

2007 Gaps Analysis County Profile: Anoka County

Part 1: Home and Community Based Long Term Care Services: Change in Services

Services where Anoka County has *added, expanded or improved* the service

Adult Day Care/ Adult Day Care Bath
Behavioral Programming
Crisis Consultation from Public Private Vendors
Crisis Respite Bed Services from Public/Private Vendors
Day Training and Habilitation/ Prevocational Services
Fiscal Support Entities (CDCS)
Homemake Service
Long Term Care Consultation/ Community Assessment
Modifications and Adaptations
Non-County Information/Referral and Assistance
Non-County Case Management
Relocation Service Coordination
Respite Care, In Home
Respite Care, Out of Home
Supportive Employment
Training and Support Services
Transportation

Services where Anoka County has *decreased or eliminated* the service

None

Part 2: Home and Community Based Long Term Care Services: Overall Service Capacity

Services that are *not available*

None

Services that are *limited* (Populations affected are reported in parentheses)

Adult Protection (All Populations)
Chore Service (Age 65 and older)
Companion Service (All Populations)
Crisis Consultation from Public/Private Vendor (All Populations)
Crisis Respite Bed Services from Public/Private Vendor (All Populations)
Employment Opportunities Promoting Meaningful Jobs, Careers, Self-Sufficiency (All Populations)
Guardianship/Conservatorship (All Populations)
Long Term Care Consultation/Community Assessment (Age 65 and older, Under age 65 not on a waiver)
Non-County Case Management (Not indicated)
Non-County Information/Referral and Assistance (Age 65 and older)Age 65 and older, Under age 65
Respite Care, Out of Home (All Populations)
Supportive Employment (Age 65 and older)
TBI Structured Day Program (Under age 65 on a waiver)
Transitional Work Opportunities at School (Under age 65)
Transportation (All Populations)

Services that exceed demand

Adult Day Care/Adult Day Care Bath
Training and Support Services

What issues/barriers are currently most critical to overcome in Anoka County to ensure that persons of all ages and disabilities have home and community-based support options?

Staffing shortages due to lack of funding, lack of resources, V.A. benefit limitations, decreased state options, decreased residential options, increased County responsibility for funding for residential treatment options for M.I. clients. Stability of funding is questionable.

Highest Priority for HCBS Development:

Efficient quality management of waiver service dollars for maximizing client access to services and minimizing financial risk to the County.

Part 3: Housing Options

Has there been any new development of Housing and/or Housing/Service Arrangements for persons of all ages and disabilities in the past two years?

Yes

of New Buildings: 4+

of New Units: 9

Resources for Accessible Housing

Resources for Accessible Housing that are *not available*

None

Resources for Accessible Housing that are *limited*

Local builders/contractors with accessibility remodeling/new construction expertise¹
Local builders/contractors willing to take on accessibility modifications
Local county staff with experience in promoting accessibility modifications
Adequate reimbursement under the waiver plans for needed modifications
Subsidies for low-income persons who need home modifications
Landlords willing to allow accessibility modifications on their property

Resources for Accessible Housing that *exceed demand*

None

Housing Options

Housing Options that are *not available*

None

¹ Such as ramps, elevators, enlarged doorways and hallways, technology for temperature control, lighting, security, etc...)

Housing Options that are *limited*

Subsidized rental apartments with no services
Market rate rental apartments with no services
Subsidized rental apartments with support services only
Market rate rental apartments with support services only
Subsidized rental apartments with supervision/health care services
Market Rate rental apartments with supervision/health care services
Subsidized adult family foster care
Market rate adult family foster care
Corporate adult foster care
Market rate corporate adult foster care
Other subsidized housing options (e.g. Board & Lodging, Board & Care, Residential Care)
Other market rate housing options (e.g. Board & Lodging, Board & Care, Residential Care)

Housing Options that *exceed demand*

None

What issues/barriers are currently most critical to overcome in order to ensure an appropriate supply of housing options for older persons and persons with disabilities in Anoka County?

Affordability & accessibility. Inadequate # of housing options for low-income. Need for subsidized one level housing with storage, adequate transportation.

Highest Priority for Housing Development

Development of affordable accessible housing, including apartments with services for people under age 65 with disabilities, as well as Seniors. This housing to be located near transportation.

Part 4: Long-Term Care Specialty Beds/services- Nursing Homes

Long Term Care Specialty Beds/Services that are *not available*

None

Long Term Care Specialty Beds/Services that are *limited*

Post-acute/rehabilitation
Dementia care
Heavy care, complex medical management
Other (write in): MI/CD and behavioral issues

Long Term Care Specialty Beds/Services that *exceed demand*

None

Issues/barriers most critical to overcome in order to ensure an appropriate supply of Nursing Home Specialty Beds/Services

Funding &/or reimbursement rates for high acuity and special needs consumers.

Top two barriers in Anoka County to relocating persons from nursing homes into the community

(1) Lack of appropriate housing with services (2) Adequate identified payment sources for smaller housing settings. The cost of 1:1 service is significantly higher than service provided in a larger group setting.