

PACE

PROGRAM OF ALL-INCLUSIVE CARE FOR THE ELDERLY

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

PACE is a Medicare and Medicaid national program that offers an array of health and social services in a consolidated all-inclusive service model. Medicare and Medicaid funds cover all medically necessary services. There are no co-pays or deductibles. Recipients can also pay privately for the PACE program if they do not qualify for Medicare or Medicaid. Currently, 31 states offer the PACE program serving approximately 23,000 people nationwide and approximately 1,100 people in Oregon. Oregon's PACE program is one of the first and largest in the country.

PACE services are coordinated with the service recipient and their team of healthcare professionals referred to as an interdisciplinary team. Together the service recipient and their interdisciplinary team develop a plan of care that is comprehensive and responsive to the individual's health and social service needs.

PACE SERVICES

- Long-term Care
- Primary Care
- Laboratory Tests & Procedures
- Emergency Medical Services
- Hospital Care
- Nursing Home Care
- Hospice/Palliative Care
- Specialty Medical Care: Audiology/Optical/Podiatry
- Therapeutic Services: Physical/Occupational/Speech/Recreational
- Dental Services
- Mental Health Services
- Social Services
- Medication: Prescription & Over the Counter
- Medical Supplies
- Medical Equipment
- Adult Day Services
- Transportation

PACE ELIGIBILITY

- 55 years old or older;
- Living in a PACE service area;
- Able to reside safely in the community;
- Nursing Home Level of Care (SPL 1-13).

PACE SERVICE AREAS

Currently the PACE program is offered in the following locations in the state of Oregon:

- Multnomah County
- Clatsop County: Arch Cape, Astoria, Cannon Beach, Hammond, Seaside, Tolovana Park
- Tillamook County: Manzanita, Nehalem, Wheeler
- Washington County: Beaverton, Tualatin, Cornelius, Forest Grove, Hillsboro, Sherwood, Portland

The Oregon Department of Human Services supports a statewide expansion of the PACE program and additional PACE provider organizations.

PACE PROVIDER ORGANIZATIONS

PACE provider organizations are responsible for meeting all of the health and social service needs identified in the service recipient's plan of care. APD currently contracts with Providence Health & Services to provide PACE program services in the current PACE service areas in Oregon. Providence Health & Services is a not-for-profit health system providing a comprehensive array of services in Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Montana and California.

Providence brands the PACE program in Oregon as *Providence ElderPlace Portland*. Providence ElderPlace Portland operates nine Health and Social Centers, two licensed Residential Care Facilities and one Assisted Living Facility in Oregon. Services are delivered by Providence ElderPlace staff and/or contractors that make up a network of hundreds of healthcare and residential providers.

Referrals to the Providence ElderPlace PACE program can be made on-line at <http://appsor.providence.org/oregonemailforms/for-more-information/> or by calling Providence ElderPlace directly at 503-215-6556.

RESOURCES

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Providence ElderPlace

<http://oregon.providence.org/our-services/p/providence-elderplace/>

Medicare.gov PACE Overview

<http://www.medicare.gov/your-medicare-costs/help-paying-costs/pace/pace.html>