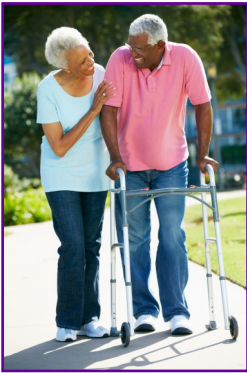


Is This Right For You?

- Are you NOT on Medicaid?
- Are you over age 60?
- Do you need or are you currently receiving, personal care services?

Cost Share

The Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program is a **Cost Share** program. Case Managers will work with the consumer to complete a financial assessment to determine the payment amount. Voluntary contributions are accepted for those not subject to a cost share.



The Consumer Directed Program offers the consumer a choice between receiving their services through a Consumer Directed Care Model or through a traditional model of care.

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General Information

The Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program, or CDPAP, is offered by New York State's Office for the Aging and is administered by the Onondaga County Department of Adult & Long Term Care Services, Office for Aging.

Program Goal is to provide services and opportunities to help a person remain in the community and live as independently, as possible, in their home. The services complement ongoing efforts by caregivers and makes best use of the consumer's personal and financial resources.

Program Eligibility Those eligible are consumers age **60, and over**, who need assistance with at least two daily living skills and are at risk of nursing home placement if assistance is not provided. There are income eligibility guidelines for participants. Program services are provided on a sliding scale basis.

Who Can Be a Personal Assistant?

1. Anyone can be a personal assistant including family, friends and neighbors.
2. A personal assistant must complete a background check, health screening, orientation and be on the payroll of an Agency that will act as the **Fiscal Intermediary**.
3. A person's spouse is **NOT** eligible.
4. A person's Power of Attorney or Designated Representative is **NOT** eligible.

CDPAP Includes:

- Personal Care
- Housekeeping Assistance

Services Provided

An EISEP Case Manager will be assigned to the consumer for the duration of the program. The Case Manager will assist the consumer in developing a care plan that identifies the services that may assist the individual to remain in their home.

If the consumer is unable to independently oversee the plan, they can select a friend or relative to serve as their **Designated Representative**.

How Do I Get Started?

Call the Onondaga County, Department of Adult & Long Term Care Services, Office for Aging, Expanded In-Home Services for the Elderly Program (EISEP) at:

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