

How It Works:

Call toll-free at (888) 771-4550 or in OKC Metro 271-4550 and request a Respite Voucher application. The person you talk to will need to ask you some questions to determine if you qualify for the program. If so, the application will be mailed to you and will include instructions on filling out the form. After you have filled out the application, you will need to return it to OASIS. It will then be forwarded to the appropriate funding approver.

The approval process may take several weeks, depending on availability of funds.

Once approved, vouchers for respite care will be issued by DHS and sent to the applicant. Vouchers can then be used to purchase respite service from a provider of your choice. Providers must be 18 years of age and can be anyone except immediate family living in the home. If you don't have a provider you can call OASIS at (800) 426-2747 for a list of possible agency providers.

After respite service is given, the voucher needs to be filled out by the caregiver and the provider and returned to DHS. DHS will then send payment to the respite provider.

Vouchers are good for three months. Once they expire, the caregiver can request more vouchers by calling OASIS. Getting more vouchers may take several weeks and during that time respite care will not be covered by vouchers.

For more information about the Respite Voucher Program, call (888) 771-4550

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