

What is the Handy Andy Program?

Handy Andy is a volunteer service in Monmouth and Ocean County, NJ designed to assist seniors 60 years of age, or older.

Recognizing that many seniors face challenges aging safely in their homes Caregivers offers **FREE** seasonal safety assessments that will inform the homeowner of any items that need tending to in their home.

Seniors can call us when they are ready for assistance, and we will coordinate with a volunteer to visit their home.

For those who are homebound, please note that seniors are responsible for purchasing materials needed for the repairs.

Seniors can easily register by completing a brief application over the phone, ensuring we have all the necessary information for safe and efficient maintenance.

How to Register:

- Call our office at: 732-505-2273 Ext. 212.
- Please plan to be on the phone for 5-10 minutes.
- For more information about the program please visit our website listed below.



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Handy Andy Program



**Free Safety
Home Maintenance
for Seniors**

✓ Spring & Fall Safety Assessments Include:

- AC & furnace filter changes
- Hanging shades & curtains
- Water filter changes
- Minor outside cleanup
- Move seasonal items in/out of storage
- Light bulb changes
- Opening and closing of AC vents
- Smoke alarm - carbon monoxide checks, & changing of batteries
- Weather stripping and caulking
- Replace/Repair of locks & doorbells
- Install Safety grab bars
- Install Storm windows or screens
- Install/store window AC units
- Turn on/off outdoor water supply
- Reversal of ceiling fans
- Tightening of leaky faucets
- Access to community resource list

✗ Sorry, We Cannot Do the Following:

- Any aesthetic improvements on countertops, flooring, tiling etc.
- Any work behind walls
- Any painting, sheet rock, or insulation
- Any assembling of furniture
- Lawn mowing or weeding
- Carpentry, plumbing, & electrical repairs
- Roof repairs or structural work
- Any house cleaning or laundry
- Work on ladders above the first floor
- Window repairs
- Appliance repairs
- Powerwashing



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Reminders:

HOMEOWNERS HAVE TO BE 60 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER

SENIORS HAVE TO BE RESIDENTS OF MONMOUTH OR OCEAN COUNTY

NO RENTAL HOMES OR APARTMENTS

RESIDENTS MUST OWN THEIR HOMES

HOMES CAN NOT BE UP FOR SALE

MATERIALS PURCHASED BY THE VOLUNTEER MUST BE REIMBURSED BY THE HOMEOWNER

Disclaimer

Handy Andy is a free repair and maintenance service for seniors aged 60 years and older in Monmouth and Ocean County, facilitating repairs to homes so that seniors can age safely in place. While we strive for safety, reliability, and efficiency, we cannot guarantee the immediate availability of a volunteer or the quality of services we arrange. Handy Andy is not liable for any loss, damage, injury, or inconvenience resulting from the use of our service. Seniors agree to the terms and conditions outlined when accepting help from this program.