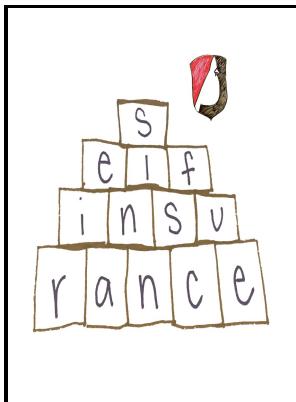


# Long-term care and its alternatives

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Medicaid hopes to prevent this and is increasingly helping with the cost of assisted living, both to save money and to improve the quality of life for residents. People seeking long-term care coverage through critical care or critical illness insurance are not eligible if the issue is from a past diagnosis coverage is only valid if the injury or illness is recent and previously unknown.

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Assisted Living PACE Programs HCBS Waivers Adult Foster Homes Eden Alt. In addition, it is important to be familiar with the associated eldercare terminology. Because long-term care insurance isn't for everyone, it's prudent to explore other options.

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Depending on the policy, only people under the age range of 85 to 89 are typically eligible for short-term care coverage. Medicaid and therefore HCBS Waivers are intended for low-income seniors with limited financial assets, so unfortunately many seniors who cannot afford their cost of care still are not financially eligible for Medicaid waivers. Annuities With Long-Term Care Riders For people who are rejected by traditional long-term care insurance providers, it is possible to take out an annuity with a long-term care.

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When that person reaches a designated age 72 if the annuity is in a tax-qualified retirement account they begin receiving distributions. Some seniors prefer this while others prefer the greater social interactions available in assisted living.

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While this type of insurance coverage can help those who are rejected for long-term care insurance, the brevity of the insurance coverage makes it only a short-term solution to long-term care coverage.

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**Long-Term Care Insurance: Affordability and Eligibility** Long-term care insurance can be expensive. If it turns out long-term care is not needed, it is possible to redeem the accumulated value of the annuity. Though still a group living environment, assisted living is vastly different from nursing home care with consideration to the quality of life of the resident.

### **Nursing Home Alternatives: What are the Options?**

Typical services provided under a waiver include adult day care, personal care at home, chore assistance, personal emergency response services PERS and often times support for home modifications that increase independence or safety. The good news is that the number of options that serve as alternatives to nursing homes has never been greater.

### **Nursing Home Alternatives: What are the Options?**

Despite the growing popularity of Medicare Advantage, some seniors face obstacles that prevent them from truly understanding how it works and who it benefits. Adult Foster Care Personal care, supervision and meals are provided in a family home. Assistance with medications, toileting and bathing are provided, but medical care is not.

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