



## Setting up the Person with Dementia for Success



### SOME CONSIDERATIONS...

- ◆ Safety needs? Driving, cooking etc.
- ◆ Medical needs? Reminders to take medications
- ◆ Diet? Reminders to eat or drink
- ◆ Daily routine? Sleeping and eating schedule
- ◆ Stimulation? Appropriate activities
- ◆ Acceptance? Support and understanding



### THE OPTIONS

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| Home Care          | Home Health     |
| Independent Living | Assisted Living |
| Memory Care        | Respite         |



### ...SOME MORE

- ◆ IL/AL/MC requires:  
Physician's Orders stating person is clear of contagious disease, listing current medications and recent TB test
- ◆ Sooner rather than later...  
don't wait for a crisis  
easier to acclimate  
peace of mind for family
- ◆ Setting up for success:  
can be done in a variety of environments  
individualized care for each person/family

**Don't assume services can't be provided in certain environments. Often, we can arrange the services needed to supplement other care so the person can age in the place of their choosing.**

## Options to Meet your Healthcare Needs

	Skilled Nursing	Hospice	Independent Living	Assisted Living	Memory Care	Home Health	Home Care
<b>Comprehensive Care</b>							
Personal Care	✓	✓		✓****	✓	✓	✓
Therapies Available (with MD orders)	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Medical Oversight	✓	✓				✓	
<b>Socialization</b>							
Companionship		✓**					✓
Planned Daily Activities	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
<b>Individualization</b>							
In Your Home		✓				✓	✓
Care Designed Around Individual Needs	✓*	✓				✓	✓
Flexible Schedule		✓				✓	✓
Privacy		✓				✓	✓
Unlimited Services							✓
<b>Finances</b>							
Medicare Benefit	✓	✓				✓	
Long-Term Care Insurance (depending on the plan)	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

\* Therapies only

\*\*Some Hospices

\*\*\*Often an Extra Charge