



## Independent, yet close by...

...an elder cottage is a small, separate, manufactured residence for an older person that is temporarily placed in the side or rear yard of a host family (must be a relative by blood or marriage). The arrangement provides autonomy for its resident, along with easy access to family or friends who can provide assistance.\* When living requirements of the resident change, the cottage is moved to the home of another host family.

*\*Studies show that seniors who interact with family have longer, healthier and happier lives.*

*For more  
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# Elder Cottage Housing Option (ECHO)



*Caring Options for  
Family Members*

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**Your elderly loved one can no longer safely live on their own. So, what can you do?**

***There is an option available called “Elder Cottage Housing Opportunity” or “ECHO”.***



- ◆ 608 Sq ft fully accessible unit
- ◆ 1 large bedroom
- ◆ Living/dining area
- ◆ Wheelchair accessible bathroom
- ◆ Kitchen



**Contact us today for more information:**

**570-524-2100**



The cottages are owned and maintained by **Union County Housing Authority**, in partnership with **Union-Snyder Agency On Aging**. Our cottages are leased to the elder occupant and a letter of agreement is signed with the host family. We set up the unit and remove it when living arrangements change. You don't have to worry about what to do with it when it's no longer needed. *It's that simple!*

