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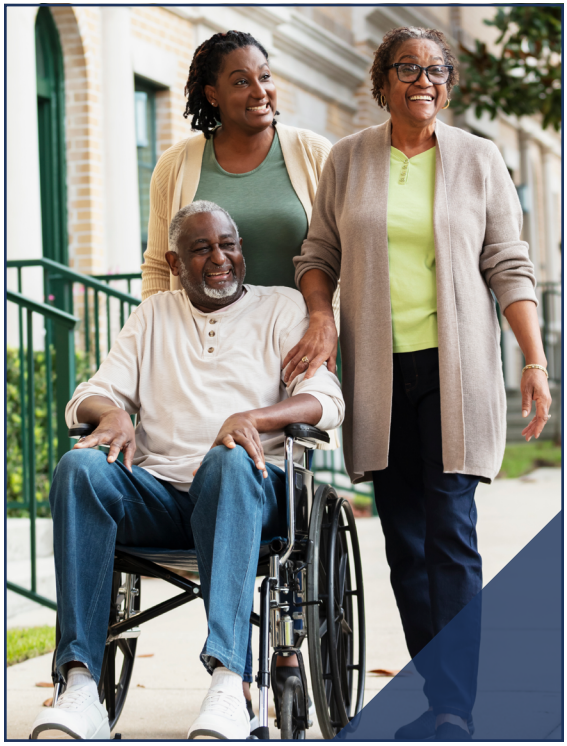

Enhancing Community Options for New Jersey Seniors

NEW JERSEY HUMAN SERVICES

DoAS
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A Program of the NJ Department of Human Services, Division of Aging Services

About JACC

Jersey Assistance for Community Caregiving is a program that provides in-home services to seniors at risk of placement in a nursing home. JACC includes an array of services designed to supplement the assistance given by the individual's caregiver network. There are a number of service options available to meet the participant's care needs.

By designing service plans uniquely tailored to the individual, JACC works to enhance the individual's community care options. JACC also strengthens the ability of caregivers to continue in their vital role as primary support providers.









Who Qualifies for JACC?

A New Jersey resident age 60 and older who:

- requires a nursing facility level of care but wishes to remain at home;
- is not participating in MLTSS (Managed Long Term Services and Supports) or other NJ FamilyCare programs;
- is not or will switch from participating in another state-funded program, such as PASP, Statewide Respite Care Program, or Alzheimer's Adult Day Services Program;
- has resources at or below $40,000 for an individual or $60,000 for a couple;
- is a US citizen or qualified permanent resident;
- has no alternate means to obtain the needed support; and
- lives in the community and not in a licensed care facility, such as assisted living, a nursing home, or a Class C boarding home.

Where to Apply

All applications are processed through your local New Jersey County Aging and Disability Resource Connection.

Cost

JACC has a copay that is based on an individual's income.



Find Information at:
www.nj.gov/humanservices/doas/services/a-k/jacc/

Or call the
Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC)
1-877-222-3737

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How JACC Works

JACC participants work together with a care manager to develop a plan of care to best meet their needs. The care manager works with the participant to ensure that services are delivered as planned.

Based on the results of a clinical assessment, the plan of care is developed collaboratively by the participant and their care manager. All JACC participants receive care management services.

The participant and the JACC care manager talk monthly. Any changes to the plan of care can be made at that time. The care manager visits the participant quarterly in their home.

By providing a uniquely designed package of supports for the individual, JACC delays or prevents placement in a nursing home.

JACC Services

- Care Management
- Personal Emergency Response System
- Respite Care
- Home Delivered Meal Service
- Home Modification
- Adult Day Care
- Incontinence and Care Supplies
- Personal Care

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