

Your Health Matters

YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO CHOOSE YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY

If your physician decides that you need home health, you have the **RIGHT TO CHOOSE** which agency will provide you with care and services you need. Your choice should be respected by your physician, hospital discharge planner or other referring agency. Although some hospitals have their own home health agency, you do not have to choose their hospital home health agency. You have the right to choose any agency that you believe will meet your medical needs.

Lots of times people tell us, "Oh, I didn't think you could do our home health care!" We have been providing home health care for Montgomery County residents for nearly 31 years. You do not have to use a home health nurse from 40 or 50 miles away, the law guarantees you the right to CHOOSE. There are 30 home health agencies licensed to operate in this area, but we are the only one that is based right here at home, who provides home health services with nurses who live and work HERE.

Why choose the Montgomery County Health Department Home Health Agency?

- We offer Skilled Nursing Services.
- We offer Physical Therapy/Occupational Therapy/Speech Therapy.
- We have a 24/7 answering service.
- We are a Medicare/Medicaid Certified Agency.
- We are accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Health Care.
- Only 8% of all home health agencies in the country receive accreditation.
- We are one of the best home health agencies in the country.
- All of our home health staff live and work right here in Montgomery County.
- Your taxes support the Montgomery County Health Department Home Health Agency.
- The only home health care agency that has been serving the Montgomery County community for more than 30 years.

You can even let your physician or hospital discharge planner know in advance that you want the Montgomery County Health Department Home Health Agency for your home health care needs.

I choose the Montgomery County Health Department Home Health Agency! It is your Right!

To learn more, visit www.montgomerycountyhealth.org, Facebook or Twitter, or call us at 573-564-2495. The Montgomery County Health Department loves taking care of your family, and works every day to protect, promote and improve health in our community. ■



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