HEALTH RESOURCES FOR SENIORS IN GREAT BARRINGTON

MEDICAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

- 1. Medicare (Welcome to Medicare | Medicare)
- 2. CHP ~ Community Health Program

(Welcome to CHP Berkshires | CHP Berkshires)

(413) 528-8580

Situated below Monument Mountain in Southern Berkshire County is Great Barrington Community Health Center. The practice here is well regarded for its excellent, comprehensive primary care for patients of all ages, from babies to grandparents and everyone in between. Our care team is a talented mix of highly accomplished adult/family medicine physicians, family nurse practitioners, behavioral health counselors, and nutritionists.

CHP welcomes any and all patients, regardless of age, race, ethnicity, gender identity, gender expression, disability, race or ethnicity, income, disability, or immigration status. In addition to most forms of traditional private insurance and Medicare, CHP accepts MA Health Connector plans and MassHealth. A sliding fee is available to eligible patients. This location also hosts CHP administration and Family Services.

OFFICE HOURS BY APPOINTMENT:

• Monday – Friday: 7 am - 5 pm

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HOME CARE SERVICES

1. Elder Services ~ Pittsfield MA

Website: Home - Elder Services of Berkshire County Inc. (esbci.org)

Clinical Assessment and Eligibility

MassHealth designates authority to determine a consumer's clinical eligibility for various Mass Health Programs, called Clinical Assessment and Eligibility (CAE) to Aging Service Access Points (ASAP). Elder Services of Berkshire County, Inc. is the ASAP serving all of Berkshire County. Elder Services' Registered Nurses make the CAE (clinical) determinations for admission to Berkshire County nursing homes and for the Agency's home and community based programs.

In addition, our Registered Nurses conduct in-home assessments for home Care consumers who need assistance with personal care including bathing, dressing, transfers, mobility and eating. The RNs, in collaboration with the Agency's Case Managers, determine the level of service required.

Based on a person-centered approach, our RN staff strive to have elders/disabled adults remain in a community setting when appropriate. Our RN staff work with consumers and/or their families to avoid nursing facility admissions when possible and assist and advocate for discharge planning for those in a nursing facility by providing education, recommendations and referrals.

Elder Services Registered Nurses determine medical eligibility only. Financial eligibility is determined separately.

For more information call 413-499-0524 or 1-800-544-5242.

2. Center Home Health ~ Pittsfield MA

Home health aides and social workers make a real difference When patients need support beyond clinical care, our home health aides and social workers step in. Whether you need help with daily activities—like bathing and grooming—or getting healthy foods, our team can provide the support and resources you need so you can focus on getting better.

Home Health Aide and Social Work (centerwellhomehealth.com)