## Do you want to stay at home as you get older?

#### What is CAPABLE?

The Community aging in Place, Advancing Better Living for Elder's (CAPABLE) is a client directed home-based intervention to increase mobility, function, and capacity to "age in place" or "age in community".

Lewiston Housing & Androscoggin Home Healthcare + Hospice are working together to provide homeowners the opportunity to stay in their home as they get older.

The CAPABLE program coordinates the services of an occupational therapist, nurse & handyman to assist with a person's self-identified key challenges and make home repairs to assist with these goals.

#### **How it Works!**

- Initial screening and interview by Lewiston Housing staff
- The OT & nurse come to the home to deliver services over a period of time. In most cases the OT makes 6 visits, and the nurse makes 4 visits.
- The handyman completes minor repairs and accessibility to the home based on an evaluation completed by the occupational therapist.

# It's All Free to you!



We are here to help!!!
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**CALL TODAY!** 





### To participate you must:

- Be 62+ or disabled
- Own a home or live with someone who owns their own home
- Live in Androscoggin County
- Want to improve on the way you perform at least 1 living daily skill such as bathing, dressing, cooking, taking medication or cleaning your home.
- Meet income guidelines