

## PATCH Program

PATCH stands for Psychogeriatric Assessment and Treatment in City Housing.

It is a program intended to meet the mental health needs of the elderly who live in city housing.

Working through the Community Psychiatry Program at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, a psychiatrist, and psychiatric nurse provide in-home assessment, treatment, and referral.

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## What are the goals of PATCH?

PATCH seeks to maintain seniors in their current residences. To meet this goal the program provides the following:

- Mental health assessment and counseling to seniors for whom traditional treatment settings have not been effective
- Referral to and improved coordination of community services for seniors
- Education to city housing staff about mental health issues and the elderly

## PATCH can help with:

- Grief and Depression
- Losses and Changes
- Anxiety
- Suspiciousness and Fearfulness
- Forgetfulness
- Retirement issues
- Family Problems and Stress
- Substance Abuse

## PATCH is available in:

- Stadium Place 1020 E. 33<sup>rd</sup> St, 1030 E. 33<sup>rd</sup> St, 1040 E. 33<sup>rd</sup> St, 1050 E. 33<sup>rd</sup> St  
Baltimore, MD 21218
- Waters Towers 1400 E. Madison St  
Baltimore, MD 21205