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Council for Older Adults Accepting Applications for In-home Care Providers

The Council for Older Adults is seeking to contract with qualified providers of in-home and community-based services for 2012 and 2013 under its Senior Choices program. Applications are being accepted for providers of the following services: adult day care, homemaker and homemaker escort services, nursing services, personal care, respite, institutional respite, emergency response, medical transportation, durable medical equipment and supplies (including incontinence products), minor home repair/modification and chore services.

To be eligible for consideration for approval as a service provider beginning January 1, 2012, an application and non-refundable fee of \$225 for new applicants must be submitted to the Council for Older Adults no later than August 29, 2011. The renewal fee for existing Senior Choices providers is \$125. Not-for-profit, public and proprietary firms may visit our web site, www.growingolder.org, to obtain application materials and Conditions of Participation and Service Specifications. For more information, contact Fara Waugh, Associate Director of Client Services at the Council for Older Adults: 800 Cheshire Road, Suite A, Delaware, OH 43015, or call (740) 363-6677 or 1-800-994-2255.

The Council for Older Adults of Delaware County is a non-profit local organization responsible for planning, coordinating and developing local services for older adults, their families and caregivers in Delaware County. The Council is the home of SENIOR CHOICES, the local one stop center for information, assistance and in-home services. The Senior Choices program is supported in part through the local senior services levy.