

Jewish Community Center

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ADULT

SUPPORTIVE

SERVICES

SYSTEM

COOPERATING AGENCIES ARE:

Association of Home Care Agencies

Community Chest --
Information and Referral

Council on Aging

Home Aid Service

Jewish Family Service

Jewish Federation of Cincinnati

Jewish Hospital

Jewish Vocational Service

Senior Services Inc.

Any hospital when OASSS services
are needed

1580 Summit Road
Cincinnati, Ohio
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WHAT IS OASSS?

OASSS is a program which provides supportive home care for the Jewish elderly. The goal of this program is to allow the elderly to remain independent and in their homes with the intent to prevent or delay institutional care.

HOW IS THIS ACCOMPLISHED?

After an individual has been referred to OASSS the social workers work closely with the clients, through hospital and home visits, to provide hospital discharge and home care planning. This is done by assessing their needs, providing counseling, consultation, and acting as liaison between the client, family members, physicians, and other social service agencies. Referrals are made by physicians, hospital social workers, social service agencies, family and friends, as well as self-referrals.

WHAT SERVICES ARE PROVIDED?

OASSS is able to provide various services for the elderly. These services include:

- 1 - Home care planning
 - personal care
 - homemaker - companion
 - skilled nursing service
 - chore service
- 2 - Hospital discharge planning
- 3 - Counseling
- 4 - Continual assessment and follow-up
- 5 - Medical Transportation

HOW IS OASSS FUNDED?

OASSS is a non-profit program funded by the Jewish Federation of Cincinnati.

Charges for services are based on a sliding fee scale.

FOR INFORMATION

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