

Opening Doors of Opportunity in The Community

RHA maintains ongoing, long-term residential services and support to its residents through various stages of their lives, including transitions from employment and recreation in the community, to retirement options for older residents.

New residents are accepted as openings become available. They are accepted from among those on residential waiting lists coordinated through the offices of the Montgomery County Board of Developmental Disabilities Services.

Services are supported through local, state and federal funding, including Medicaid and other Waiver programs. Additional support is received through grants, individual and corporate donations, as well as remembrances in wills and estates.



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Agency & Professional Affiliations

The ADVOCATES
American Network of Community
Options & Resources (ANCOR)
CREST Network
Miami Valley Down Syndrome Association
ARC Ohio
Ohio Provider Resource Association (OPRA)



RHA does not discriminate in the provision of services or in employment in regards to age, race, national origin, religion, gender or disability. It is governed by a policy-making board of volunteers representing residents, families, business and the community.



Providing quality
residential services
and support
to citizens with
developmental disabilities.



RHA is A Value-Based Organization

RHA has the distinction of being Montgomery County's first private, nonprofit agency to provide residential services and supports to people with developmental disabilities, opening its first home on Lexington Avenue in Dayton in 1966.

The foundation of RHA services and support is built upon the values of integrity, excellence, humanity, responsibility and respect.

RHA provides:

- a range of long-term residential options, from 7 days a week, 24 hours a day supervised group living, to semi-independent living options
- personalized services supported by a caring and responsive management team and highly trained direct support professionals
- Senior Adult Day Services in the community for qualified participants with developmental disabilities
- Adult Day Service Transportation
- shared volunteer program with Choices in Community Living
- advocacy and community education



A Legacy of Caring Service

The legacy of person-centered and community-based services that began with the pioneering work of families and organizations like the Catholic Federation for Exceptional Children continues today.

That commitment is to provide homes and services in the community for people with developmental disabilities when they can no longer live with their own families. We also provide opportunities for people who are seeking to live more independent lives in the community.



RHA works in collaboration with other agencies, employers and community organizations to provide residents a range of life experiences and opportunities, based on their changing needs and interests.

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."

—Helen Keller



Resident Home Association of Greater Dayton is a founding partner of **Partners For Community Living**, in partnership with Choices In Community Living, Inc.

Community Partnerships: **Partners** works in collaboration and partnership with other community organizations, universities and businesses for fundraising, special events, advocacy and community education.

Partners Endowment: providing families and friends planned giving opportunities through wills, trusts and other gifts; **John W. Pratt Society**, honoring those who have made planned gifts in support of our Endowment at The Dayton Foundation

Partners Volunteer Program: Adopt-A-Home; Friend By Choice; group or class activities; event volunteers; we match your interest and availability, whether it's for a one-time, occasional or ongoing volunteer opportunity

Advocacy: statewide coordinator of **Lest We Forget** project to record and preserve the first person histories of people who lived in state institutions, their families and pioneering professionals

Lest We Forget: Spoken Histories—a two CD audio documentary produced by **Partners** and Jeff Moyer: Music from the Heart; **Lest We Forget: Silent Voices**—award-winning film documentary by **Partners** and filmmaker Mark R. Lyons and distributed nationally by Fanlight Productions, Inc. (www.fanlight.com)

All donations to **Partners For Community Living** are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.