

The Pennsylvania Department of Military and Veterans Affairs State Veterans' Home System (SVH) administers the Enhanced Veterans' Reimbursement (EVR) program in each of its six veterans' homes.

The EVR program allows the Federal Government to match a percentage of funds toward your nursing home costs if you're a Skilled Nursing Unit resident. Residents will not be forced to pay any additional fees to become eligible for this program. It is important to understand that there will be no adverse impacts on you or your family as a result of this program.



Who does this affect?

The EVR program affects only eligible residents in either Skilled Nursing or Dementia Units who meet the eligibility requirements.

Who is eligible?

Those residents with a total income of less than the approved threshold are eligible for EVR. The threshold is based on criteria set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services. The Business Office at each of the State Veterans' Homes will make a recommendation for every resident who qualifies for this program and stands by; ready to answer your questions.

I qualify—Now What?

The Business Office and Social Services department will assist you by completing all required applications for your signature. For those who are eligible to participate in EVR, you can be sure that this will not have a negative effect on your daily charge for care.



Will my care be affected?

No changes in your care will result from your participation in EVR. EVR will not impact any of the medical services you are currently receiving.



"Serving those who served."

How does this benefit me?

EVR will contribute toward medical services that are not included in the standard nursing home care package. In fact, EVR coverage is portable; your medical care is covered even if you leave our facility. At a Pennsylvania State Veterans' Home, you will have the benefit of a higher personal needs allowance than what is available outside veterans' home residency. The coverage is indefinite, so once you enroll and remain eligible, your medical costs are covered by the program no matter where you are.

Who can I contact for more information about EVR?

If you have any questions about the EVR program, you can contact your State Veterans' Homes'



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