# Show-Me Home (SMH) Assistive Technology Demonstration Services

## AT Funding

Participants in the [Show-Me Home (A Money Follows the Person program](https://dss.mo.gov/showmehome/)) who transition out of nursing homes may require additional funding for assistive technology beyond the initial program. Using Missouri Assistive Technology's AT funding services, assistive technology and related equipment can be provided when no other options are available.  One of the key aims of the project is to assist agencies in identifying the assistive technology that can assist SMH participants in becoming independent in their community reintegration.

## Funding can include:

* Assistive Technology (AT)
* Environmental Accessibility Accommodations (EAA)
* Vehicle Access Modifications (VM)

## Key Points to remember:

1. The service must be needed to allow an individual to successfully transition to the community or for the individual to remain in the community.
2. Consumers must be Show-Me Home program participants and the service must be accessed prior to the end of the first year (365 day) transition period.
3. Demonstration services are only for the above stated categories and the maximum expenditure cannot exceed $5,000.00.
4. Funds are only available when the Show Me Homes transition funds of $2,400.00 are exhausted; no other funding source is available, or when other funding sources are inadequate.

## The Show-Me Home Transition Coordinator application process is as follows:

1. Utilize the MoAT - AT Considerations Guide for Transitions to make the most effective choices.
2. Obtain one (1) quote for the items being requested from an approved vendor.
	1. Contact MoAT for assistance in locating an approved vendor.
3. Submit a completed Intake form, and the quote to the email indicated on the Intake Form.

Contact MoAT to get assistance to explore and identify assistive technology options, or to arrange a device trial through the ETC Device Loan program.

For more information or to apply for demonstration service funds, contact our office at 816-655-6700, info@mo-at.org