



## Minimum Provider Requirements

### Providers must:

1. Be 21 years of age.
2. Be able to pass all required background checks. Additionally, all persons 16 years or older living in the home must also be able to pass all required background checks.
3. Successfully complete the Direct Support Person training curriculum
4. Be able to be placed on the Illinois Health Care Workers Registry
5. Possess a valid Illinois Driver's License
6. Possess reliable transportation.
7. Possess a High School diploma or G.E.D.
8. Be able demonstrate the ability to read at an 8th grade reading level
9. Be able to obtain and maintain authorization, from the RN Nurse Trainer, to assist individuals with the administration of medications.
10. Obtain certification from the Illinois Department of Human Services to provide Host Home services within your home.
11. Enter into a contract with ResCare for the provision of Host Home services

## ResCare Host Home Services

ResCare Residential Services partners with people in the community who open their homes to individuals with intellectual, developmental and physical disabilities. Individuals with disabilities reside with host home providers, enjoying a family environment and opportunities to become a part of the community.

We work closely with the individual and host home provider to ensure positive relationships develop and remain in continuous contact with both parties to meet each individual's needs. All providers must pass background checks and receive extensive training, including medication administration, CPR, and first aid.

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