# Overview

Walnut Street Center provides residential supports to adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. These individuals receive support from our caring, highly trained staff, who provide assistance with daily routines, community integration, and clinical services. Supports are person-centered and customized to meet each individual's unique needs. Supports range from intensive 24-hour supervision to drop-in case management.





Walnut Street Center has a residential network that includes 17 physical sites, housing 22 programs. Our homes are located in urban areas; some are multi-family buildings and others are fully accessible units. Homes can house anywhere from 2 to 8 individuals, but a majority of homes house 4 individuals or fewer. Our residential sites reflect the personalities of the individuals who live there, and are secure and comfortable. As with all of our services, Walnut Street Center works with the individual and their support network to develop a customized model. Staffing ratios vary and are determined by the need of the individual. Our goal is to support the individual to become as independent as possible. Our caring, highly trained staff provide assistance with day to day living including financial management, medical appointments, and meal preparation. All of our residential sites are community-based and focus on integration through building relationships and connections.

### **INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT**

The Individual Support service model provides supports to adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities who live independently in their own home or apartment. The service is provided either through case management or recurrent support from Walnut Street Center staff. As with all of our services, Walnut Street Center works with the individual and their support network to develop a customized model that allows them to obtain the highest level of independence. Services include but are not limited to: assistance with money management, meal preparation, transportation, healthy lifestyle support, access to the community, and relationship building.

#### **24-HOUR SUPPORT**

Walnut Street Center offers individuals residential options tailored to individuals' specific needs. One of these living arrangements includes private residences that are integrated within the community and are staffed with 24/7 residential support. These homes house multiple adults, each with their own private bedroom, but with the ability to have the socialization and support of their peers and at least one staff member on site any time residents are present. Some homes are completely accessible.

## Individuals receive assistance with managing and carrying out:

- Day to day living
- Medical necessities
- · Appointments and treatments
- Entitlements + benefits
- Recreational activities
- Skill development
- Financial management

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