

CLIENT OUTCOMES:

# WE HELPED VERN REGAIN HIS INDEPENDENCE AND KEEP ON MOWING



## Vern's Challenges

At 80-years old, Vern was hospitalized for chest pain. He also suffered from mild dementia and hearing loss. He was told he would most likely lose his independence and never live on his own again. All he wanted was to go home and ride his lawn mower. Thankfully, Vern and his family turned to Lifesprk.

## Vern's Lifesprk Experience

Vern was introduced to his Lifesprk Life Care Manager, Leslie. She quickly used Lifesprk's proprietary Whole Person Senior Care approach to understand Vern and address his unique needs. The first step: making immediate arrangements to get him home. "Once we got Vern home and had his health under control, we were able to help him focus on what was most important in his life – getting back on his lawnmower," said Leslie. Getting Vern back home was not only significant to his personal happiness – it also dramatically reduced his caregiving costs from a skilled nursing facility private room at the cost of \$7,500 a month to only \$300 a month for Life Care Management!

The next challenge was the day Vern failed his driver's license test. "We helped Vern understand his options. We tapped into his strong social network to arrange transportation, so without incurring additional costs, Vern could continue doing the things he loved," said Leslie.

## Proven Results

With Lifesprk, Vern found new meaning in his life. He was busy doing what he loved again - living at home, shopping, being with friends, and attending church. Since Lifesprk began working with Vern, he had only a single-day observation hospital stay in a four-year period. Lifesprk's proactive approach also identified several key issues early for Vern to prevent crisis later on – including medication management, identifying cellulitis, home modifications, and arranging physician appointments. All of this resulted in a significant cost savings for Vern and his family of more than \$90,000 a year. Most importantly, Vern has the sparked life he wants – healthy and independent – at home riding his lawn mower.

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## SUMMARY

With Lifesprk, Vern was able to:

- Gain control of his health
- Find new meaning in his life
- Connect with his strong social network
- Reduce caregiving costs by \$7,200 a month, saving more than \$90,000 a year
- Ride his lawn mower once again
- Be proactive in preventing future crisis

“We just appreciate Lifesprk so much. We didn't know which way to turn, and with Lifesprk, we were not alone.”

**JEROME,  
CLIENT'S BROTHER**