



What is the Difference Between a Health Home and Home Health Care?



Health Home

A Health Home is a care management service that involves all members of an individual's caregiver team, allowing them to communicate with each other so the individual's health is viewed holistically. The care manager oversees the individual's overall health to ensure the individual is receiving everything he/she needs, and that the individual stays out of the emergency department and out of the hospital. A Health Home is not a physical place.



Home Health Care

Home Health care is a range of in-home services to treat and care for an illness or injury. This service can be cost-effective, and more convenient alternative to a hospital visit or a skilled nursing facility.