

CarePatrol: Safer Living Options Starts Here

At CarePatrol, our mission is simple yet powerful: to provide safer living options for older adults. Founded in 1993 by a social worker who experienced firsthand the heartbreak of a poor placement, CarePatrol was built to ensure no family navigates this journey alone or uninformed.

As the nation's pioneer in senior placement services, we offer compassionate, comprehensive, and highly personalized support for families exploring care options. Unlike impersonal referral lists, CarePatrol Advisors work one-on-one with families to understand medical needs, lifestyle, preferences, and budget—ensuring the right fit, not just any available bed.

Our Certified Senior Advisors personally tour recommended communities with families, offering insights, education, and support every step of the way. We also provide helpful materials to guide informed decisions. Best of all—our services are always free to families. With CarePatrol, you're not just getting a list—you're getting a partner. We're here to ease the stress, offer honest guidance, and provide the compassionate support that's made us a trusted name for over 30 years.

Let us walk this journey with you—because safer senior care begins with trusted guidance.

Meet Our Team

Nickie DiFede | Owner & Operator

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Nickie brings over 20 years of healthcare experience and a deeply personal connection to the senior care journey. She leads with empathy, passion, and a dedication to finding the best solutions for every family.

Julie Calabro | Marketing Director

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Julie supports our referral partners and ensures clients' needs are always a priority. Her commitment to communication and strong relationships keeps our community network thriving.

Fern Gordon Orshan | Transitional Care Manager

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Fern, a former home care agency owner, ensures clients receive meaningful follow-up, guided tours, and ongoing support—even after move-in.

John Llantin | Director of Miami-Dade Operations

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John, bilingual and solutions-driven, manages our Miami-Dade operations with calm, clarity, and a heart for helping families through even the toughest transitions.