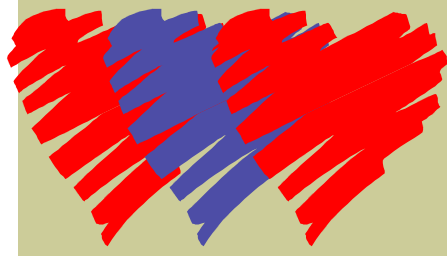


The North Central District Home Health Agency provides professional and ancillary services to individuals in their places of residence. These services are designed to restore acutely ill, convalescing and impaired individuals to their maximum potential for good health and independent functioning. The North Central District Home Health Agency also seeks to promote understanding of good health practices; to promote physical, emotional, and psychosocial care to ill patients and their families; to prevent unnecessary institutionalization and to facilitate early hospital discharge by providing technically feasible treatment in the home where the atmosphere for healing is most beneficial to the patient. The North Central District Home Health Agency aims to provide guidance and counseling in locating and utilizing personal and community resources to cope with problems that contribute to poor health, and to participate in the activities of local, regional, state and national organizations representing the health care industry.



North Central District Home Health Agency provides services to individuals residing in Henry, Oldham, Shelby and Trimble counties. Our offices are based in New Castle and we can be reached by telephone at the numbers listed below or toll free 24 hours a day. Our office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Nursing services are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week utilizing on-call nursing staff contacted through our 24-hour answering service.

Our Phone Numbers are:

Henry County	(502) 845-2761
Oldham County	(502) 222-0174
Trimble County	(502) 255-3110
Shelby County	(502) 633-0478
Fax Number	(502) 845-7998

You can also call us

TOLL FREE
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The North Central District Home Health Agency's objective is to provide you with quality care that meets your needs. Highly trained, skilled professionals can care for you in your home when you are ill or disabled as an alternative to a longer hospital stay or nursing home placement. The following services are provided when ordered by a physician and conditions of eligibility are met.

SKILLED NURSING

Services are provided by a registered nurse who develops a plan of care with you, your family and your doctor.

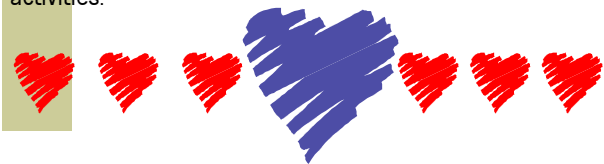
These services can include:

- Assessment of your medical condition
- All types of wound care, including the wound VAC treatment and dressing changes
- IV Therapy
- Catheter Care
- Colostomy Care
- PICC Care
- In home chemotherapy monitoring and instructions
- Port maintenance
- PT/INR via coagmeter when indicated
- Teaching you, your family or caregiver regarding your illness or care needs.

The nurse coordinates your care and keeps your doctor informed of your progress.

CLINICAL THERAPIES

Licensed therapists provide treatment to relieve pain, prevent further disability and restore function for maximum independence. They also teach you how to adopt daily routines and adapt your surroundings for more independent living and include instructions for daily living activities.



MEDICAL SUPPLIES

All needed medical supplies are provided and billed to the appropriate third party payor and education is provided for obtaining needed supplies after discharge.

MEDICAL SOCIAL SERVICES

Social workers help with personal, family and financial problems that may develop as a result of your illness. They can assist with referrals to community resources to help in resolving some of your problems.

HOME HEALTH AIDE SERVICES

Trained professionals can provide assistance with personal care: bathing, hair care, changing linens, meal preparation, light housekeeping in some instances and assisting with simple prescribed exercises.

HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES WAIVER PROGRAM

Some low-income elderly and disabled individuals are eligible for a special Medicaid program that offers an alternative to nursing home placement. This program gives some individuals the chance to remain living at home if they have the right kinds of care and support. This program provides some services that are regularly not provided by traditional home health services. These services include assessment, case management, personal care, homemaker/light housecleaning, and respite care to relieve a full time caregiver for short periods of time.

TOP 10 REASONS TO USE NORTH CENTRAL HOME HEALTH

1. We offer the Home & Community Based Waiver Services which is a special Medicaid program offering an alternative to institutionalized placement. Eligibility is based on income and dependency criteria.
2. Visiting clinicians provide patient care, patient/family education, and incorporate health department programs as patient becomes non-homebound to achieve continuity of care.
3. Atmosphere for healing with an emphasis on what is most beneficial to the patient's progression toward pre-illness level of function.
4. Skilled nursing staff trained in cardio/pulmonary care assessments and instruction as indicated.
5. Specialized wound care including patient and family education of provision of treatment, precautions and symptom management.
6. Qualified clinicians provide teaching and monitoring of home infusion therapy including chemotherapy, making it possible for the patient to manage the infusion therapy in the home safely.
7. 24 hour availability of nurses for home visits and trouble shooting.
8. Social worker availability for resources, education and management of community referrals.
9. In home patient/family centered rehabilitation incorporating physical, occupation and/or speech when indicated.
10. During provision of skilled care, trained/certified staff can provide assistance for all aspects of personal care and any dependent ADL'S.
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