

Personal Assistance Services Program



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*Assistance for
People With
Physical
Disabilities*

Division of Disability Services

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The Personal Assistance Services Program (PASP) gives adults with physical disabilities opportunities to work, attend school or vocational training and live independently in the community.

The New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Disability Services, administers the program through provider agencies in each county of New Jersey (agencies' telephone numbers are listed on the back of brochure).

Services Available

Personal assistants help individuals with tasks such as light housekeeping, bathing, dressing, meal preparation, shopping, correspondence, mobility, driving and/or use of public transportation.

Although you may be receiving services from other government programs or have insurance coverage, you may still qualify for the PASP.

You may be eligible for PASP if you are:

- A New Jersey resident;
- physically disabled;
- between the ages of 18 and 65;
- living in the community (private home, apartment, boarding or group home); and,
- capable of directing and supervising your own services.

Services are available to individuals who are employed, preparing for employment, attending an educational or training program and/or to support active participation in community-based activities, such as volunteer service or parenting. Individuals may receive up to 40 hours of services per week, depending on need.

Paying for Services

Depending on family income, some individuals pay no fee. Others pay a portion of the cost of the service on a sliding fee scale, based on their family income. The remaining cost is covered by the Department of Human Services.

For more information:

Contact the Division of Disability Services at 1-888-285-3036 (toll free) or 1-609-292-7800, or contact your local county provider:

Atlantic	(609) 645-7700
Bergen	(201) 336-6504
Burlington	(609) 265-5223
Camden	(856) 858-2970
Cape May	(609) 886-6200
Cumberland	(856) 825-8707 459-3090
Essex	(973) 621-4824
Gloucester	(856) 384-6840
Hudson	(201) 339-2500
Hunterdon	(908) 788-1300
Mercer	(609) 989-6459
Middlesex	(732) 745-2587
Monmouth	(732) 571-6232
Morris	(973) 285-6865
Ocean	(732) 349-1500
Passaic	(973) 569-4077
Salem	(856) 935-7510
Somerset	(908) 704-6350
Sussex	(908) 579-0570
Union	(908) 527-4845
Warren	(908) 813-8292



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