





# Oklahoma's Living Choice

YOUR HOME • YOUR COMMUNITY • YOUR CHOICE

## What is Oklahoma's Living Choice?

Oklahoma's Living Choice is a program designed to transform the long-term care system by promoting community-based services instead of institutional ones. It assists individuals in transitioning from nursing homes back into their own residence. Living Choice has helped more than 900 Oklahomans reclaim their independence.

## **Services Offered**

#### Depending on an individual's needs, services may include:

- · Assistance finding a new residence
- · Home-delivered meals
- Transportation
- · Skilled nursing
- Physical therapy
- · Personal care
- · Medication management
- Transitional funds up to \$2,400 to help facilitate the move

### · Daily Living Supports

- Habilitation Training
  Specialist Services
- · Supported Employment
- Prevocational Services

## **Refer a Candidate**

Anyone can refer a potential candidate to Living Choice. Information required for referral include the individual's name, address, phone number and SoonerCare (Medicaid) ID number. To access the online referral form, visit **oklahoma.gov/ohca/Itssreferral.html**.

## **Eligibility**

#### To qualify, individuals must meet the following requirements:

- · Be at least 19 years of age.
- Qualify for SoonerCare (Oklahoma's Medicaid program) for at least one day prior to transition.
- Have lived in an institutional setting (nursing home) for at least 60 consecutive days.
- · Voluntarily want to transition back into the community.
- · Be willing to play an active role in their plan of care.

## **Populations Served**

## Living Choice is currently serving three groups:

- · SoonerCare members ages 65 and older
- SoonerCare members ages 19-64 with a physical disability
- · SoonerCare members ages 19 and older with an intellectual disability

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