

## Shared Living Program

The Division of Developmental Disabilities Services (DDDS) has many individuals living in its Shared Living residential program. In this program the individual moves into a family's home where he or she becomes an integral part of that family's life.

There is a standardized process in place for a person to become a shared living provider which includes making application, undergoing criminal background & abuse registry checks, attending a required curriculum of classes offered by the Division, and having a home inspection completed to determine that the home will meet the DDDS standards.

To obtain more information about the program or how to become a provider you can contact the regional Shared Living Coordinator.

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