

Shaping Our Future...



North Shore Village is in the vanguard of a nationwide movement that is changing the way we think about aging. If you choose to “age in place,” we provide a supportive network that makes it possible.

We are about...

Community. NSV members come together in familiar settings as part of a new community for social, cultural and recreational activities. Old friendships are strengthened and new ones are formed.

Options. Most older adults say their first choice is to remain in their own homes as they age. The nation’s senior population will double by 2030. These two facts point to the need for fresh alternatives to the existing network of services for older adults. The village movement is one such alternative.

Access. One phone call to North Shore Village opens the door to trustworthy professional and volunteer services. Everyone who works with NSV completes a thorough vetting process, including interviews, background checks and reference checks.

About Our Village...

Founded by community volunteers who saw the value of bringing the village concept to the North Shore, our village is organized as an Illinois nonprofit corporation with a volunteer board of directors, dozens of volunteers and more than 50 service providers.

Thanks to a partnership with Mather LifeWays® North Shore Village has office space and a full-time executive director. NSV partners with numerous agencies and organizations that support our mission of helping older adults age in community.

**You chose your home.
Now you can choose your future in it.**



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Do you ask yourself how
you can remain in the
community you know

among

friends you cherish

in the

home you love

as you grow older?

North Shore Village

has the **answer...**

Your Home...Your Choice



If you're thinking about HOW you want to live as you grow older, you're probably thinking about WHERE you want to live. Chances are, you would prefer to remain in your own home.

There are many people just like you. They're used to being independent and making their own choices in life. Now they are getting together to shape how they live that life as they grow older.

They do it by forming "villages," self-generated organizations of older adults who are rethinking how we age and where we age—and are doing something about it. Villages enable us to remain engaged in the community, with ready access to safe, reliable assistance with everyday needs.

“The volunteer did a fabulous job of fixing our cabinet. He even had the quite unusual hinges that we needed to replace the ones we had. Thanks for setting this up.”

— Arnie Kanter

“I know I can rely on Village volunteer drivers to get me where I need to go. And they are such pleasant company!”

— Charlotte Cohen



Why Choose A Village?

“My membership in North Shore Village is opening doors to new friendships and affording me experiences that are sometimes limited as we age. It also provides a sense of security in the knowledge that members and volunteers will be there if and when needs arise. I've met such interesting people in the short time I've been a member. I am reaping benefits and having such fun!”

— Roxane Fox



“The repairman was very professional and pleasant and we were extremely pleased with the service. I'll for sure call them for any future appliance problems and I'm really grateful to North Shore Village for making the connection.”

— Harriet Friedlander

Want to know more about North Shore Village?

Join us for an informal coffee in a member's home.

Sign up to receive our monthly newsletter.



Call us at **847-721-1413**
or email: info@northshore-village.org

What We Do...

Provide one-call access for assistance with:

- Transportation
- Home maintenance and repairs
- Routine household chores
- Grocery shopping and errands
- Personal/household business
- Meal delivery
- Healthcare and wellness

Plan social, recreational and cultural activities:

- Concerts, plays and museum tours
- Book discussions
- Informal dining in members' homes and local restaurants
- Walking groups and exercise classes
- Games nights

Connect with and for members to:

- Respond quickly and appropriately to member service requests
- Solicit feedback to ensure satisfaction and generate new ideas for programs and services
- Inform and educate local organizations and leaders about what the village movement means for our communities

