

EISEP

Expanded In-Home Services for the Elderly Program

WHEN THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

"I remember when I came home from the hospital after I broke my hip. How was I going to manage by myself? I was so scared because I was alone. I couldn't get around like I used to. I only needed a little help with my housework."

"Mom is at the point where she needs more care than we can give. I'm afraid that if we don't find help, a nursing home may be the only alternative. The saddest thing is she's not ready for a nursing home. All she really needs is help with her shower."

If these stories sound familiar, maybe EISEP can help. EISEP provides subsidized services to frail older persons who need help to stay at home.

CASE MANAGEMENT:

A case manager helps older persons and their families determine what help is needed, develop a comprehensive care plan, and arrange/monitor services.

IN-HOME SERVICES:

◆ Housekeeping (light cleaning/laundry/meal prep) ◆ Personal Care (bathing/dressing)

What is EISEP? EISEP is a NYS program designed to assist older persons who need minimal assistance with housekeeping and personal care. EISEP services help frail older persons to remain independent in their homes.

Who is eligible? EISEP clients must be Monroe County residents, at least 60 years of age, who need assistance in their activities of daily living. An assessment determines if EISEP services are appropriate. Persons who are eligible to receive the same or similar services under Medicare, Medicaid, or any government program are not eligible for EISEP services.

Is there a fee? Depending on client's monthly income, services may be provided at no cost share or on a cost share basis. Case Management services are provided free, but donations are welcomed.

Appointments: To arrange for an assessment, call **262-7060**. Basic information will be taken over the telephone and then a case manager will conduct the assessment in the home.

Case Management in Monroe County is provided by either of the following agencies:

- Catholic Family Center
- Jewish Family Service
- Urban League of Rochester
- LIFESPAN

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