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WHAT DOES OUR CLIENT CARE COORDINATOR DO?

The primary objective of Dutton Casey & Mesoloras' Client Care Coordinator is to help the client and their family make informed decisions about health care and/or long-term care needs.

As a member of the Dutton Casey & Mesoloras team, our Client Care Coordinator provides on-going support, beginning with the firm's engagement with the client and continuing until the firm has concluded all necessary legal tasks or until such time as determined by the firm and the client.

Our Client Care Coordinator, who is familiar with both the healthcare and elder/disability service system, assesses an individual and family's needs to provide a tailored care plan and offers oversight and assistance, such as the transitioning in living arrangements, estate plans, or through other life stages which may take place.

Listed below are a few of the ways our Client Care Coordinator can assist you and your family:

- Meets with you in a convenient location, such as in your home, care center, or hospital.
- Provides a comprehensive initial care plan assessment that takes into account physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual well-being.
- Provides education about and referrals to in-home care, community services, long-term care, and/or acute care facilities. Helps facilitate communication with healthcare professionals.
- Assists in planning for changes in healthcare, housing, and financial needs.
- Provides education regarding available public benefits and the process to obtain the benefits.
- Works with long-term care facility staff to develop meaningful treatment care plans, helps prepare the client for and/or participates in facility care plan meetings.

Planning for the future is made up of a lot of moving parts... the goal of Care Navigation is to help put all of the parts together.



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When you have questions related to elder law, estate planning, probate, and guardianship, think of the attorneys at Dutton Casey & Mesoloras. With over 130 years of combined legal experience, you can depend on our team for the knowledge, advice, and support you deserve to resolve your legal needs.

Resources: National Elder Law Foundation – <u>www.nelf.org</u> National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys – <u>www.naela.org</u> Aging Life Care Association – <u>www.aginglifecare.org</u> (rev. april 2019)

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