

Who is eligible?

To be eligible for Alexian PACE services, you must:

- Be at least 55 years old
- Live in Hamilton County, Tennessee
- Be assessed by the PACE interdisciplinary team as being appropriate for PACE services
- Be certified by TennCare as eligible for nursing home level of care



Help is available 24 hours a day,
365 days a year. Doctors are on
call weekends and nights.



Ascension Living Alexian PACE

To learn more, visit
ascensionliving.org/alexianpace
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Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly



LIVING AT HOME your choice, our priority

Ascension Living Alexian PACE

PACE is innovative community-centered care for the well-being of the whole person ... mind, body and spirit.

Ascension Living Alexian PACE is a community-based program whose purpose is to help older adults with chronic conditions live in their own homes for as long as possible. It combines Medicare and TennCare funds, to provide coordinated health and social services to fit a person's individual needs. Care is provided in the home, at the Ascension Living Alexian PACE center, and in the hospital or other necessary medical facility. Since 1999, Ascension Living Alexian PACE has been part of the national Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE).

PACE is a unique system of managed care based on an interdisciplinary team made up of:

- Doctors
- Nurses
- Medical social workers
- Home health aides
- Transportation providers
- Rehabilitation therapists
- Dietitians and others

An individualized plan of care is determined for each participant, with input from the team, the participant and the family.

Services available at the Ascension Living Alexian PACE center include:

- Doctors' services
- Nursing
- Social work
- Physical therapy
- Occupational therapy
- Speech therapy
- Recreation and social activities
- Nutritional counseling
- Personal care (bathing and grooming)
- Spiritual care
- Transportation to and from the PACE center
- Meals

Services available at home include:

- 24-hour on-call doctors' services
- Home healthcare services
- Personal care (bathing and grooming)
- Homemaker/chore services
- Home-delivered meals
- Adaptation of the home for disability and safety

Other services include:

- Audiology and hearing aids
- Dentistry
- Optometry and eyeglasses
- Foot care
- Mental health/substance abuse counseling and treatment

- Doctors' specialists
- Prescription medications
- Preventive health services
- Non-emergency transportation
- Lab tests and procedures
- Medical equipment and supplies
- Radiology services
- Outpatient surgery
- Emergency room care
- Ambulance transportation

Inpatient services include:

- Hospital care
- Behavioral health/substance abuse counseling and treatment
- Doctors' services
- Nursing home care

What does PACE cost?

The fee depends on the participant's Medicare and Medicaid eligibility. If you are TennCare/Medicaid eligible for long-term services and supports, there is no fee.

If you are eligible for Medicare only, there will be a fee involved. Those without Medicare or Medicaid may pay privately.

All services must be approved by the PACE Team. Cost for unauthorized or out-of-network services may be the responsibility of the participant.