

Telephone Reassurance, Tele-N-Touch Program

Available 24/7

No

Other Eligibility Criteria

60 year old homebound elderly or other disabled persons. Must live in Buchanan, Dickenson, Russell or Tazewell counties. Must register to participate.

Family

No

Intake Contact

Christine Lester

Intake Process

Contact the office to arrange calls.

Self Refer

Yes

Appalachian Agency for Senior Citizens (AASC)

<http://www.aasc.org/>

<http://www.aasc.org/services/carecoordination.html>

Main

(276) 964-4915

Toll-Free

(800) 656-2272

Wardell Industrial Park

216 College Ridge Road

24609 VA

United States

Monday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Tuesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Thursday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Friday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

Fee Structure

No Fee

Languages Spoken

English

The Tele-N-Touch Program makes regular pre-arranged telephone calls to homebound elderly or other disabled persons. The individuals may be at great risk and need to be checked on routinely, or they simply like to have a friendly telephone visit. The program is designed to relieve loneliness of individuals whose circumstances may deprive them of social participation by providing some contact with the world outside their home. Calls may be arranged on a daily or weekly basis.

This is a joint project between AASC, Cumberland Mountain Community Services Board and Dickenson County Community Services Board. It is a special service provided by AASC staff and Community Services Board Club House members. This service is part of the Care Coordination program.

Service Area(s)

Buchanan County

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Dickenson County

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Russell County

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Tazewell County

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