

## Our Mission

To provide comprehensive assessment, education and planning for elders and/or their families, and to provide geriatric stage of life education to the community at large.

- Bergen County has the largest number of persons age 60+ in the State of NJ. Consequently, County leadership has recognized that a large group of baby boomers are finding themselves for the first time needing information to meet the care needs of their parents, and prospectively, themselves.
- For National Senior Citizen Month in May 2006, County Executive Dennis McNerney called for a focus on “quality life issues necessary for maintaining health and well being as one ages” and used the equation:

**Independence +  
Dignity + Choice  
= Healthy Aging**



**Vantage Health System**

*Quality Care for Life's Challenges*

In operation since 1957 Vantage Health System, Inc., is a network of private, not-for-profit, community-based services, programs and facilities. Our geriatric adult care program began in 1978 and has enjoyed a 30 year reputation of excellence in geriatric services.

Vantage is committed to providing high quality comprehensive healthcare services while empowering individuals and families to achieve wellness.

## Get In Touch

For information or to schedule an appointment call 201-384-7734



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Geriatric  
Consultation  
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Helping you provide the best  
care for your loved one





# Geriatric Consultation Service

provided by Vantage Health System

## Are you the 1 in 4 who has a relative who is growing older and showing signs of change?

You are not alone. When an elderly family member exhibits changes that are uncharacteristic and affect their ability to maintain their independence and/or care for themselves, concern and confusion result. There are many unanswered questions.

Vantage's Geriatric Consultation Service is available to explore those questions and help you find the answers.



### How We Can Help You

Vantage Health System has a 30 year reputation for excellence in geriatric services. Building on that history, our experienced geriatric staff will share their expertise to advise you about the changes which occur during this stage of life and in making the best choices that help your loved one and your particular family situation.

#### You can expect us to:

- Evaluate your loved one's needs
- Assess the changes
- Explore with you options for care
- Assist in the referral and coordination of services
- Provide counseling, if necessary, to assist in understanding the changes which are occurring within the family and affect family members of every age.



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### Fee

Hourly fee based service

### Location

Consultations can take place at our Dumont office, or at a more convenient location of family choice.



“ The staff had an encyclopedia of resources and creative ideas to cope with the numerous problems we faced. This consultation service has truly served as a lifeline for us. ”