



Caregiver Eligibility Guide

If Caregiver is:	And Recipient is:	And Recipient:	Is the Caregiver eligible?
18 years or older	60+	has no special needs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For Respite Services – Recipient must be unable to perform a minimum of two activities of daily living identified through a Consumer Needs Evaluation. • Priority Population - Greatest social need and economic need with attention to low-income older persons. 	Yes
18 years or older	19 to 59	has no special needs.	No
18 years or older	0 to 60+	has Alzheimer's or related disorders with neurological and organic brain dysfunction.	Yes
55 years or older (Older Relative Caregiver)	0 to 18; or 19 to 59 (with disability)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the case of a caregiver for a child - is the grandparent, step-grandparent, or other relative (other than the parent) by blood, marriage or adoption, of the child. They are the primary caregiver because biological or adoptive parents are unable or unwilling and have legal custody, adoption, or guardianship or are raising informally. • In the case of a caregiver for a person with a disability - is the parent, grandparent, or other relative by blood, marriage or adoption, of the person with a disability. 	Yes

		<p>In both cases, the Older Relative Caregiver lives with, is the informal provider of in-home and community care, and is the primary caregiver.</p> <p>Priority Population - Recipient is 19 to 59 with severe disabilities.</p>	
60 years or older	0 to 59	has no special needs.	No