



# OPTIONS PROGRAM



## **Provides supplemental services to help seniors remain safely in their homes**

OPTIONS services are provided to eligible consumers aged 60+ to assist them in maintaining independence at the highest level of functioning in the community and help delay the need for more costly care/services. All other resources (individual, local, state and/or federal) shall be considered and utilized before OPTIONS services are provided.

### **The BASICS:**

- \*Age 60 and over
- \*Assessment required to determine the Individual's **Needs**
- \*Includes verification of last year's income & current assets
- \*Not an entitlement
- \***Services** based on needs determined by the assessment
- \*Cannot be on any Waiver or LIFE program
- \*Copays may be required in some cases



### **AVAILABLE ASSISTANCE:**

- \*Care Management service provided for all
- \*Includes annual reassessments, quarterly visits and phone calls as needed
- \*Based on determined need services include:
  - \*Personal Care (bathing, dressing, incontinence care)
  - \*Adult Day Service (attend a supervised day program)
  - \*Respite care (provides a short break for caregiver)
  - \*Home Support (light housekeeping, laundry, shopping)
  - \*In Home Meals
  - \*Medical equipment and supplies
  - \*Personal Emergency Response System

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