Dementia Support Available: The GUIDE Program

If you or a loved one have been diagnosed with mild, moderate, or severe dementia, you may be eligible for support through the federal government's program, Guiding an Improved Dementia Experience (GUIDE).

Program Highlights

- Services are available at no cost for eligible Medicare beneficiaries.
- Comprehensive assessments to understand specific challenges and strengths of each individual and caregiver, and personalized care plan tailored for the person living with dementia and which adapts as needs evolve.
- Care coordination with the individual's health care providers - You do not need to change your doctor to participate in the program.
- Your own dementia-specialized Nurse For Life who checks in regularly to monitor health and support caregivers, with 24/7 access to your care team.
- Family caregivers receive customized training and education on how to best care for a person living with dementia and $2,625 in annual respite care services for qualifying families—equivalent to 76 hours of in-home care.
- Ongoing support with regular check-ins to help you navigate the complexities of dementia care with confidence.

Eligibility

A person is eligible to receive services under the GUIDE program if they meet the following criteria:

- Has dementia (PocketRN can help obtain a diagnosis if appropriate)
- Has Traditional Medicare Parts A & B as primary insurance (not Medicare Advantage)
- Is not currently enrolled in hospice
- Lives at home (temporary rehab stays and independent living are allowed)

To learn more or begin a referral, contact PocketRN to begin the conversation about local resources and personalized support.

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