HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

The Richmond County Aging Services provides this program for Richmond County through Home and Community Care Block Grant Funding.

- Individuals are given the opportunity to contribute so our services can be expanded to those in need.
- Consumer Contributions are voluntary and No One is turned away because of their inability to pay.
- Our cost to provide this service is $20.47 per hour. Keep in mind this is not what the Aide's make nor what you have to pay. Your contribution is confidential and the amount you give is up to you.

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How to Apply:

There are a few easy ways to apply.

- You can visit our website at www.richmondnc.com/340/Apply-for-Services to apply online
- You can stop by the Rockingham Senior Center at 225 S. Lawrence Street, Rockingham, NC (Beside the Rockingham Fire Department)
- Or Mail your referral to the Rockingham Senior Center. Make sure you include your Name, address, last 4 digits of your social, phone number, birth date and why you need the service.

Mailing address:

R.C.A.S

225 S. Lawrence Street

Rockingham, NC 28379

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We are always available for questions, simply contact:
Sharon Morrison,
In-Home Aide Supervisor
Or
Jacqueline Welch, Executive Director
910-997-4491

RICHMOND COUNTY AGING SERVICES

In-Home Aide Services Program

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Monday –Thursday 7:30 am -6:30 pm
Friday— 8 am–5 pm

WHAT IS IN-HOME AIDE SERVICES?

In-Home Aide Services Level I are intended to assist individuals and their families with attaining and maintaining independence, and improving quality of life. It is the intent of In-Home Aide Services to provide home management assistance to an individual to remain in their home as long as possible. The program also provides caregivers assistance for those who need relief from constant caring for the Senior.

How the Program Works?

- You must meet the eligibility requirements listed.

- You must submit your application or referral (See back side for details)

- After eligibility is determined, you will be added to the waiting list. When a slot becomes available you will be assigned to one of our in-home aides that is in your area.

Eligibility Requirements

1. Eligibility is not based on clients income.

2. Must be 60 or older.

3. A Richmond County resident living in your own home.

4. Must have unmet home management needs for the following reasons:

- Unable to carry out one (1) or more tasks essential to instrumental activities of daily living **(IADL's)**.

5. Person needs help with these tasks in order to remain in his/her own home.

6. No responsible person is available to perform these tasks or the primary caregiver needs relief.

In-Home Aides can assist with the following tasks:

- *Light housekeeping (sweeping/mopping, vacuuming, dusting, wash dishes, laundry, change bed linens.*

- *Essential shopping (groceries and picking up medications)*

After service begins, we follow-up with our clients frequently to ensure their satisfaction & that the services are being given to the highest quality.

In-home Aides are **NOT** allowed to do the following tasks:

- Take clients anywhere
- Pet Care
- Yard Maintenance
- Home Repairs
- Heavy Duty Cleaning