"When Crossroads told me what they could do for my mom, I was giddy with happiness and relief! Simply getting the mail and doing a couple loads of laundry has become so difficult for her. This way she gets some friendly faces to visit with and someone to check on her too!"

OUT-OF-STATE DAUGHTER OF AN ELDERLY WOMAN

"After visiting with staff at Crossroads, our prayers were answered. We were so glad we were able to find someone to come into Dad and Mom's home as a companion and assist them with getting their groceries, cleaning their house and even sitting down with them for a cup of coffee."

OUT-OF-STATE SON OF ELDERLY PARENTS

"It's such a relief knowing Crossroads could give my mom that extra hand with meal preparation and healthy eating encouragement. It puts my mind at ease knowing she is getting help with meeting her nutritional needs and there is someone seeing her."

ADULT DAUGHTER OF AGING MOTHER IN ANOTHER AREA

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EXAMPLES

Household tasks
Meal preparation & sharing
Assistance with writing notes or checks
Community Referral Assistance
Personal Errands
Social Support & visiting
Hobby Participation
Christian Befriending
Caregiver Relief

HOW DOES IT WORK?

- Call us at 712-393-4673 and we will visit with you about the needs for yourself or a loved one.
- If you are interested, we will arrange for staff to come visit you at your home to complete an assessment at no charge to you.
- A fee based on our rate, any community gifting available for offset, and your ability to pay will be mutually determined.
- Services can be prepaid or billed upon full agreement, with payment made within the month of billing. All billing will be done the first week of each month.
- Services can also be underwritten or sponsored by civic groups, churches, friends, or extended family for the recipient, provided the services are approved through Crossroads' assessment.

WHO ARE THE CARE PROVIDERS?

All care providers will be trained to offer personalized service that either offers a break to caregivers or practical assistance to the elderly.

No medical cares will be provided, although we can help you locate home-based medical caregiving if needed.

No transportation is provided to recipients.

Caregivers will be assigned according to similar values, needs, and personality of an individual and the availability of the caregiver's time.

Consistent scheduling is encouraged; substitution is likely to be necessary from time to time.

WHAT AREA IS SERVED BY THIS PROGRAM?

We are first dedicated to providing services in the Crawford County area. Outlying areas will be considered according to staffing availability and possible consolidation of locations. Travel is included in the fee for most situations, though unique circumstances may necessitate travel fees.

Please call and visit with us if you're interested, we will fully consider most appropriate referrals.

DOES THE COMMUNITY HELP TOWARD THIS PROGRAM?

Yes! Continual fundraising toward potential offset of your fee for CoCares is part of our ongoing fundraising. We are encouraged by the first years' donations toward program costs from civic groups, churches, extended family and individual donors. We cannot make any assurances for offset monies for any resources to any specific recipient or their family.

Donors are encouraged to underwrite costs EITHER for a specific person or a general, unnamed recipient.

Ongoing fundraising determines the growth of this program in our area.

HOW DOES CROSSROADS COLLABORATE WITH OTHER COMMUNITY PROGRAMS?

The CoCares program was created around the needs we have realized through our initial work in family resourcing. We work closely with medical providers and home-based providers so that any medical provisions can be met through them and the social/emotional factors can be enhanced with additional time with CoCares staff. We accept referrals from doctors, pastors, healthcare facilities, community entities, and self-referral. We would plan to work toward mutual goals with any other provider.

ARE THERE GOALS BEYOND PRACTICAL HELPING?

We know that the elderly and caregivers are very challenged by multiple obstacles—isolation, loneliness, lack of helpers, financial barriers, and physical or emotional limitations.

We want to establish a working relationship with the recipients and add encouragement, hope, healthy living ideas, and Christian friendship to their lives! We won't force anything that is not desired, but would like to offer a friendly spirit to their day!

STOP OUT TO MEET US!



We sell Jumpy Monkey Roasting Co. whole bean & ground coffee.





A gift area & baby items that help support our Pregnancy & Parenting Resource Center is located at the office.

We appreciate your help to share our mission with the communities around Crawford County!

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