

# WHAT IS A VIRTUAL VILLAGE FOR ELDERS?

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- **A community that people join to help them stay at engaged with others in meaningful ways**
- **Educational and social events organized to connect people to others with similar interests**
- **A focus on health and wellness, not on frailty and disability**
- **A membership organization with one call or email for assistance**
- **Services provided by members or other volunteers and a small paid staff or by qualified community providers**

***Wider Horizons: Central Seattle's Village for Life* serves people living in these neighborhoods and others: Capitol Hill, the Central District, Eastlake, First Hill, the International District, Madison Park, Madrona, Leschi, Montlake, Mt. Baker, Pike/Pine, and Yesler.**

**We opened in June of 2015 and now have 82 members.**

**Memberships are priced at \$600 per year for an individual and \$900 for a household. Those with financial need can receive support for their membership.**

***Wider Horizons* is committed to representing the diversity of the neighborhoods it encompasses.**

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