deemed in immediate risk and under the care of Adult Protective Services (APS) are expedited. Please contact our office for further information. DHCS wait times are subject to change.



Our personalized care management, home care, respite and assisted living services are designed to ensure a safe, happy and fulfilling "every day."



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