

Home Care Services Information North Santa Barbara County

The following list was compiled by Senior Connection, a program of the Area Agency on Aging. 800-510-2020

The information contained in this list was provided by the individual service providers in response to informational surveys. The information is not a complete listing of Home Care providers. This list is not a referral or recommendation of any service provider. Senior Connection suggests that those seeking Home Care Services verify the information on the list and research at least 3 providers before making a selection.

Important information

Home Care or Home Health Care

Company or Registry

Home Care

Home Care (also called homemaker services, personal care or custodial care) is non-medical in home assistance. It includes tasks like companionship, housekeeping, assistance with transportation, hygiene, toileting and more. Currently, caregivers are not required by law to have any special training or meet any criteria other than those specified by the employer (new state regulations are expected to start Jan 2016). The training and certification programs for Certified Nurses Assistants (CNA) are applicable to many of the tasks performed by in home caregivers. **These services are not covered by Medicare, Medicare supplements or any other health insurance plans.** They may be covered under a long term care insurance policy.

Home Health Care

Home Health Care (also called Skilled Nursing) is medical assistance in the home. This includes services that must be performed by trained medical personnel including injections, wound care, physical therapy, medical hospice care, etc. Home Health Care Companies must be licensed by the state and the personnel must keep up their individual professional licenses. **This is not a list of Home Health Agencies. For a list of licensed Home Health Agencies call Senior Connection at 800-510-2020.**

Home Care Company List

A Home Care Company is a business that employs caregivers for in-home care clients. They provide the following for their employees and customers: general liability and workers compensation insurance, background checks, and payroll services. The complete cost of these is included in the rates.

Home Care Registry List

A Home Care Registry is a business that helps its customers select caregivers. These businesses may provide the some of following services: scheduling caregivers, general liability and workers compensation insurance, caregiver background checks, and payroll services. Consumers are advised to seek further information on employment tax and personal liabilities associated with hiring in home caregivers through a registry to fully understand the additional risk and/or cost of these services. The Area Agency on Aging's ***Hiring In Home Help Guide*** provides information on hiring caregivers and can be obtained by calling the Senior Connection program at 800-510-2020 or (805)-928-2552.

See the **Key** on the back of this sheet for more definitions of the information provided in the list.



Key

Area Served- Geographic areas where the services are available

Contract- Contract or service agreement required

Last Updated- When information on the company was last updated

Hourly Rate/ 24 hr Rate- Range of fees for services hourly and for a 24 hour shift

Deposit- Deposit requirements for starting services

Minimum Service- Minimum service required i.e. 1 hour per visit

Background Check- Name of service used for background checks (website or contact info)

Additional Comments- Specialized services or unique information about the business

HMKR- Homemaker services which includes :preparation of food. (*Feeding is Personal Care*), light housekeeping, washing and folding clothes, other asks around the house and companionship.

PCARE- Personal care services which includes bathing, dressing, hygiene, feeding, exercise.

SHOP- Grocery and other personal shopping

TRANS- Driving to appointments or activities

RESP- Intermittent relief care

24HR- 24 HR/ Overnight care*

ORG- Help sorting mail/ bills and scheduling payments. Writing checks or paying bills should only be done by a licensed fiduciary.

PET- Feeding, walking, cleaning up after pets

*Due to changes in state law, home care workers must be paid overtime at time and a half for every hour beyond 9 hours a day and 45 hours a week. This may impact shift scheduling.

COMPANY LIST

The following businesses have provided proof of the following for their employees and customers: general liability and workers compensation insurance, background checks, and payroll services. The complete cost of these is included in the rates.

All Ways Caring (formerly ResCare)					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
3220 S. Higuera Ste. 307 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 Ph # 781-8156 Fax: 781-0879 Area Served: SB and SLO County Background Check: Complies with all screening requirements of LiveScan Fingerprinting Clearance for both DOJ and FBI and TB Clearance Test.					X	X	X	X	x	X	X	X
Hourly Fee: Dependent 24 hr rate Dependent Deposit: Not as long as credit check is passed Contract required: No commitment Last Updated: 11/25/2019					We at ResCare Home Care are proud of our flexible services that are available when you need them and the way that you want them with no hourly minimums. ResCare Home Care is the nation's largest home care provider. We match our Caregivers with individuals based off personality, scheduling and needs. Our Capable Care Coordinators maintain regular contact to ensure services are satisfactory. In addition, we offer transportation services (including wheelchair transport) and One Touch							
BrightStar Care of Santa Barbara					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
5350 Hollister Avenue, STE G Santa Barbara, CA 93111 Ph # (805) 335-1200 Fax: 695-3505 Area Served: Santa Barbara County Background Check: CDSS LiveScan, Community Care Licensing FBI and DOJ					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hourly Fee: \$29.00 - 31.0 24 hr rate \$720.00 Deposit: None Contract required: Service Agreement Last Updated: 11/25/2019					We serve: Carpinteria, Summerland, Montecito, Santa Barbara, Goleta and Isla Vista. No Minimum Hours. All clients are visited by our Director of Nursing who creates a Plan of Care.							
Coast Family Home Care Inc.					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
900 E. Main Street, #103 Santa Maria, CA 93454 Ph # 934-0600 Fax: 937-8969 Area Served: SB and SLO Counties Background Check: Live Scan Fingerprinting by DOJ and FBI					X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Hourly Fee: \$26.50-29.50 24 hr rate \$450.00 Deposit: None Contract required: No Last Updated: 11/25/2019					Locally owned and operated. Owners on call 24/7/365. We tailor each care plan to the client. We provide e-mail or phone updates weekly to family members. All caregivers are professional, caring and dependable. We take care of all taxes, workers compensation, etc. for employees. All caregivers are registered with the State of California. Our HCO# 42470018.							
Family Home Care Inc.					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
717 E. Grand Ave, #D Arroyo Grande, CA 93420 Ph # 481-6081 Fax: 481-9981 Area Served: SB and SLO Counties Background Check: State of California Home Care Registry - Dept. of Social Services					X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Hourly Fee: Call 24 hr rate Call Deposit: None required Contract required: No Last Updated: 11/25/2019					Family owned business for over 30 years. Affiliated with South County Chambers of Commerce. All caregivers are screened, bonded and insured. We provide a complimentary assessment.							

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Home Instead Senior Care					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
222 W. Carmen Lane Ste 201 Santa Maria, CA 93458 Ph # 348-1642 Fax: Area Served: Santa Barbara County Background Check: www.findtherecord.com - 800.750.1360 (Public records check for criminal history, DMV and skip-trace)					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hourly Fee:	\$25-28.50	24 hr rate	\$375		All caregivers new to an assignment are accompanied by a staff member for the purpose of client introduction and on the job training. Our care plans are designed to meet the needs of the individual whether living at home, in assisted living or nursing home. Services can be provided for several hours per week to 24 hours a day. As an employer, we are responsible for all employer obligations. We provide supervision, case management, consultation and 24 hour access to a decision maker.							
Deposit:	2 Weeks Service											
Contract required:	Yes											
Last Updated	11/25/2019											
LivHome					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
220 E. Figueroa St. Santa Barbara, CA 93101 Ph # 687-8766 Fax: 563-1507 Area Served: SB and SLO Counties Background Check: Sterling Talent Solutions					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hourly Fee:	\$27-28	24 hr rate	Hourly Rate		We have Advanced Degreed Professional Life Care Managers who are AICA Certified. RN - MSW - Social Worker. LivHome Connect Service; 24-hour on-call services. Face-to-face contact with nursing professionals, Alzheimers trained caregivers; Hospice care.							
Deposit:	None											
Contract required:	Service Agreement											
Last Updated	11/25/2019											
Nursecore					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
1010 S Broadway STE A Santa Maria, CA 93454 Ph # 938-7660 Fax: 938-7741 Area Served: SB and SLO Counties Background Check: HireRight - full criminal and drug screening					X	X		X		X	X	
Hourly Fee:	\$32 - 79.00	24 hr rate	Hourly		NurseCore provides both personal care and skilled nursing. Nurse Core office staff are available 24/7 to assist clients. All care is directly supervised by a Registered Nurse.							
Deposit:	2 Weeks of service											
Contract required:	N/A											
Last Updated	11/25/2019											
Right At Home					HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
1018 Garden St #204 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 Ph # 962-0555 Fax: 962-0558 Area Served: SB and surrounding cities Background Check: DOJ LiveScan					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hourly Fee:	\$30	24 hr rate	\$30/hr		The Santa Barbara area Right at Home office is locally-owned and operated by husband and wife team, Larry & Tina Kreider. Right at Home has provided in-home care and assistance to seniors and people with disabilities since 1995. Our in-home care lets loved ones enjoy healthy lives in the comfort of a familiar environment. We tailor our care to your family's unique situation through a Custom Care Plan and are personally available 24 hours a day/7 days a week should a need arise.							
Deposit:	No											
Contract required:	Service Agreement											
Last Updated	11/25/2019											

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Superior Home Care				HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
320 E. Walnut Avenue Lompoc, CA 93436		Hourly Fee: \$25 - \$27	24 hr rate	Same							
Ph # 737-4357 Fax: 735-2410		Deposit: None in most cases									
Area Served: SB and SLO Counties		Contract required: None									
Background Check: State of California		Last Updated	11/25/2019								
Official Adult Protective Services Agency for Santa Barbara County.											

REGISTRY LIST

The following businesses provide assistance in finding and coordinating caregiving services. The complete costs of caregiving services (liability insurances and payroll taxes) may not be included in the hourly rate. Consumers are advised to seek further information on employment tax and personal liabilities associated with hiring in home caregivers to fully understand the additional risk and/or cost of these services.

Central Coast Caregiver Associates				HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
7395 El Camino Real STE#104 Atascadero, CA 93422		Hourly Fee: Varies	24 hr rate	Varies							
Ph # 461-5339 Fax: 461-8518		Deposit:									
Area Served: SLO and North SB Counties		Contract required:									
Background Check:		Last Updated	11/25/2019								
We have served San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara Counties for 17 years. Locally owned and operated. We have quality and highly experienced caregivers.											
Extended Family Associates				HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET
				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
8949-7 Broad St Box 10 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401		Hourly Fee: Varies	24 hr rate	Varies							
Ph # 801-2512 Fax: 439-1818		Deposit: no									
Area Served: North SB and SLO Counties		Contract required:									
Background Check:		Last Updated	11/25/2019								
Specialize in keeping your loved ones at home. Can assist in selecting a private caregiver and provide care management. 30 years experience as an RN. Member of the National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers.											

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Independent Living Resource Center				HMKR	PCARE	TRANS	SHOP	ORG	RESP	24HR	PET	
327 E Plaza STE 3A Santa Maria, CA 93454 Ph # 925-0015 Fax:				Hourly Fee:	Varies	24 hr rate	Varies	X	X	X	X	X
Area Served: SB County				Deposit:	None			Maintains a registry of independent caregivers.				
Background Check:				Contract required:	None							
Last Updated				11/17/2017								