

## HOME HEALTH

**There may be a point during your life, if you are HIV positive, when you'll want to consider getting home health care**

You may benefit from home health services if you require assistance in order to maintain independent living. These services are generally less costly than hospital care. They may also be better suited to your needs than being hospitalized or having around the clock attendant care.

A number of organizations in Los Angeles County can provide you with in-home health services.

### [What services are available?](#)

The in-home health services you receive and how often you receive them depends upon your needs, the resources of your care provider and the availability of funding.

#### *Types of home health services include:*

- Case management
- Skilled nursing
- Attendant care
- Mental health services
- Homemaker services (housekeeping, laundry, etc.)
- Personal care (such as bathing and grooming)
- Medical equipment

#### *Eligibility requirements may include:*

- An assessment of how functional you are
- Safe and stable housing
- Access to a physician

### [How Do I Access Services?](#)

If you are a client of an HIV-service organization, speak

with the organization's home health department or your case manager.





