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(e) (3) The personal needs allowance for each resident of a nursing home who is a recipient of medical assistance shall be:

(i) If on or before June 30, 2002, the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services approve the Department's application for an amendment to the State's existing § 1115 demonstration waiver necessary to implement the Maryland Pharmacy Discount Program established under § 15-124.1 of the Health - General Article:

3. Beginning July 1, 2005, adjusted annually by an amount not exceeding 5% to reflect the percentage by which benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 401 through 433) are increased by the federal government to reflect changes in the cost of living, as that percentage change is reported in the Federal Register in accordance with 42 U.S.C. 415(a)(1)(D); or

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Error: Omitted citation in § 15-109(e)(3)(i)3 of the Health - General Article.

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(d) The long-term care case manager at a local department of social services shall:

(1) Provide assistance to residents and make referrals to persons that may help IN OBTAINING additional information, case management services, or evaluation services related to Medical Assistance waiver programs or other options for receiving long-term care services in the community;

(e) When a resident indicates an interest in receiving long-term care services in the community, the [long term] LONG-TERM care case manager at a local department of social services shall refer the resident within 10 days to persons that will provide information or case management services that will enable the resident to consider the options that may be available and apply for benefits if the resident chooses.

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