

How to Apply for Congregate Housing

1. Call either Congregate Coordinator or the Millbury Housing Authority to visit the Congregate Facility.
2. An Assesment must be completed with the congregare Coordinator
3. The applicants physician must complete a medical form
4. The Multi- Disciplinary Assessment Team will review each application and determine if Congregate Living is appropriate

Please Contact Coordinator with any questions

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“A shared living Experience”

Congregate Housing is a perfect place to try independent living for the first time



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Life is Meant to be Shared



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Congregate Housing Program



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What is Congregate Housing?

Congregate Provides a residential shared living environment to frail or isolated elders and the disabled. It's presence provides an alternative to nursing/ rest home placement for elders who desire additional support and companionship. It is not a nursing home or a medical facility and does not offer continuous supervision of residents.

Congregate housing is designed to provide affordable housing, together with the supporting social and health services needed to help individuals maintain independent living.

What are the Apartments like?

Congregate houses twenty- three elderly or handicapped people at Colonial Drive. Each resident has a large private bedroom furnished with his or her possessions. Furnished kitchen, living room and dining rooms is shared. Bathrooms are also shared by the residents. Typically no more than two people share a bathroom.

Am I eligible to live in Congregate?

If you have the social and physical ability to live independently, but need support services to maintain the quality of your independence then you may be an appropriate candidate for Congregate. Individuals who simply find it difficult to live alone, and seek the security and companionship of living with others, would also benefit from Congregate.

However, not everyone who applies is eligible for residency in congregare. Each applicant must tour and be approved by the Multi- Disciplinary Assessment Team. The applicant is determined suitable for Congregate housing based on functional ability, health, social needs.

Who is Eligible to Apply?

- Applicants must be atleast 60 years of age or older unless handicapped or disabled.
- Applicants must have income and assets that fall within the limits determined by the Executive Office of Communities and Development.

Many Residents in Congregate receive services from other agencies to help them live independently

- Case Management
- Homemaker
- Personal Care
- Senior Center Lunches
- Home Delivered meals
- Transportaion
- Nursing Services
- Home Health Services
- Thearopy
- Medication management