



## Ohio Revised Code

### Section 173.544 Eligibility requirements for state-funded component of assisted living program.

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To be eligible for the state-funded component of the assisted living program, an individual must meet all of the following requirements:

- (A) The individual must need an intermediate level of care as determined by an assessment conducted under section 173.546 of the Revised Code.
  - (B) The individual must have an application for the medicaid-funded component of the assisted living program pending and the department or the department's designee must have determined that the individual meets the nonfinancial eligibility requirements of the medicaid-funded component and not have reason to doubt that the individual meets the financial eligibility requirements of the medicaid-funded component.
  - (C) While receiving assisted living services under the state-funded component, the individual must reside in a residential care facility that is authorized by a valid provider agreement to participate in the component, including both of the following:
    - (1) A residential care facility that is owned or operated by a metropolitan housing authority that has a contract with the United States department of housing and urban development to receive an operating subsidy or rental assistance for the residents of the facility;
    - (2) A county or district home licensed as a residential care facility.
  - (D) The individual must meet all other eligibility requirements for the state-funded component established in rules adopted under section 173.543 of the Revised Code.
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