

2007 Gaps Analysis County Profile: Lac Qui Parle County

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

Services where Lac Qui Parle County has *added, expanded or improved the service*

None

Services where Lac Qui Parle County has *decreased or eliminated the service*

Companion Service

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

Services that are *not available*

Chore Service

Companion Service

Non-County Case Management

TBI Structured Day Program

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

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)

Home Delivered Meals (All Populations)

Training and Support Services (All Populations)

Transitional Work Opportunities at School (Under age 65)

Services that *exceed demand*

None

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

We are facing a loss of home delivered meals for our outlying areas for our senior clients. They will not have any other options for a hot, nutritious meals when Prairie Five is no longer able to provide meals. The lack of job opportunities is a huge issue for all of our population.

Highest Priority for HCBS Development:

It is hard to think about service development when all we hear about is funding cutting for all programs. Our highest priority is to keep providing services and access all providers to meet any client's needs and to meet new client's needs.

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?

No

Resources for Accessible Housing

Resources for Accessible Housing that are *not available*

Available resources (i.e., Housing Link) used to track available, accessible and affordable units

Resources for Accessible Housing that are *limited*

Local county staff with experience in promoting accessibility modifications
Subsidies for low-income persons who need home modifications

Resources for Accessible Housing that *exceed demand*

None

Housing Options

Housing Options that are *not available*

Market Rate rental apartments with supervision/health care services
Market rate adult family foster care
Corporate adult foster care
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Other market rate housing options (e.g. Board & Lodging, Board & Care, Residential Care)

Housing Options that are *limited*

Market rate rental apartments with no services
Market rate rental apartments with support services only
Subsidized adult family foster care
Other subsidized 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 Lac Qui Parle County?

This is not a problem. We have adequate housing that is sought by our population.

Highest Priority for Housing Development

We could use more adult foster care homes. We do advertise and seek out people to provide this service.

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*

Heavy care, complex medical management

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

Enough qualified staff to provide the service.

Top two barriers in Lac Qui Parle County to relocating persons from nursing homes into the community

Qualified providers and staff to provide 24-hour care.