

Nevada Senior Services Integrated Dementia Services Network

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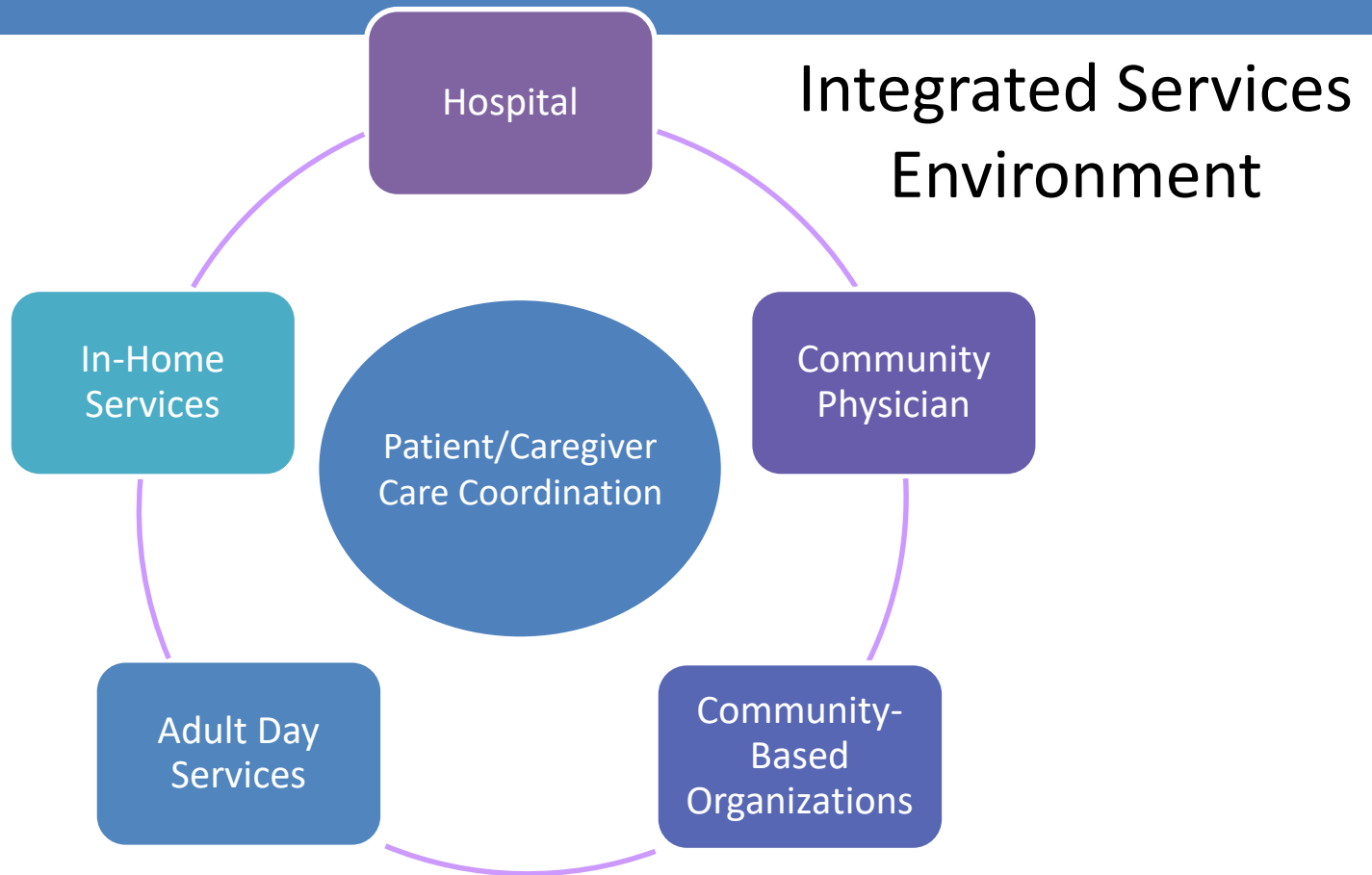
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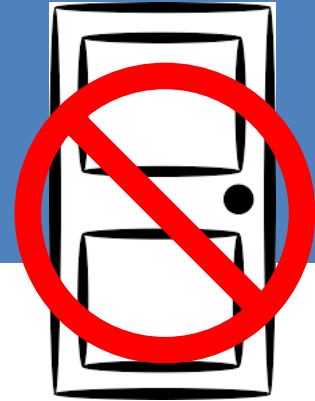
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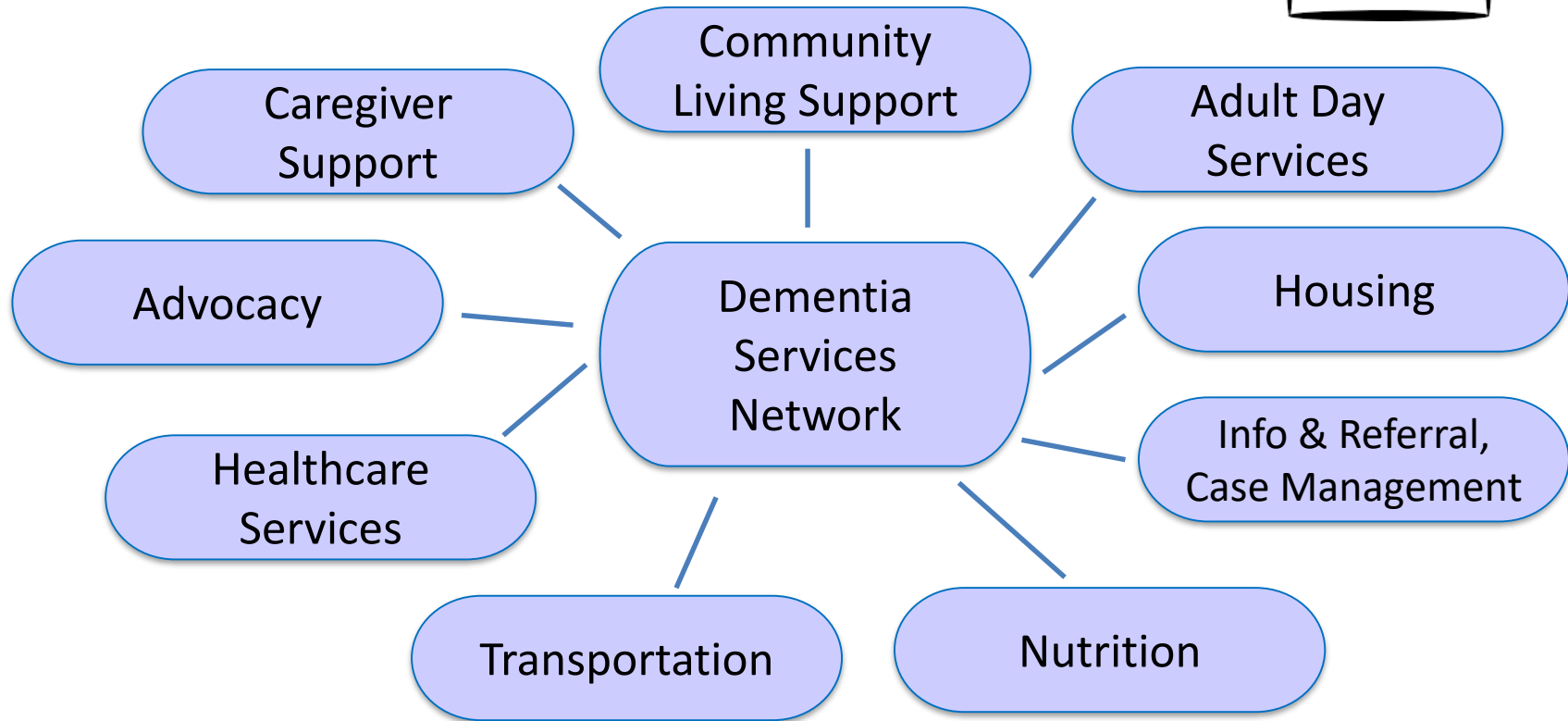


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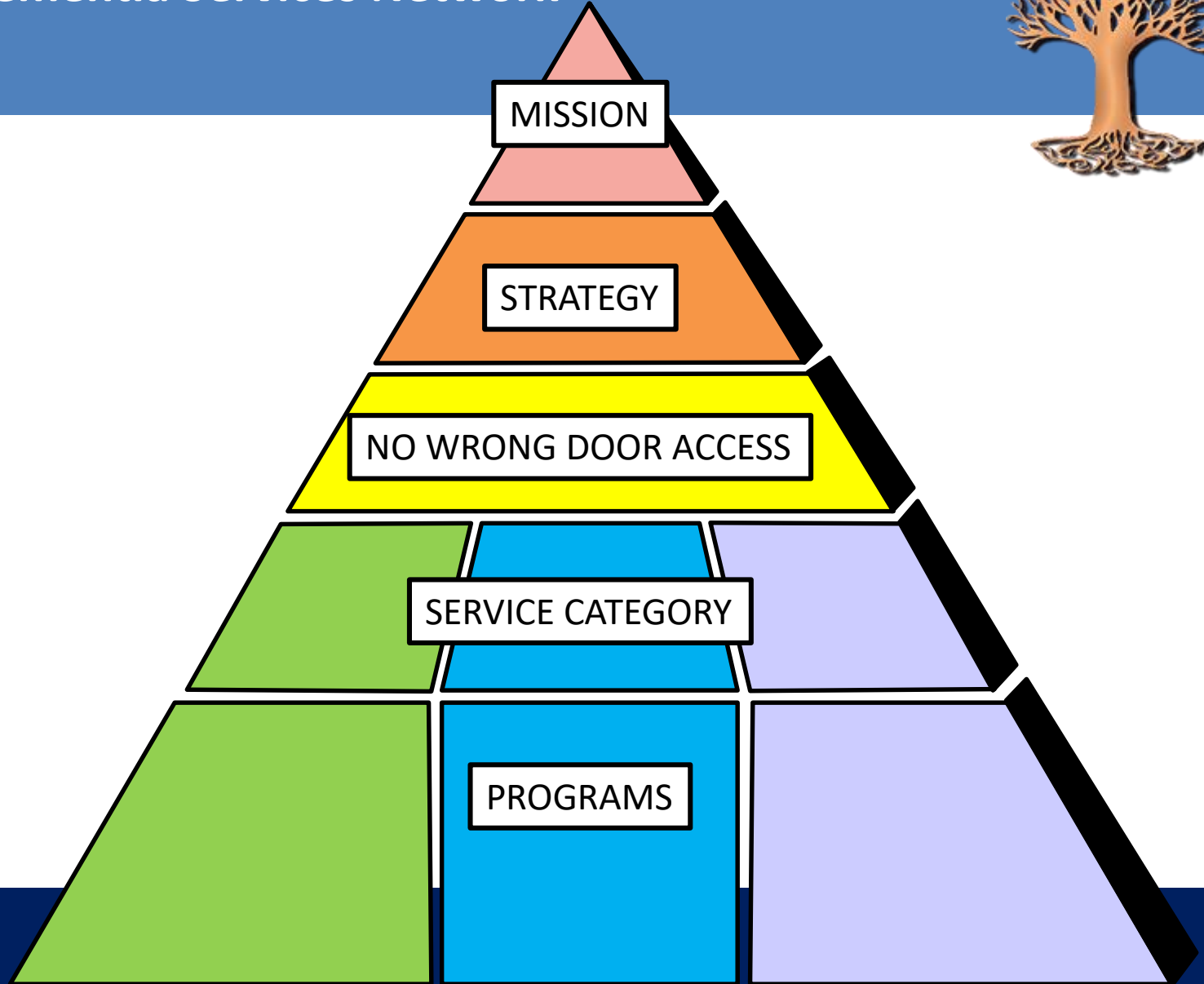


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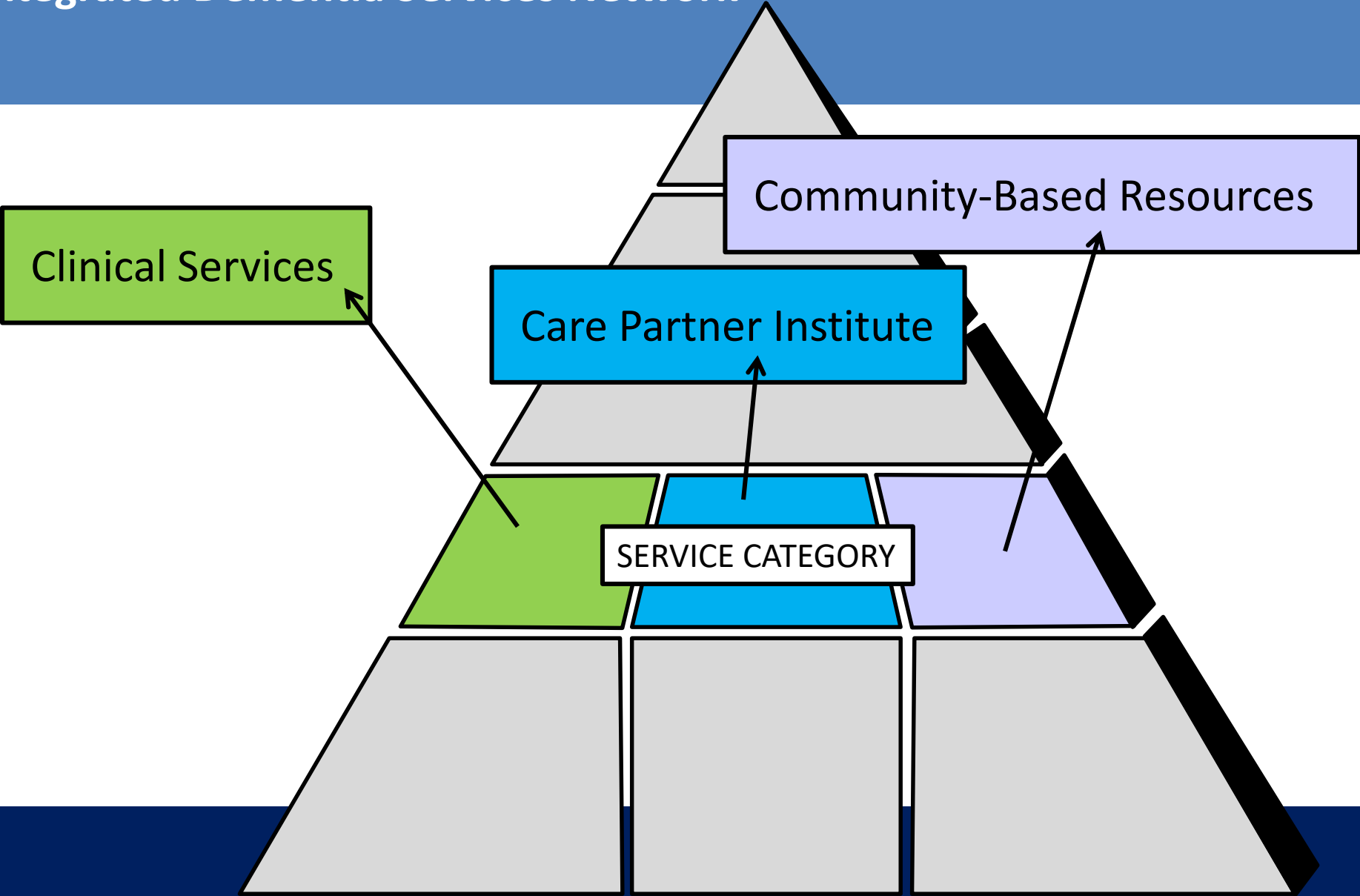
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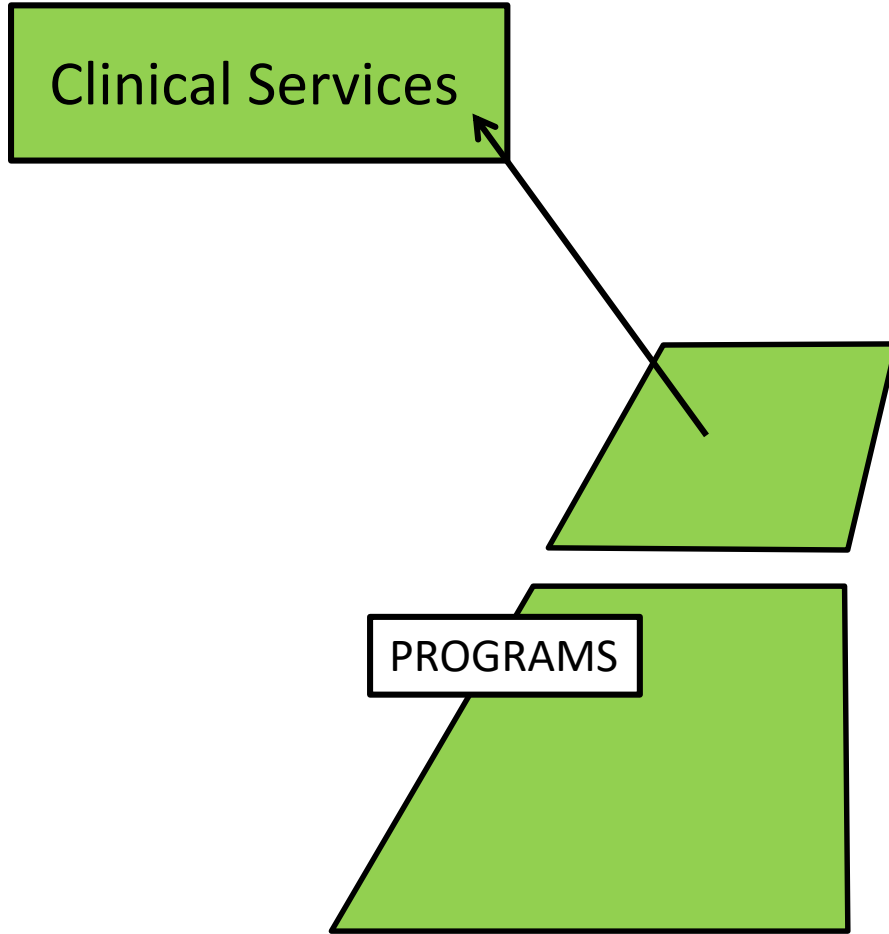
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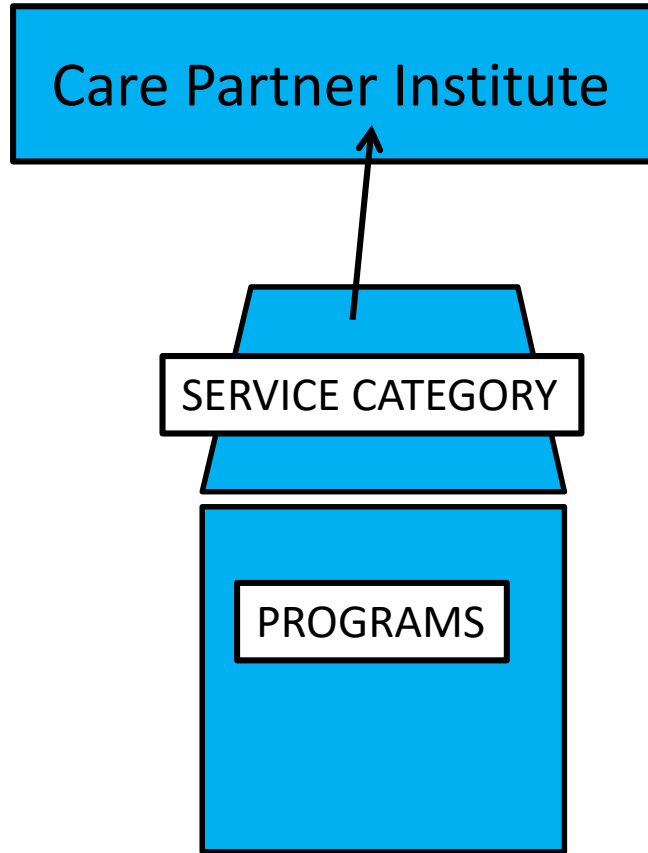
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- Adult Day Health Care
- Creative Aging
- Early Memory Loss
(New Pathways Cafe)
- Moderate Memory Loss
(Connections)
- Geriatric Assessment

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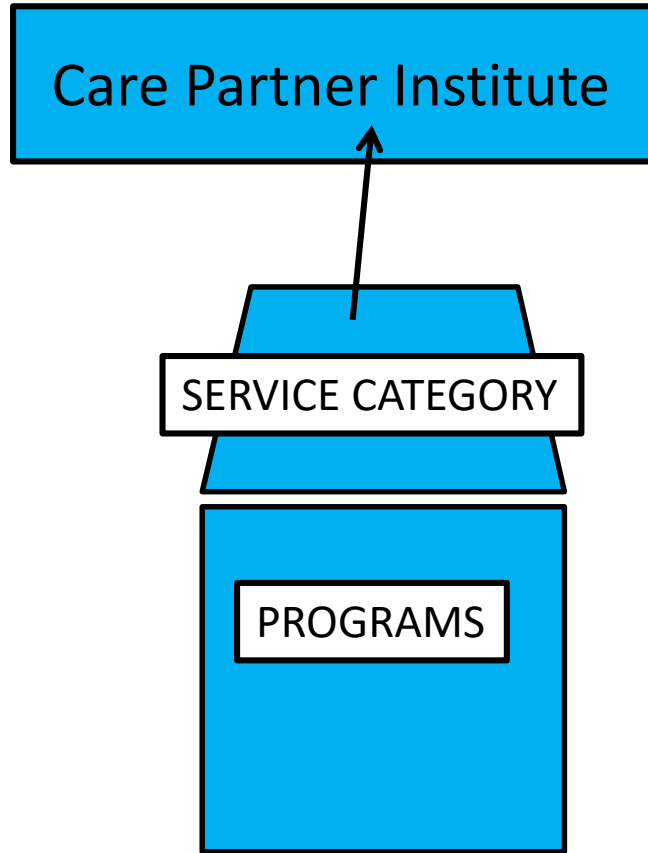
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- Care Consultation
Telephone-based caregiver coaching and support
- Caring For You, Caring For Me
10 hour education & support series for family & professional caregivers
- Hospital To Home Care Transitions
- Education

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- **RCI REACH**

Tailored in-home support program to assist caregivers manage the challenges of caring for a loved one with dementia

- **SKILLS2CARE**

Home based occupational therapy delivered support program to assist caregivers manage the challenges of caring for a loved one with dementia

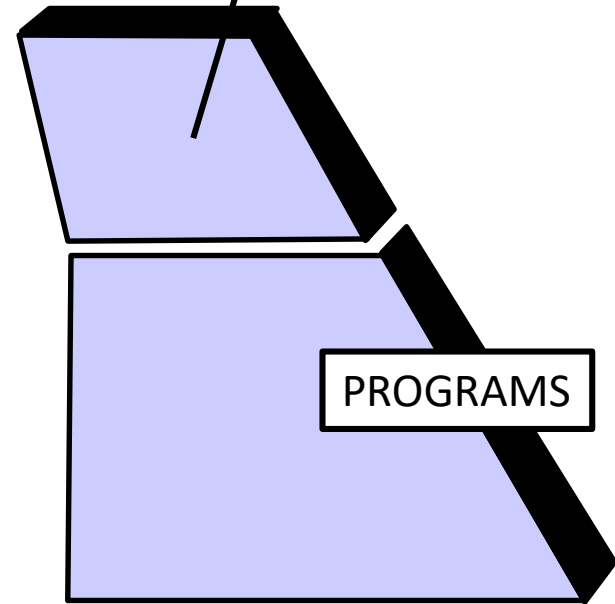
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- Wellness Programs
- Community Outreach
- Home Safety Modifications
- Information, Referral and Assistance
- Options Counseling
- In-Home Respite Care

Offers caregivers the opportunity for a break from the responsibilities for caregiving

Community-Based Resources



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Outcomes For **Caregivers**

- Increased self-efficacy
- Decreased desire to place loved one in institutional setting
- Decreased caregiver depression
- Decreased feelings of burden
- Improved self rated health
- Decreased emergency department visits and hospitalizations

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Outcomes For **Care Recipients**

- Improved ability to remain living in the community
- Decreased emergency department visits and hospitalizations
- Decreased falls & home injury risk
- Enhanced quality of life

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A few conclusions become clear when we understand this: that our most cruel failure in how we treat the sick and the aged is the failure to recognize that they have priorities beyond merely being safe and living longer; that the chance to shape one's story is essential to sustaining meaning in life; that we have the opportunity to refashion our institutions, our culture, and our conversations in ways that transform the possibilities.....”

— Atul Gawande, *Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End*

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