

Caregiving is the top reason HUSKY adults aren't working ^(KFF)

60,000 CT caregivers have incomes below \$25,000/year ^(AARP)

1 in 5 CT caregivers struggle to care for their own health ^(AARP)

42% of CT caregivers struggle with finances due to their responsibilities ^(AARP)

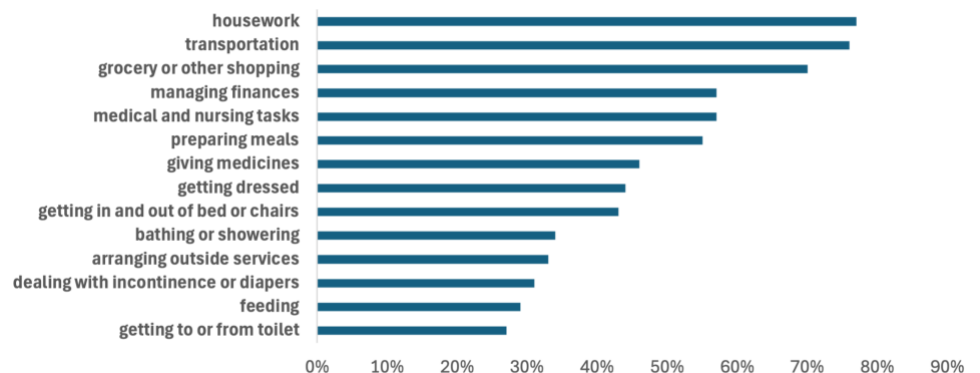
CT would have to pay \$10.7 billion just to replace caregivers ^(AARP)

New federal Medicaid work requirements put coverage at risk for 110,000 HUSKY Part D members ages 19 to 64. Starting in January 2027 they will have to document that they are working, in school, job training, or volunteering in their community.

But there are nine exemptions to the work requirements, including caregiving for someone with health or other problems that affect their daily lives. Caregivers can be assisting seniors, people with disabilities, or others with serious health needs.

Caregivers provide services we can't afford to pay for.

CT caregivers help with:



Sources: [Caregiving in the USA](#), AARP

[Understanding the Intersection of Medicaid and Work: An Update](#), KFF

HUSKY and Caregivers:

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Check the HUSKY pre-screener site to see if the new work rules apply to you and what to do about it. ct.gov/HUSKYDhelp



Use our flowchart to see if you qualify for the caregiver exemption. [Flowchart](#)