What are Some of the Responsibilities of a Supported Living Coach?

- Assists with locating appropriate housing and needed household supports
- Teaches the achievement, retention, or improvement of daily living skills
- Provides health oversight
- Coordinates opportunities for connecting with community resources
- Provides financial guidance and oversight

Specific activities may include helping you find an apartment to rent, financial management and banking, cooking, cleaning, shopping, personal care, and aiding with community connections.

Supported living coaching may be initiated up to 90 days prior to moving into the home of your choice.

Supported living coaches must provide emergency response 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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What is Supported Living?

Supported living is an opportunity for adults with developmental disabilities to choose where, how, and with whom they live. People receive personalized supports needed to maintain their own home. Supported living has emerged as the fastest growing residential option in Florida. Through supported living arrangements, individuals, even those with severe disabilities, are able to live in their own homes and become part of their communities.

Who is Eligible for Supported Living?

- Adults 18 years of age or older;
- · Who meet APD eligibility criteria;
- Have a desire to live in their own home or apartment with no more than two other individuals;

and

• The individual's name must appear on the lease or the individual must own the home.

What Supports and Services are Available?

Each person who participates in supported living may select from a variety of supports to enable them to maintain a home of their own.

Services may include:

- Personal supports
- Supported Living Coaching
- Life Skills Development 1 (Supported Employment)
- Life Skills Development 2 (Companion)
- Life Skills Development 3 (Adult Day Training)
- Transportation
- Other waiver services