# What is Money Follows the Person?

Money Follows the Person is a federal government demonstration program administered through The Arkansas Department of Human Services Division of Aging and Adult Services for older adults and persons with disabilities who has open long-term care Medicaid and who has lived in a qualified institution for at least 60 consecutive days and have the desire to move back into the community and receive Home and Community Based Services.



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501-320-6045

## Arkansas Money Follows the Person

**Home and Community Based Services** 

#### **Housing Made Easy**



Money Follows the Person is a Federally Funded Program





#### **Our Housing Goal**

is to facilitate and unite with general housing units to eliminate the housing barriers for individuals who have low to moderate income.



#### PROGRAM ADVANTAGES

### WHY SHOULD YOU MAKE MFP A PRIORITY?

By partnering with Money Follows the Person (MFP) as a housing entity, you help your facility maintain high occupancy rates. As we work to place seniors in suitable housing.

Money Follows the Person (MFP) is a federally funded program. The primary objective of the MFP program is to promote independence and enhanced quality of life.

As a federally funded program, we assist our seniors with apartment furnishings, rental deposits, moving expenses, food assistance and more!

We want to ensure that the participants are living affordably and within their means. We monitor our system to ensure that things are working as planned. We ensure that the participant has a 24 hour back up strategy and support.



### PROGRAM DETAILS

The qualified participant will be assigned a case manager that will develop a plan, locate housing, and assistance with the entire transition process. For 365 days, the participant will receive other (demonstration) services and supports to help the participant adjust to their new residence and learn to live more independently. Some of these services and supports are:

Personal/Household goods and supplies
Housing/Utility Deposit
Moving Expenses
Medication Dispensing Unit
Home Modifications- with home ownership
Supported Living Services
Therapeutic Services
Community Transition Services

Participants will also be enrolled into an existing Medicaid Waiver program that provides specific long-term care services and support that may include personal care, attendant care, home delivered meals, meal preparations, and transportation. Supports and services that meet the participants needs will be determined, along with other Medicaid state plan services.

## PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

Under the MFP program, states receive enhanced federal funding to provide a wide range of support to MFP enrollees. This support includes personal care and other traditional HCBS services as well as supplemental services, such as household set up costs, security deposits, accessibility modifications to the home, short-term housing, and food assistance. These supplemental services are now 100% federally funded.

The federal funds are allotted through the MFP program to be used to establish a system that offers more choices for seniors and persons with disabilities that includes home and community-based services.

To obtain MFP more information or to partner with MFP please email:

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