Have you been in a Nursing Facility for at least 60 days? Have you been on Medicaid for at least 1 day? Would you like to move back into the community and are not sure how to do this?

Money Follows the Person is a program of The Arkansas Department of Human Services Division of Aging and Adult Services for individuals who are Medicaid eligible and who live in a qualified institution who have the desire to move back into the community and receive Home and Community Based Services.

You have a Choice…
In where you live and receive long-term services and support. Participating in Money Follows the Person can help you with your choices. If you decide to transition back to the community MFP can provide resources and support to help.

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What populations are served by MFP? Elderly, adults with physical disabilities, persons with developmental disabilities, and adults with mental illness.

How does someone become qualified for MFP? You must be in a qualified institution for at least 60 days and Medicaid eligible for at least 1 day.

Where will I live? A case manager will be assigned to work with you to decide where you will live and develop a plan to transition to the setting of your choice. If you do not have an existing home or family arrangements are unavailable, the case manager will have a listing of available housing options in your community from which you may choose.

What are the some of the benefits of Money Follows the Person?
Participants will be enrolled into an existing Medicaid Waiver program that provides specific long-term care services. Supports and services which best meets your needs will be determined, along with other Medicaid state plan services.

For the first year, you will also receive other (demonstration) services and supports to help you as you transition to your new residence and learn to live more independently. Some of these services are:
- Medication Dispensing Unit
- Personal Attendant Care
- Home Modification
- Supported Living Services
- Therapeutic Services
- Community Transition Services
- Goods and Services

Who decides what services I will receive? You might choose to direct your own care or to have an agency direct your services. You will work with a nurse or other care specialist, depending on the specific waiver chosen, to further complete a plan of care designed to meet your preferences and needs.

To obtain MFP Information or apply, you may contact us at:

501-320-6442 or 501-320-6140

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