

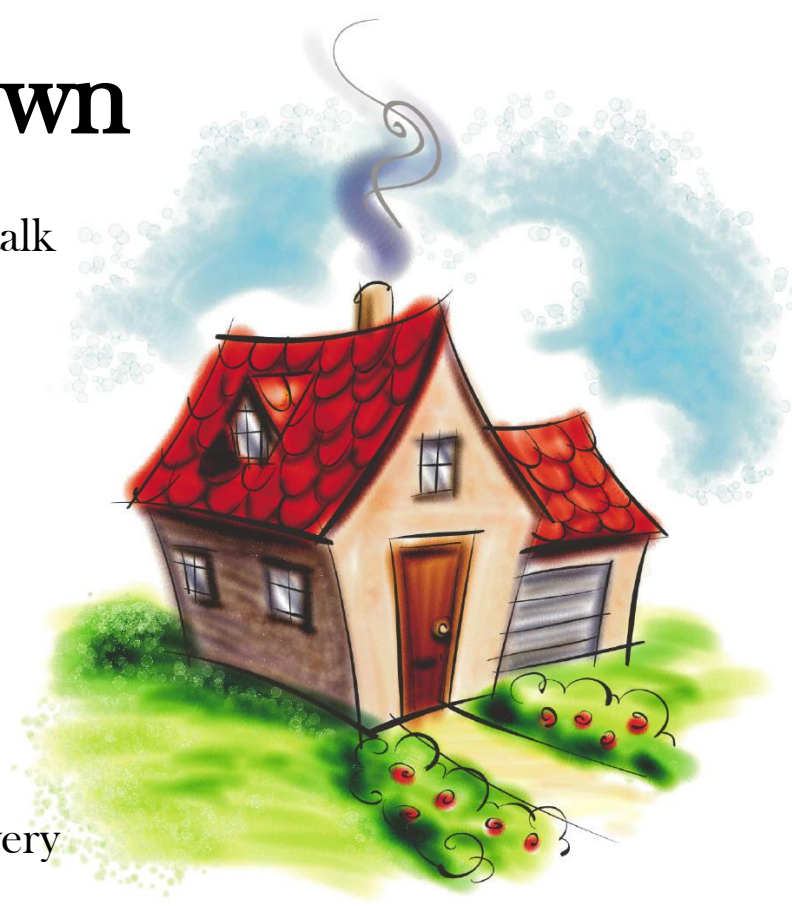
# Living on your Own

If you are thinking about living on your own the first thing to do is talk to a family member or social worker who will help you with the important steps in moving into a new home.

Construct a budget and research housing options. There are many options of where to live, including whom to live with, choosing assisted living, etc.

Identify your needs and ensure they can be met in your new living arrangement.

Ask questions, moving out is a big decision and being informed is very important.



**There are many reasons you may want to live somewhere new. You may want to move out of your family home to become more independent, to have your own place, or to face new challenges. Moving out is a big step, it will create many hardships but also yield many rewards.**