

***THERE'S NO  
PLACE  
LIKE HOME!***



**WARREN COUNTY  
HOME HEALTH AGENCY**

**WARREN COUNTY  
HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

544-A West Ridgeway Street  
Warrenton, North Carolina 27589  
(252) 257-4081

## WHY HOME CARE?

- The home environment is comfortable, familiar and secure, giving people a greater sense of control.
- Patients learn to do as much as possible themselves - how to get well and stay well at home. Home care fosters independence.
- In-home care is personalized to meet individual's needs.

## HOME CARE IS:

- Health care and related services provided to people in their homes;
- Often an alternative to hospital or nursing home care;
- Designed to help people get well, stay well and remain independent at home;
- Care for any medical problem that can be appropriately managed at home including recovery from illness or surgery, chronic disease care, physical disabilities, even terminal illness.

## HOME CARE PROVIDERS ARE:

- Qualified health care professionals and assistants trained to provide and coordinate Home Health Care.
- All home health services must meet established standards and be certified by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.
- A member of the North Carolina Association for Home Care.

## HOME CARE SERVICES INCLUDE:

### *1. Skilled Nursing And Home Health Aide*

- Post Surgery Care
- Injections
- Colostomy Care
- Laboratory Tests
- Catheter Care
- Irrigations
- Wound Care
- Bed or Tub Baths
- Tracheostomy Care
- Other services as ordered by the patients doctor.

### *2. Physical Therapy*

### *3. Occupational Therapy*

### *4. Speech Therapy*

### *5. Durable Medical Equipment*

### *6. Provide Medical Supplies*

### *7. Patient And Family Health Education*

### *8. Social Worker*

## HOME CARE IS FOR:

- Everyone – young, old and in-between
- Everyone – regardless of financial situation
- Everyone – those with uncomplicated short term problems as well as those with illness that can be appropriately managed at home.

## TO RECEIVE SERVICES

*Ask your doctor*

*or*

*Ask a member of the hospital staff*

*to call for you*

*or*

*Have a family member or friend call for you.*

## YOUR DOCTOR DECIDES . . .

The treatment you or a family member should receive. He informs the Home Health Agency of the patient's needs, and the staff keeps him informed of the progress.

## PAYING FOR SERVICES

Medicare and Medicaid cover Home Health Services.

Many health insurance policies cover Home Health Services. Patients are responsible for payment of any deductible and any fees not covered by their policy. Claims are completed and filed by the Home Health Agency.

Fees are adjusted according to ability to pay.

## **DOES SOMEONE YOU KNOW NEED HOME HEALTH CARE?**

- Is there a person in your home who needs skilled nursing care and treatment?
- Someone recovering from a heart attack?
- A cancer patient?
- A stroke victim who needs exercise?
- Are you wondering how you will take care of grandmother when she comes home from the hospital?

**THEN . . .  
YOU MAY BE ABLE TO  
USE OUR SERVICES.**

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**Ordered Services Are Provided  
7 Days A Week/ 24 Hours A Day**

**OFFICE HOURS:  
MONDAY – FRIDAY  
8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.**



**Medicare-Medicaid Certified  
Member of North Carolina Alliance of  
Public Health Agencies**

**Member of  
Association for Home & Hospice  
Care of North Carolina**