

Welcoming, compassionate
private care services
for LGBT older adults.



Partners in Care[®]

Private home care from the
Visiting Nurse Service of New York

Partners in Care is here for you.

As the private pay affiliate of the Visiting Nurse Service of New York, Partners in Care is dedicated to providing a welcoming and bias-free environment to all of our LGBT patients. We provide a wide range of personalized home care services — from bathing and grooming, to appointment assistance, to skilled nursing — to help individuals live safely and independently at home. Care can be purchased privately for short-term, ongoing, or even round-the-clock needs.

In fact, VNSNY is the largest home- and community-based health care organization in the New York metropolitan area with SAGECare Platinum level LGBT cultural competency credential. SAGE is the country's largest and oldest organization dedicated to improving the lives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) older adults.



Caring for LGBT older adults with dignity and respect.

At Partners in Care, we understand that many LGBT older adults have experienced discrimination, social stigma, and prejudice. We are committed to treating every patient with empathy, courtesy, and respect.



Partners in Care home health aides, nurses, care managers and rehabilitation therapists have received special training on how best to support LGBT communities from the LGBT senior advocacy organization SAGE (Services and Advocacy for GLBT Elders), ensuring awareness of and sensitivity to the needs and concerns of LGBT older adults. Together, we'll determine which of our over 8,000 certified home health aides is the best fit by talking with you and, if appropriate, your loved one.

- Each Partners in Care home health aide is carefully selected, highly trained and follows a customized plan of care supervised by a registered nurse
- All aides receive 50% more HHA training than required by New York State law

Services we provide:

Partners in Care offers a wide range of welcoming, safe, private pay home care services, from round-the-clock, continuous care to shorter-term engagements, often within as little as 24 hours of your request.

Professional Nursing And Therapeutic Care

- Skilled nursing
- Rehabilitation therapy (physical, occupational, and speech language pathology)
- Care management
- Assessments and safety screenings

Personal Assistance With Day-To-Day Activities

- Care and companionship, including help with the monitoring of vital signs
- Personal care such as bathing, grooming and dressing
- Ambulatory assistance to-and-from health care appointments, social engagements or other types of appointments
- Light food shopping and meal preparation



To learn more, call **1-888-9-GET-HELP** or visit our website at vnsny.org/partnersincare. Our client service trained professionals will help assess your specific situation and explain service options and costs. There are no contracts and care can often be arranged within 24-hours.



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