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## News And Articles

### 4 Red Flags to Look for During Holiday Visits With Parents

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## Questions and Discussions From Caregivers

**Q: Advice? My boyfriend of 5 years is having his mother move in.**

His mom has extreme paranoia labeled as schizophrenia and no one else will take care of her. We also have 3 kids, and I really don't know what to expect.

**D: What's for dinner?**

Join the discussion! What favorite dishes will be at your Thanksgiving dinner?

**Q: As POA, what steps are needed to separate Mom's joint bank account from her boyfriend?**

She has advanced Alzheimer's, and I have realized that her boyfriend of 20+ years is mishandling her funds.

**Q: What are her options if she can't get Medicare for 5 years?**

She is elderly and moved to Vermont from Canada.

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