

Consumer: Thomas Conrad (Client ID: 1304858260)

This consumer is a 43 year old white male residing at Park Avenue Rehab in Crawford County. Diagnoses include quadriplegia due to MVA. Consumer requires maximum to total assistance with ADLs and dependent for all IADLs. Personal care assistant duties include personal care, mobility, transfers, observation of complications, implementing skin protocol, bowel routine and straight cath every 4-6hrs. Consumer uses a hooyer lift for all transfers and he is able to propel himself in a motorized wheelchair for mobility. Consumer requires assistance with medication administration. Consumer is a fall risk.

This consumer is currently working with A Bridge to Independence (ABI) for SC services. They completed an ISP plan to include home mods, PAS and nursing services. VFI completed the home mod pre-approval process as and NHT Partner and then completed the modifications needed for this consumer to return to the community.

In order for this consumer to be discharged home he requires nursing to go in every 4-6hrs for straight cathing along with a bowel routine once a day. The SC agency has been unable to find a provider in Crawford County that can staff the nursing portion of this case. We have gone through 3 home health agencies that have notified us that that they can't staff his case. His parents are elderly and he has no other family or friends that are willing to assist him with this task.

If a home health agency is not found he has no other option than to stay in the nursing home or go home and go to the ER every 4-6hrs to be cathed.

The NHT process has exhausted the avenue to hold his apartment with TBRA funding and he was denied rent funding. He is now at risk of losing his apartment that has been made accessible for his return.

