

Will Medicare Cover My Care?

Coordinating doctor care, home health care and Medicare or insurance coverage is a long “To Do” list. We can help. We’ll work with you to get your claim Medicare certified or to obtain insurance approvals, report to your doctor about your progress and most important, get you back to your life.

To qualify for Medicare, you must meet four criteria:

1. Your doctor must prescribe home health care.
2. You must be “confined to the home” with a condition that creates a “normal inability” to leave home and/or leaving home requires “a considerable and taxing effort.”
3. You must need intermittent/part time skilled nursing care, physical therapy or speech language pathology services care (as opposed to fulltime care, which is not covered by Medicare for home health).
4. Your home health care agency must be Medicare certified.

No patient will be excluded from services by the agency due to gender, race, ancestry, national origin or disability.

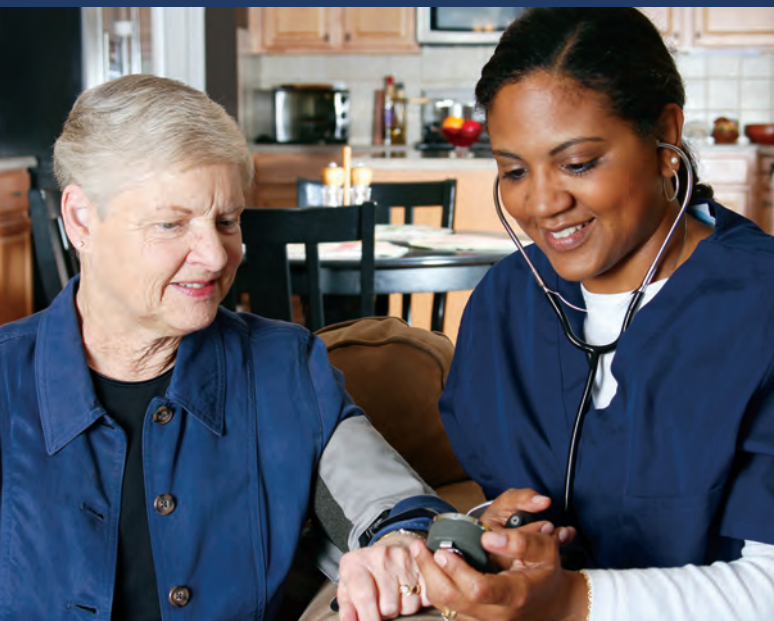


Going above and beyond
for you!

*It's in
our
touch.*



Choose home health care *before* you need it . . .



Our services include:

- **Skilled Nursing Care** that includes cardiac, wound, catheter and diabetes care; diet instruction, bandage changes, injections, intravenous therapy, medication monitoring, pain management, patient and family education, patient assessment and monitoring, and rehabilitation.
- **Physical Therapy** to regain balance, range of motion and strength.
- **Occupational Therapy** to help patients improve in daily tasks.
- **Medical Social Workers** provide social and emotional counseling and help locate financial and other community resources.
- **Home Health Aids** assist with personal care, such as bathing, toileting, dressing and ambulation.
- **Community Health Workers** provide resources and education to help patients live more independently.

It's your home – and your recovery. The law states that how you manage both is *your choice*.

For more than 30 years, more than 42,000 patients, the doctors and case managers across the Lower Shore have trusted Peninsula Home Care. Our award-winning staff helps patients recover to their full potential –always with care and a gentle touch.

The best time to look for home health care is before you have a need – but you can't always predict that! That is why Peninsula offers our 24 hour admission promise. Our accredited nursing staff will evaluate your needs, confer with your doctor and organize the services you need.

We also provide resources to caregivers to make informed decisions and offer a smooth transition.

You have the right to choose your home health care...

...Choose Peninsula Home Care!

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