



State of Nevada

Aging and Disability Services Division

www.aging.state.nv.us

Disability Services

Personal Assistance Services (PAS) ~ This program provides in-home assistance with tasks including bathing, toileting and eating. Any adult with a severe disability that causes a need for assistance, and who lacks an alternative PAS funding source is eligible.

To access this program, call (775) 687-4210.

Home/Vehicle Modifications and Other Equipment ~ The Assistive Technology for Independent Living (AT for IL) Program provides home and/or vehicle modifications and various kinds of durable medical equipment and assistive technology equipment, which can help a person live more independently. Eligible individuals must have a disability that causes a substantial functional limitation, and lack other resources to meet their needs.

To access the AT for IL Program, call (775) 829-2273, extension 108 in Northern Nevada or (702) 333-1038 in Southern Nevada.

Traumatic Brain Injury Rehabilitation ~ Comprehensive, post-acute rehabilitation and family support is available for those who have suffered a brain injury. Applicants typically need a payer source (Medicaid, health insurance, etc.) to fund their services, but some free assistance is available on a limited basis.

Contact the Nevada Community Enrichment Program at (702) 259-1903.

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Advocacy ~ Advocacy is provided to people who are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired and who need help accessing public assistance or social service programs. Nevadans who have a communication disability and need assistance to access medical, educational, vocational, Social Security or other services are eligible.

To access this program, call (775) 355-8994 V/TTY in Northern Nevada or (702) 363-3323 V/TTY in Southern Nevada.

Telecommunications Services ~ Relay services, over the Internet and telephone system, enable people with communication disabilities to talk with standard telephone users, via a relay operator. The program also offers free telecommunications equipment (like TTYs and amplified phones), as well as training in the use of relay services and related equipment.

Relay Nevada can be accessed by anyone needing to communicate with someone who has a speech or hearing disability, by dialing 711 from anywhere in Nevada. Any person with a documented communication disability is eligible to receive free or discounted communications equipment by calling (775) 355-8994 V/TTY in Northern Nevada or (702) 363-3323 V/TTY in Southern Nevada.

For more information regarding the varied Relay services, go to www.relaynevada.com

Financial Loans for Assistive Devices ~ Financial loans are available for the purchase of assistive devices, such as medical equipment, home modifications or vehicle modifications, which make it easier to live with a disability. The loans tend to have greater flexibility and lower interest rates than standard bank loans. Individuals who have a disability which requires an assistive device for improved functioning or independence are eligible. Applicants generally need good, but not necessarily great, credit and the ability to repay their loan.

To access the CARE Loan Program statewide, call (775) 829-2273.

Prescription Assistance for People with Disabilities ~ For people eligible for Medicare, this program can provide help with the cost of insurance premiums for the Medicare Part-D prescription drug program. For those not eligible for Medicare, the program can provide prescription drug coverage with affordable co-payments. Eligible applicants are between ages 18 and 61, have a verifiable disability, have lived in Nevada continuously for the past 12 months, and have income no higher than \$26,054 (for singles) or \$34,731 (for couples).

To access this program, call (866) 303-6323 (toll free) and choose option #7.

Autism Services for Children ~ For children age 0-19, financial assistance for home-based behavioral intervention is available. Services supported by peer-reviewed clinical evidence are funded, and families are provided a monthly allowance to fund needed services. Beginning January 2011, state law requires many health insurance plans to also fund Autism therapy.

For more information or to apply, call (775) 687-4210.

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