

SeniorsPlus Assistive Technology

Examples of Assistive Technology that help people stay at home

- Pill dispensers
- Emergency Response
- Wheelchair Devices; trays, etc.
- Feeding Support
- Nanny Cams
- WIFI Doorbells
- Voice or touch activated devices
- Automatic door openers
- Tablets for a variety of uses
- Blood Pressure watches

What are the current challenges?

- We have a learning gap; need to be trained on what devices are most appropriate/effective for what disabilities or conditions — *Changes so rapidly*
- Anything that is connected to the bricks and mortar is considered an EN Mod not assistive technology....such as doorbells or automatic door openers
- Cap is too low - \$1000
- Some items are considered DME - Air filters, Lift Chairs, Walkers
- Broadband is needed for many things; not consistently available
- En Mod - too low at \$3000 - for things like Ceiling lifts

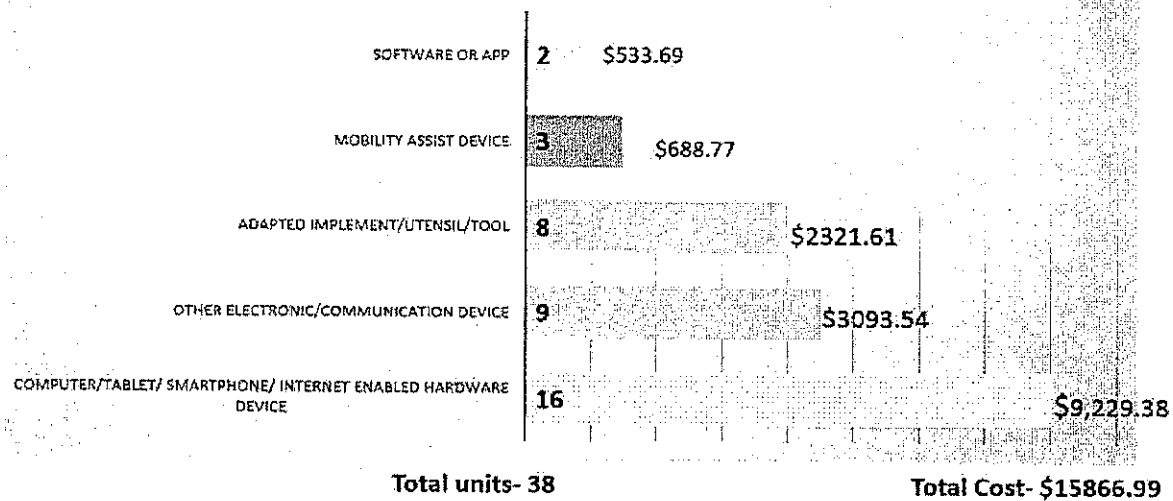
How to overcome?

- Training of all parts of the system beginning with assessors
- When appropriate conduct and Independent Living Assessment. Would adaptive equipment negate the needs for so many hours of personal assistance?
- Allow some En Mods such as multi room lifts to be funded (would need to raise the cap on En Mods) Ex bedroom to bathroom...again may lead to less worker hours needed.
- Combine En Mod and AT into one cap.

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Assistive Technology in Section 19

Utilization 2017-2018



AT	Amount	Date job completed
HeadMouse Nano - Windows Bundle	\$997.91	9/15/2017
Laptop	\$478.24	1/30/2018
desk top computer	\$896.74	2/7/2018
Amazon Echo Show	\$256.62	2/15/2018
Amazon Echo Plus (w/ Philips Hue Bulb Included)	\$332.98	5/7/2018
iPad, Large Key Keyboard	\$470.89	5/21/2018
Surface Pro	\$942.10	6/25/2018
Inhance	\$705.80	6/29/2018
Seizure detection device	\$258.00	8/1/2017
iPad Mini (Cell)	\$736.34	10/27/2017
Ipad/ case	\$350.08	12/8/2017
tablet	\$958.94	12/21/2017
Ipad and Ipad mount for wheelchair and program	\$846.40	3/2/2018
Ipad w/keyboard	\$892.85	4/5/2018
Echo technology	\$105.49	4/17/2018
IPOD money reader	\$427.69	11/16/2017
voice activated program to talk instead of type	\$106.00	3/19/2018
Adaptive phone w/headset	\$263.88	5/7/2018
Maximus Video Security Camera & Outdoor Light	\$332.98	5/7/2018
Nanny Cam	\$249.99	7/17/2017
Tower and program for communication	\$548.54	11/1/2017
baby monitor	\$63.25	11/16/2017
baby monitor	\$137.15	12/7/2017
Headset	\$158.24	4/12/2018
Remote Monitoring Camera	\$501.49	5/22/2018
Heartisans Blood Pressure Watch	\$168.02	6/3/2018
Ferticare Personal 2	\$670.00	4/3/2018
SmarTap e-Valve Unit	\$332.98	5/7/2018
pill dispenser	\$289.95	5/16/2018
pill dispenser	\$79.99	5/29/2018
Lifeware Utensils	\$388.74	9/21/2017
ADA stove	\$1,000.00	1/5/2018
Lifeware steady spoon/fork	\$229.95	1/19/2018
bed railing	\$59.03	10/17/2017
Keyless Entry	\$394.75	6/19/2018
Resistive Pedal Exerciser	\$234.99	1/3/2018

