

Small Assisted Living Home Provider

Perspective & Challenges

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Benefits/Successes of Small Providers

- May be able to offer lower price points than larger communities
- Offer a smaller setting for those who prefer/don't need the amenities of a larger community
- Benefits of small communities for residents with dementia
- Home-like setting benefits, specifically for residents with dementia

Challenges for Small Providers

- Lack of resources (AL grant fund, Delegating RN/MD)
- Staff wages are harder to maintain than competitive rates of larger communities/exacerbates staffing challenges
- AL regulations are the same for all AL despite size/resources
- Lack of consistent regulatory guidance
- All small providers grouped together - Bad reputation of some may impact all!