



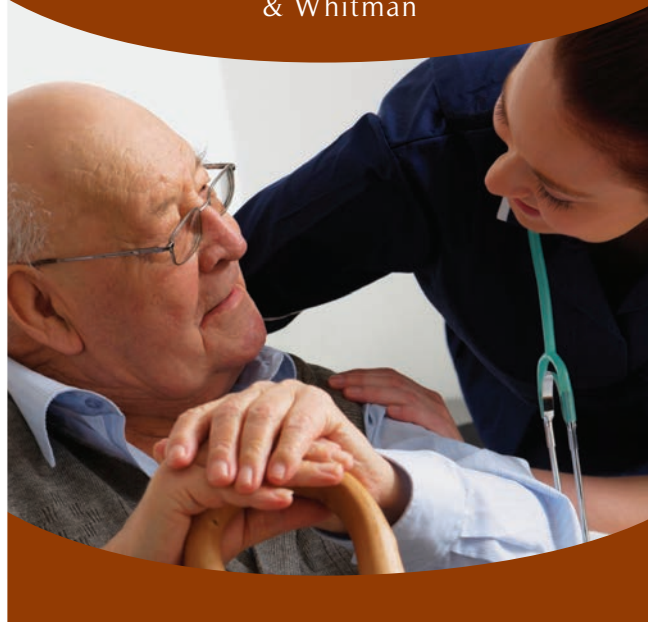
Congregate Housing

OCES currently partners with Marshfield, Stoughton, and Bridgewater Housing Authorities to offer Congregate Housing.

To obtain an application, please call the Housing Authority of your choice.

Service Area

Abington, Avon, Bridgewater, Brockton, Carver, Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Easton, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Kingston, Lakeville, Marshfield, Middleboro, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rockland, Stoughton, Wareham, West Bridgewater & Whitman



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Services are available in many languages!

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Congregate Housing



Providing services to the community since 1974



OCES aspires to welcome everyone without exception! Whether you are looking for help or are interested in helping others, we are here to support you.



What is Congregate Housing?

- a shared living environment
- a combination of housing and supportive services
- an alternative living arrangement assisting older adults and people with disabilities so they may remain independent in the community

What are the Benefits?

- affordable housing
- supportive services that enhance independent living
- companionship and privacy

Who is Eligible?

- individuals at least 60 years of age
- individuals who have a permanent disability

Who Chooses Congregate Living?

Older adults and people with a permanent disability who:

- have the social and physical capacity to live independently
- find it difficult to live alone
- enjoy the security of living with others
- may require one or two supportive services to maintain an independent lifestyle

What is Private? What is Shared?

Congregate Housing sites are structured differently. However:

- each resident has his/her own private bedroom
- in general, the kitchen, dining area, living rooms and bath/shower rooms are shared common areas
- a private half bathroom is available at some locations

Where are Congregate Sites Located?

OCES presently sponsors three congregate sites in:

Bridgewater: 508-697-7405

Marshfield: 781-834-4333

Stoughton: 781-344-2001

How to Apply?

Applications may be obtained by calling the Housing Authorities of towns listed above.

