



## WHAT IS THE COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM?

### The Community Outreach Program

is a combination of several Easter Seals services that help promote and maintain independence for our clients. The program is designed to help individuals with aging conditions, disabilities, or chronic illnesses, as well as their caregivers, obtain access to information and services relevant to their needs.

Easter Seals understand how difficult and challenging caregiving can be. Whether you are caring for an aging parent, considering a modification to your home, raising a child with a disability, are an individual with a disability or need assistive technology to help make daily tasks a little easier, the Community Outreach Program can help.

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The Caregiver Resource Center, the Delaware Lifespan Respite Care Network and the Delaware Money Management Program are partially funded by the Division of Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities.

The FYI program is a partnership with Delaware Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.

### Take a virtual tour of our resource center



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Resources for persons with disabilities, illness, or aging conditions and their caregivers



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## RESOURCES FOR CAREGIVERS

### Caregiver & Assistive Technology Resource Center

Find resources and information that will help with caring for a loved one with a disability, chronic illness or aging condition. Work directly with a Case Manager who will guide you to the resources you and your loved one need, including programs for which you may be eligible.

### Delaware Lifespan Respite Care Network

Need to take a break from caregiving? This program helps Delaware caregivers find and pay for respite care. Caregivers can apply for respite grants, and receive free information and guidance to find respite care providers. For more information, visit [www.delrespite.org](http://www.delrespite.org).



## TOOLS FOR INDEPENDENCE

### Resource & Technology Demonstration Center

Housed in our New Castle location, visitors can try hundreds of assistive devices on display that will help them maintain or improve independence and home safety. In addition, the Resource Center offers a variety of free printed materials. Come in for a tour!



### FYI: Finance Your Independence – Delaware Assistive Technology Loan Program

Through our partnerships with lending institutions you can finance assistive technology for home or work, including an accessible vehicle, home modifications or even hearing aids, with a lower interest loan. Our Case Manager will help guide you through the process and provide additional resources.



### Delaware Money Management Program

Trained volunteers help seniors, or those with disabilities or those on fixed incomes, pay bills and manage their finances. The program helps to assure client's basic needs such as shelter, food and clothing are met. Easter Seals staff provides oversight to the program.



### Education and Training

The Easter Seals Conference Center hosts many conferences and training events throughout the year for individuals with disabilities, caregivers and health care professionals.