



# CHEROKEE ELDER CARE

KEEPING PACE WITH TODAY'S  
HEALTHCARE NEEDS!

## Services

- Primary Medical & Nursing Care
- Medical Specialist
- Therapy-Physical, Occupations, & Speech
- Home Health Services
- Transportation
- Social Services
- Behavior Health
- Hospitalizations
- Medications
- Medical Equipment
- Adult Day Health Care & Social Activities

## Eligibility

- Must be at least 55 years of age.
- Eligibility is determined by the State Administrating Agency's level of care required under the State Medicaid plan for coverage of nursing facility services.
- Be able to live safely in the home prior to enrollment in Cherokee Elder Care.
- Live within the service area designated by the listed zip codes.

## PACE

PACE (PROGRAM OF ALL-INCLUSIVE CARE FOR THE ELDERLY) IS A FEDERALLY REGULATED PROGRAM THAT WORKS TO KEEP ELDERS IN THEIR HOMES AND COMMUNITIES FOR AS LONG AS POSSIBLE.

## Service Area

**Adair County**- 74931, 74457, 74960, 74964, 74965

**Cherokee County**- 74427, 74441, 74444, 74451, 74452, 74464, 74465, 74471

**Delaware County**- 74347, 74359, 74368

**Mayes County**- 74352, 74365, 74364

**Muskogee County**- 74423, 74439, 74434, 74401, 74402, 74403

**Sequoyah County**- 74945, 74435, 74955, 74962

**Wagoner County**- 74446, 74467, 74477



## What is Cherokee Elder Care?

The elderly represent a growing and vital resource in our communities that may need an added level of care. Cherokee Elder Care was created to work with the community, state, and federal government to provide this specialized care to northeastern Oklahoma. Cherokee Elder Care is the first PACE program in Oklahoma and the first PACE program sponsored by a Native American tribe. Additionally, it is one of the first rural PACE sites in the nation. It represents a team effort to increase the availability and quality of services, facilitate their timely delivery and enhance the lives of elderly persons by assisting them to remain in their homes as long as possible.

## What is the PACE program?

PACE (Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly) is a federal program designed to keep elders living in their homes, connected with their communities, and out of nursing home facilities. The PACE center combines an adult day health center, primary care office, and rehabilitation facility into a single location. Services include but are not limited to primary care, rehabilitation, prescription medication, meals/nutritional counseling, respite services, caregiver training, home health, and transportation. Utilizing an inter-disciplinary team comprised of physicians, registered nurses, nurse practitioners, therapists, social service workers, dieticians, and transportation specialists, the total needs of the elder can be addressed. This provides an all-inclusive and comprehensive continuum of care designed to maintain, and ideally improve, the quality of life for our elderly.

**CEC PACE participants may be liable  
for the cost of services obtained  
without their CEC team approval  
(except for emergencies).**

**\*Individuals do not have to be Native American to qualify.**

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