

Enhanced Residential Care (ERC) Setting Services "At a Glance"

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ERC services include the following activities, reimbursable under the daily Medicaid ERC rate:

- 1. <u>Nursing Overview</u>: Assessment, health monitoring, and routine nursing care is provided or supervised by a Licensed Registered Nurse and is available <u>one (1) hour per week</u> per ERC resident as needed. The home must have sufficient RN services to meet the needs of all residents.
- 2. <u>**Personal Care Service (ADL)**</u>: Assistance with meals, movement, bathing, dressing, transferring, personal hygiene, grooming and toileting is available for <u>at least two (2) hours per day</u> per ERC resident as needed.
- 3. <u>Medication Management</u>: The process of assisting residents to self-administer their medications or administering medications, under the supervision and delegation by the RN.
- 4. **<u>Recreation Activities</u>**: Social or recreational activities, either in a group setting or individually, must be offered **daily**. Activities may be in the home or community. Watching TV is not considered an activity. Home should assess each resident for their activity interests.
- 5. <u>**24-Hour On-Site Supervision:**</u> ERC staff must be on duty seven (7) days a week, twenty-four (24) hours a day.
- 6. <u>Laundry Services</u>: Laundry services shall be provided as well as the opportunity to launder ones own clothing if desired.
- 7. Household Services: Bed making and household cleaning shall be provided.
- 8. <u>Case Management:</u> Homes will provide person-centered case management services according to the residential care home and Medicaid ACCS services regulations. The home will assist with gaining access to needed medical, social or other services which may include consultation with providers and support person(s).

Medicaid ERC does not pay for:

Room and Board: The resident is responsible to pay room and board to the home which includes the bedroom/unit, utilities, 3 meals & 1 snack per day and limited transportation.

*Consult the Choices for Care, Manual for detailed descriptions of services. https://asd.vermont.gov/sites/asd/files/documents/_Merged%20CFC_High_Highest_Manual.pdf

