



# State Insurance Guide

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# Introduction

## **Insurance Guide: A State-by-State Resource for Insurance and Waiver Support**

Angelman Syndrome Foundation has put together a comprehensive guide to help families navigate the insurance process in their state. Each state has various options of Medicaid and Waivers, which can seem overwhelming and difficult. Our hope is that you find this guide useful and helpful as you try to advocate for your individual with Angelman syndrome. Please note that Waiver wait times, websites, personal and funding can change regularly depending on the state and the agency that oversees Medicaid and various programs. Please reach out to us at any point if you need additional help with insurance in your state.

# ALABAMA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Elderly and Disabled ("E & D") Waiver	Assists individuals to live in the community who would otherwise require nursing facility level of care. Wait List	None	Alabama Dept. of Public Health and Alabama Dept. of Senior Services	1 (800) 243-5463 1 (334) 206-5341	<a href="http://AlabamaAgeline.gov/Medicaid-Waiver-Programs">AlabamaAgeline.gov/Medicaid-Waiver-Programs</a>
Alabama Community Transition ("ACT") Waiver	Serves adult individuals with disabilities or long term illnesses who currently live in a nursing home and desire to transition to a home or community-based setting. Wait List	None	Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services	1 (334) 293-7500	<a href="http://Rehab.Alabama.gov">Rehab.Alabama.gov</a>
Intellectual Disabilities (ID) Waiver	Serves individuals who would otherwise require level of care available in an Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR). Wait List	+3	Alabama Department of Mental Health	1 (800) 361-4491	<a href="http://Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1.5_Intellectual_Disabilities_Waiver/6.1.5_Fact_Sheet_ID_Waiver_9-5-18.pdf">Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1.5_Intellectual_Disabilities_Waiver/6.1.5_Fact_Sheet_ID_Waiver_9-5-18.pdf</a>
SAIL - State of Alabama Independent Living Waiver	Serves adult individuals with specific medical diagnosis who are at risk of being institutionalized in a nursing home. Wait List	+18	Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services	1 (334) 293-7500	<a href="http://Rehab.Alabama.gov">Rehab.Alabama.gov</a>
Living At Home Waiver for Persons with Intellectual Disability	Similar to ID waiver, does not offer Residential Habilitation Training services (Group Home) and has an individual cost cap of \$25,000.00 Wait List	+3	Division of Intellectual Disabilities	Call Center 1-800-361-4491	<a href="http://Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1_LTC_HCBS_Waivers_Matrix_2-4-21.pdf">Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1_LTC_HCBS_Waivers_Matrix_2-4-21.pdf</a> <a href="http://MH.Alabama.gov">MH.Alabama.gov</a>

## Additional Information/Resources:

- Summary of HCBS Waivers: [Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0\\_LTC\\_Waivers/6.1\\_HCBS\\_Waivers/6.1\\_HCBS\\_Waivers\\_2021.pdf](http://Medicaid.Alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers_2021.pdf)
- Comparison Chart of HCBS Waivers: [Medicaid.alabama.gov/documents/6.0\\_LTC\\_Waivers/6.1\\_HCBS\\_Waivers/6.1\\_LTC\\_HCBS\\_Waivers\\_Matrix.pdf](http://Medicaid.alabama.gov/documents/6.0_LTC_Waivers/6.1_HCBS_Waivers/6.1_LTC_HCBS_Waivers_Matrix.pdf)
- The Division of Developmental Disabilities manages several Medicaid waiver programs to help persons with developmental disabilities
  - [MH.Alabama.gov/division-of-developmental-disabilities/](http://MH.Alabama.gov/division-of-developmental-disabilities/)
  - 334-242-3704
  - [ADMH-DDD.Questions@MH.Alabama.gov](mailto:ADMH-DDD.Questions@MH.Alabama.gov)
- Persons with disabilities will be put on a waiting list for services. Depending on the circumstance it could be several years until a person gets services. Wait list serves the most critical first.
  - Call (800) 367-0955 to find out if you qualify for any other assistance.
- Family Voices of Alabama: [FamilyVoicesAL.org](http://FamilyVoicesAL.org)
- For more information contact local Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC) at 1-800-AGE-LINE (1-800-243-5463).

# ALASKA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD)	This waiver allows persons with MR/DD who meet the ICF/MR level of care to remain living at home and in the community.	None	Department of Health and Social Services	Contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center: 1(877) 625-2372  Or 800-478-9996	<a href="http://HSS.State.AK.us/dsds">HSS.State.AK.us/dsds</a>  <a href="http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds">DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds</a>
Older Alaskans	This waiver allows persons aged 65+ who meet the nursing facility level of care to remain living at home and in the community.	65+	Department of Health and Social Services	Contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center: 1(877) 625-2372  Or 800-478-9996	<a href="http://HSS.State.AK.us/dsds">HSS.State.AK.us/dsds</a>  <a href="http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds">DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds</a>
Adults with Physical and Developmental Disabilities	This waiver allows disabled persons aged 21-64 who meet the nursing facility level of care (for more than 30 days a years) to remain living at home and in the community.	21 – 64	Department of Health and Social Services	Contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center: 1(877)625-2372  Or  800-478-9996	<a href="http://HSS.State.AK.us/dsds">HSS.State.AK.us/dsds</a>  <a href="http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds">DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds</a>
Children with Complex Medical Conditions	Provides care coordination, day habilitation, employment services, residential habilitation, respite, environmental modifications, meals, nursing oversight and care management, specialized medical equipment, and transportation for individuals  Contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center at 1-877-6AK-ADRC (1-877-625-2372) or Senior & Disabilities Services at 907-269-3666  No Wait list	0-21	Department of Health and Social Services	Contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center: 1(877)625-2372  Or 800-478-9996	General Information: <a href="http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Pages/HCBWpogram.aspx">DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Pages/HCBWpogram.aspx</a>  <a href="http://HSS.State.AK.us/dsds">HSS.State.AK.us/dsds</a>  <a href="http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds">DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds</a>
TEFRA	Allows children 18 or under with disabilities, who would otherwise be served in an institution to be served in the community without regard to the family's income. This demonstration waiver provides basic Medicaid services to children with disabilities. This waiver is designed to ensure that children with disabilities get the care they need in a community-based setting regardless of what their families can pay.  No Wait List	0-18	Alaska Medicaid - CoMagine Health	(907) 550-7600	General Information: <a href="http://Comagine.org/program/alaska-medicaid-tefra/patients-families">Comagine.org/program/alaska-medicaid-tefra/patients-families</a>  To Apply: <a href="http://DPAWeb.hss.state.ak.us/forms/pdf/MED-04.pdf">DPAWeb.hss.state.ak.us/forms/pdf/MED-04.pdf</a>

# ALASKA

## **Additional Information:**

- Medicaid Waiver services available in Alaska include care coordination; in-home supports, family habilitation, shared care, group home, supported living, residential supported living, day habilitation, adult day services, respite, supported employment, transportation, environmental modifications, chore services, meals, specialized medical equipment and supplies, nursing oversight, intensive active treatment, and specialized private duty nursing services
- Stone Soup Group: supports Alaskan Families who care for children with special needs: [StoneSoupGroup.org](http://StoneSoupGroup.org)
- Alaska Association on Developmental Disabilities: [AADDAlaska.org](http://AADDAlaska.org)
- Eligibility Determination and Request for Services: [DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Documents/dd/2EligibilityDeterminationRequestforServices.pdf](http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Documents/dd/2EligibilityDeterminationRequestforServices.pdf)
- Overview of all waivers: [DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Documents/pdfs/SDS\\_MedWaiverBrochure.pdf](http://DHSS.Alaska.gov/dsds/Documents/pdfs/SDS_MedWaiverBrochure.pdf)

# ARIZONA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
1115 Demonstration Project waiver	<p>Resident who has a chronic disability may qualify. The disability must also result in substantial functional limitations in three or more major life activities.</p> <p>No income limits to receive services in Arizona.</p> <p>No Wait List</p> <p>Services include: Attendant care; day treatment and training; employment support services; habilitation; home health aide; home nursing; respiratory therapy; respite; therapies (occupational, physical, speech); transportation; Adult day care; adult day health care; home delivered meals and meals at senior centers; home health aid; housekeeping; personal care; respite care; transportation and visiting nurse.</p> <p>Services to children and adults with developmental disabilities are delivered in the family or person's own home. Services are provided based on each person's identified needs, state and/or federal guidelines and, when applicable, the availability of funds.</p>	3+	Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System	<p>The main numbers for Arizona's waiver (602) 542-0419</p> <p>direct line for young children (602) 771-0400</p> <p>direct line for older kids and adults is (602) 246-0546</p>	<p><a href="http://AZDES.gov/ddd">AZDES.gov/ddd</a></p> <p>General Information:</p> <p><a href="http://DES.AZ.gov/services/disabilities/developmental-disabilities/individuals-and-families">DES.AZ.gov/services/disabilities/developmental-disabilities/individuals-and-families</a></p> <p>To Apply:</p> <p><a href="http://AZAHCCCS.gov/Members/GetCovered/apply.html">AZAHCCCS.gov/Members/GetCovered/apply.html</a></p>

### Additional Support:

- Raising Special Kids: Raising Special Kids exists to improve the lives of children with the full range of disabilities, from birth to age 26, by providing support, training, information and individual assistance so families can become effective advocates for their children. [RaisingSpecialKids.org](http://RaisingSpecialKids.org)

# ARKANSAS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community and Employment Support Waiver (CES)	<p>Offers services in your community to support clients with intellectual or developmental disabilities (IDD) with all major life activities, such as living independently and working at a job with help from an employment coach. The program promotes inclusion for clients through community experiences and provides care coordination for getting services. The goal of the waiver is simple: it helps clients with IDD to live in the community rather than in an institutional setting such as a nursing home or Intermediate Care Facility.</p> <p>contact the Intake and Referral helpline in the DHS Division of Developmental Disabilities Services (DDS) at 501-683-5687. A specialist will help you with the application.</p> <p>Wait List</p>	None	Department of Human Services	501-683-5687	<p>General Information:</p> <p><a href="https://www.human-services.gov/divisions-shared-services/developmental-disabilities-services/ces-waiver/">HumanServices.Arkansas.gov/divisions-shared-services/developmental-disabilities-services/ces-waiver/</a></p>
TEFRA Waiver/Katie Beckett	<p>Allows children 18 or under with disabilities, who would otherwise be served in an institution to be served in the community without regard to the family's income. This demonstration waiver provides basic Medicaid services to children with disabilities but uses a pay scale that is based on family income. This waiver is designed to ensure that children with disabilities get the care they need in a community-based setting regardless of what their families can pay.</p> <p>No wait List</p>	0-18		1-855-372-1084	<p>General Information:</p> <p><a href="https://www.human-services.gov/divisions-shared-services/medical-services/healthcare-programs/tefra/">HumanServices.Arkansas.gov/divisions-shared-services/medical-services/healthcare-programs/tefra/</a></p> <p>To Apply:</p> <p><a href="https://www.human-services.gov/divisions-shared-services/medical-services/healthcare-programs/tefra/how-to-apply-for-tefra-coverage/">HumanServices.Arkansas.gov/divisions-shared-services/medical-services/healthcare-programs/tefra/how-to-apply-for-tefra-coverage/</a></p>

## Additional Support:

- Arkansas Disability Coalition: [ARDisabilityCoalition.org](https://www.ar-disability-coalition.org/)



# CALIFORNIA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
<p>CA HCBS Waiver for Californians w/DD</p>	<p>For individuals with autism and Developmental Disabilities. Provides behavioral intervention, community living arrangements, day service, home health aide, homemaker, prevocational services, respite care, supported employment (enhanced habilitation), communication aides, community-based training, dental, environmental accessibility adaptations, FMS, non-medical transportation, nutritional consultation, optometric/optician services, prescription lenses and frames, psychology services, skilled nursing, specialized medical equipment and supplies, specialized therapeutic services, speech/hearing and language services, transition/set up expenses, vehicle mods and adaptations.</p> <p>The first step to accessing Medi-Cal waiver services is to establish Medi-Cal eligibility. To apply for Medi-Cal, call or visit your local county social services office and request a Medi-Cal application.</p> <p>No wait list</p>	<p>none</p>	<p>California Department of Developmental Services (DDS)</p>	<p>(916) 654-1888</p>	<p><a href="http://DDS.CA.gov">DDS.CA.gov</a></p> <p>General Information:  <a href="http://DHCS.CA.gov/services/medical/Pages/HCBSDDMediCalWaiver.aspx">DHCS.CA.gov/services/medical/Pages/HCBSDDMediCalWaiver.aspx</a></p> <p>To Establish Medi-Cal Eligibility:  <a href="http://DHCS.CA.gov/services/medical/pages/applyformedi-cal.aspx">DHCS.CA.gov/services/medical/pages/applyformedi-cal.aspx</a></p>
<p>Self Determination Program (SDP)</p>	<p>Provides community living supports, employment supports, homemaker, live-in caregiver, prevocational supports, respite services, acupuncture services, chiropractic service, dental services, home health aide, lenses and frames, occupational therapy, optometric/optician services, physical therapy, psychology services, speech, hearing and language services, financial management service, independent facilitator, behavioral intervention services, communication support, community integration supports, crisis intervention and support, environmental accessibility adaptations, family support services, family/consumer training, housing access supports, individual training and education, massage therapy, non-medical transportation, nutritional consultation, participant-directed goods and services, personal emergency response systems (PERS), skilled nursing, specialized medical equipment and supplies, technology, training and counseling services for unpaid caregivers, transition/set up expenses: other service, vehicle modifications and adaptations to individuals with autism, DD, IID</p>	<p>none</p>	<p>California Department of Developmental Services (DDS)</p>	<p>833-421-0061</p>	<p>General Information:  <a href="http://DDS.CA.gov/initiatives/sdp">DDS.CA.gov/initiatives/sdp</a></p> <p>Eligibility and How to Enroll:  <a href="http://DDS.CA.gov/initiatives/sdp">DDS.CA.gov/initiatives/sdp</a></p>

# CALIFORNIA

## **Additional Information:**

- Income limits: Typically, individual must have an income of less than \$620/mo and with assets that total less than \$2000. You must be SSI and Medi-Cal eligible. If your family income is too high, you may still be eligible for Medi-Cal. Medi-Cal is allowed to determine your eligibility using “institutional deeming.” If the individual is under the age of 18, parents are required by law to contribute toward a share of the cost based on their income. The FCPP does not affect all families and it applies to only three services: respite, daycare and camping.

## **Additional Support:**

- 2 CARE FOR ME SENIOR SERVICE (424) 209-7487
  - Located in Los Angeles, Serving All Of California
  - Provides Respite Care, Diapers & Medical Supplies
- North Coast Mobility (415) 457-1664
- Inland Regional Center (909) 890-3000
- One Source Mobility Inc (877) 530-7743
  - Wheelchair ramps and lifts, vertical platform lifts, door openers, transition ramps, stair lifts, elevators, patient transfer solutions, floor lifts, ceiling lifts, hygiene lifts, standing and raising aids, shower chairs, shower trolleys, grab bars and accessories, seating matters chairs- complex rehab recliner, wheelchair accessible bathrooms and kitchens, pool and hot tub lifts, portable showers, rental equipment, complex rehab shower and commode chairs

# COLORADO

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Waiver for Persons with Developmental Disabilities	For persons with developmental disabilities. The person receiving services cannot be living with his or her family.  Wait List average 5-7 years	18+	Division for Developmental Disabilities (DDD)	(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>
Children's HCBS Waiver (CHCBS)	For disabled children who would otherwise be ineligible for Medicaid due to excess parental income. Children must be at risk of nursing facility or hospital placement.  *To start application process, contact local Single-Entry Point (SEP) Agency, Community Centered Board (CCB) or Private Case Management Agency  No Wait List	0 - 17		(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>
Supported Living Services Waiver (HCBS-SLS)	To provide to persons with developmental disabilities supported living in the home or community. Support services are for adults who either can live independently with limited supports or who, if they need extensive support, are getting that support from other sources, such as their family.	18+	Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>
Children With Autism Waiver (HCBS-CWA)	For children with a medical diagnosis of Autism who are most in need due to the severity of their disability. Children must meet additional targeted criteria	0 - 5	Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>
Children's Extensive Support Waiver (HCBS-CES)	for children with developmental disabilities or delays, that are most in need due to the severity of their disability. Serves children who have significant medical and/or behavioral needs.  *To start application process, contact local Single-Entry Point (SEP) Agency, Community Centered Board (CCB) or Private Case Management Agency  No Wait List	0 - 17	Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>
HCBS Waiver for Persons who are Elderly, Blind, AND Disabled (HCBS-EBD)	To provide a home or community-based alternative to nursing facility care for elderly, blind, and disabled persons.	18+	Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	(303) 866-7450 (303) 866-7904	<a href="http://Colorado.gov/hcpf">Colorado.gov/hcpf</a> <a href="http://Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd">Colorado.gov/cdhs/ddd</a>

# COLORADO

## **Additional Resources:**

- Family Voices Colorado 1-800-881-8272 or (303) 733-3000
  - Provides help with health insurance plans, communicating with service providers, navigating Medicaid or other public systems, individual health insurance counseling (such as in benefits decision or help with the appeals process).
- Local Arc chapters across Colorado and many other advocacy organizations (Parent to Parent, PADCO, People First, Speaking for Ourselves, CCDC).

# CONNECTICUT

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
The Comprehensive Support Waiver	provide direct services and supports for people who live in licensed settings, and those who live in the home and require a high level of support, usually due to significant behavioral, medical and/or physical support needs and/or the absence of available natural supports.		Department of Developmental Services	1-866-433-8192  860-418-6117	<a href="http://www.ct.gov/dds">http://www.ct.gov/dds</a>  <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts">https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts</a>
Connecticut Home Care Program for Elders Waiver;	provides home health care and related community-based services to people aged 65 and older who are not eligible for regular Medicaid and would otherwise be in nursing homes.	65+	Department of Developmental Services	1-866-433-8192  860-418-6117	<a href="http://www.ct.gov/dds">http://www.ct.gov/dds</a>  <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts">https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts</a>
Personal Care Assistance (PCA) Waiver	provides consumer-directed personal care assistance services to people with physical disabilities who are between age 18 and 64 and who would otherwise require institutionalization. Participants must need help with activities of daily living and must be able to hire and direct their own personal care assistant (PCA	18-64	Department of Developmental Services	1-866-433-8192  860-418-6117	<a href="http://www.ct.gov/dds">http://www.ct.gov/dds</a>  <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts">https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts</a>
CT Home and Community Supports Waiver for Persons with Autism	Provides community companion homes, live-in companion, respite, assistive technology, clinical behavioral support, community mentor, individuals good and services, interpreter, job coaching, life skills coach, non-medical transportation, PERS, social skills group, specialized driving assessment for individuals with autism.	3+	Department of Developmental Services	1-866-433-8192  860-418-6117	<a href="http://www.ct.gov/dds">http://www.ct.gov/dds</a>  <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts">https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts</a>

## Additional Information:

- To request an application for Waivers, call 1-866-433-8192 or 860-418-6117 or visit [CT.gov/dds](http://CT.gov/dds)
- Each of the DDS Regions have established a Help Line to assist families who do not have a case manager to help access services. Help Line staff will assist you to apply for DDS Family Support Services or refer you to appropriate community resources and services.
  - North Region: Help Line 1-877-437-4577, [DDS.NR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov](mailto:DDS.NR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov)
  - South Region: Help Line 1-877-437-4567, [DDS.SR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov](mailto:DDS.SR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov)
  - West Region: Help Line 1-877-491-2720, [DDS.WR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov](mailto:DDS.WR.IFSHelpLine@CT.gov)

Waiver Services Contacts: [Portal.CT.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts](https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/Family/Waiver/Waiver-Contacts)

# DELAWARE

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
The DDDS Waiver (1915(c) waiver)	<p>Allows persons with MR/DD who meet the ICF/MR level of care and require residential placement to remain living at home and in the community. Services offered under this waiver include: case management, day habilitation, institutional or in-home respite care, and residential habilitation.</p> <p>Services must be described in the Plan of Care and are limited only by medical necessity.</p> <p>No Wait List</p>	4+	<p>Division of Developmental Disabilities Services (DDDS)</p> <p>* Office of Applicant Services helps with application process</p>	(302) 744-9700	<p><a href="http://DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss">DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss</a></p> <p><a href="http://DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds">DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds</a></p> <p>To Apply:  <a href="http://DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds/intake.html">DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds/intake.html</a></p>
Elderly and Disabled (E&D) Waiver (1115 waiver)	<p>Services include: Adult Day Services; Assisted Living; Case Management; Cognitive Services; Day Habilitation; Medical Equipment and Supplies; Personal Care; Personal Emergency Response; Respite; and Support for Participant Direction.</p>		<p>Division of Developmental Disabilities Services (DDDS)</p> <p>* Office of Applicant Services helps with application process</p>	(302) 744-9700	<p><a href="http://DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss">DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss</a></p> <p><a href="http://DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds">DHSS.Delaware.gov/dhss/ddds</a></p>

## Additional Resources / Support:

- Delaware Health and Social Services E-mail: [DelawareADRC@state.de.us](mailto:DelawareADRC@state.de.us)
- Applicant Services Coordinator (for applicants with last names beginning with A to L)
  - Carla Griffith
  - 302-744-9719
  - [Carla.Griffith@Delaware.gov](mailto:Carla.Griffith@Delaware.gov)
- Applicant Services Coordinator (for applicants with last names beginning with M to Z)
  - Patti Bratten
  - 302-744-9605
  - [Patti.Bratten@Delaware.gov](mailto:Patti.Bratten@Delaware.gov)

# FLORIDA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
iBudget Florida	<p>Medicaid Waiver program for persons with Developmental Disabilities. Provides: Life Skills Development; Supplies and Equipment; Personal Supports; Residential Services; Transportation; Adult Dental; Therapeutic Supports and Wellness; and Support Coordination.</p> <p>Consumer Directed Care Plus (CDC +) is an alternative to iBudget which gives the consumer the opportunity to hire workers and vendors directly. Paid workers may even be family members or friends.</p>	3+		<p>(850) 488-4257</p> <p>1-866-273-2273</p>	<p><a href="http://iBudgetFlorida.org">iBudgetFlorida.org</a></p>

# GEORGIA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
TERFRA/Katie Beckett Waiver	<p>Allows children 18 or under with disabilities, who would otherwise be served in an institution to be served in the community without regard to the family's income. This demonstration waiver provides basic Medicaid services to children with disabilities. This waiver is designed to ensure that children with disabilities get the care they need in a community-based setting regardless of what their families can pay.</p> <p>No Wait List</p>	18 and under	Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Services	<p>(800) 348-3503</p> <p>678-248-7449</p> <p>Fax: 678-248-7459</p>	<p><a href="http://DBHDD.Georgia.gov">DBHDD.Georgia.gov</a></p> <p><a href="http://Medicaid.Georgia.gov/programs/all-programs/tefrakatie-beckett">Medicaid.Georgia.gov/programs/all-programs/tefrakatie-beckett</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="http://Gateway.GA.gov">Gateway.GA.gov</a></p>
NOW/COMP Waiver	<p>NOW Waiver: Designed for people with disabilities who live with family members or in their own home. There is a limit of \$25,000.00 a year for services under the NOW Waiver. This waiver is for people who need less intensive services and supports.</p> <p>COMP Waiver: designed for people who need a full range medical services or intensive in-home services. The COMP Waiver is also used for people who are transitioning out of institutions into community living.</p> <p>Wait List Unknown</p>	None	Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Services	(800) 348-3503.	<a href="http://DBHDD.Georgia.gov">DBHDD.Georgia.gov</a>
Community Care Services Program / Elderly Waiver	Provides home and community-based services to people who are elderly and/or functionally impaired or have disabilities		Agency on Aging	1-866-552-4463	<a href="http://DBHDD.Georgia.gov">DBHDD.Georgia.gov</a>
Georgia Pediatric Program (GAPP)	GAPP medical day care program provides specialized pediatric skilled nursing services to medically fragile, ages birth to 3 years of age. The Georgia Pediatric in-home nursing program is for children under the age of 21.	21 and under	Georgia Department of Community Health	<p>(800) 348-3503</p> <p>404-657-7882</p>	<a href="http://DBHDD.Georgia.gov">DBHDD.Georgia.gov</a>

## Additional Information / Support:

- Division of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities: (404) 232-1912



# HAWAII

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Medicaid I/DD Waiver	<p>provides case management, habilitation, supported employment, adult day health, respite, personal assistance, skilled nursing, transportation, interdisciplinary team services, home mods, consumer directed community living supports, modify the definition of specialized services and environmental access adaptations to MR/DD individuals.</p> <p>While no wait list, can take months to determine eligibility</p>	none	Department of Health; Developmental Disabilities Division	<p>To schedule an intake appointment call:</p> <p>Oahu: (808) 733-1689</p> <p>Hilo: (808) 974-4280</p> <p>Kauai: (808) 241-3406</p> <p>Kona: (808) 332-1906</p> <p>Maui: (808) 243-4625</p> <p>Molokai: (808) 553-3200</p> <p>Waimea: (808) 887-6064</p>	<p><a href="http://Health.Hawaii.gov">Health.Hawaii.gov</a></p> <p><a href="http://Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/waiver">Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/waiver</a></p> <p><a href="http://Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/apply/apply-waiver-admission">Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/apply/apply-waiver-admission</a></p>

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Applying for services is a two-step process:
  - Individuals must first go through intake and eligibility determination for Developmental Disabilities Division (DDD) services. Eligibility for DDD services does not guarantee Medicaid I/DD Waiver services.
  - Individuals eligible for DDD services and who are Medicaid eligible may go through the Medicaid 1915(c) Home and Community-Based (HCBS) Waiver for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (Medicaid I/DD Waiver) admission process.
  - Individuals who are not eligible for the Medicaid I/DD Waiver may be eligible for other state funded services ([Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/state-funded-services/](http://Health.Hawaii.gov/ddd/participants-families/state-funded-services/))

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Childrens Developmental Disabilities Program	<p>Provides a system of care that has a wide array of services for children including intervention and support services.</p> <p>Services can be delivered under a traditional pathway by a Developmental Disabilities Agency (DDA) /Independent Provider or under a Family Directed services option where the parent acts in the role of the employer.</p>	0-17	Idaho Department of Health and Welfare	Family and Community Services (FACS) Developmental Disability Program office at 208-334-6500 or toll free at 877-333-9681 for information and an application	<a href="http://HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/about-childrens-developmental-disabilities">HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/about-childrens-developmental-disabilities</a>
Aged and Disabled	Adults with disabilities can qualify for Medicaid based on their income and household status. The type of service or care that will be covered by Medicaid is called a Level of Care Determination which will occur after an individual has been determined financially eligible for Medicaid.	18+	Idaho Department of Health and Welfare	877-456-1233	<a href="http://HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/apply-medicaid-elderly-or-disabled-adults">HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/apply-medicaid-elderly-or-disabled-adults</a>
Katie Beckett Waiver	<p>To qualify, your child must meet eligibility criteria -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have one of the following chronic conditions: Autism, Intellectual disability, Seizure disorder, Cerebral palsy</li> <li>• Limited ability to function in at least three of the following: Self care, Receptive and expressive language, Learning, Mobility, Self direction, Capacity of independent living or, Economic self sufficiency</li> <li>• Require services which are of lifelong</li> <li>• Have a chronic condition, a disability which meets SSI criteria, requires level of care provided in a medical institution, child's physician has completed an evaluation identifying services necessary to maintain child at home</li> </ul> <p>What is covered: Medicaid covers a number of healthcare services you may be eligible for, such as: Behavioral health, Chiropractic, Counseling, Dental, Doctors, Durable medical equipment, Early intervention, Hearing, Home and community-based treatment and rehabilitation, Home health, Hospital, Immunizations, Interpretation, Lead screening, Nutrition, Personal care services, Physical, occupational, and speech therapy, Podiatry, prescription drugs, School-based, Service coordination, Transportation, Vision, Wellness exams for children</p>	0-17	Idaho Department of Health and Welfare	208-258-7980	<a href="http://HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/apply-katie-beckett">HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/apply-katie-beckett</a>

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Children's Special Health Program (CSHP)	Statewide financial assistance program for uninsured children with a qualifying medical condition(s) requiring long-term multi-disciplinary medical treatment and rehabilitative measures to improve ability to function. CSHP works with families, providers, and communities to ensure access to care that is family-centered, community-based, and culturally sensitive.	0-17	Idaho Department of Health and Welfare	Phone: 208-334-5962  Email: <a href="mailto:IdahoMCH@DHW.idaho.gov">IdahoMCH@DHW.idaho.gov</a>	<a href="http://HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/health-wellness/healthy-infants-children/childrens-special-health">HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/health-wellness/healthy-infants-children/childrens-special-health</a>

**Additional Information:**

- Eligibility determinations are completed by an Independent Assessment Provider (IAP) contracted with the Department
- Many services are available for adults with developmental disabilities: [HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/services-adults-developmental-disabilities](http://HealthAndWelfare.Idaho.gov/services-programs/medicaid-health/services-adults-developmental-disabilities)

# ILLINOIS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Adults with Developmental Disabilities	<p>Persons age 18 or older with developmental disabilities who are at risk of placement in an Intermediate Care Facility for persons with Developmental Disabilities (ICF/DD).</p> <p>Assessed as eligible for an institutional level of care for persons with intellectual disabilities or conditions similar to intellectual disabilities.</p> <p>Home-Based Support Services, Service Facilitation, Emergency Home Response Services, Home Accessibility Modifications, Personal Support, Temporary Assistance, Training and Counseling for Unpaid Caregivers, Vehicle Modification, Skilled Nursing, Non-Medical Transportation, Adaptive Equipment</p> <p>Community-Based Supports, Residential Habilitation, Adult Day Care, Developmental Training, Supported Employment, OT, Speech therapy, PT, Behavioral Services</p>	18+	Illinois Department of Human Services, Division of Developmental Disabilities (DHS-DDD)	<p>These agencies can be contacted through the Developmental Disabilities Helpline: 1-888-DD-PLANS or 1-866-376-8446</p> <p>1-800-843-6154 (#3 on menu) or 1-800-447-6404</p>	
Support Waiver for Children and Young Adults	<p>Children and young adults with developmental disabilities ages 3 through 21 who live at home with their families and are at risk of placement in an Intermediate Care Facility for persons with Developmental Disabilities (ICF/DD)</p> <p>Services:</p> <p>Service Facilitation, Personal Support, Behavior Intervention and Treatment, Training and Counseling for Unpaid Caregivers, Adaptive Equipment, Assistive Technology, Home Accessibility Modifications, Vehicle Modifications, Temporary Assistance</p>	3 - 21	Illinois Department of Human Services, Division of Developmental Disabilities (DHS-DDD)	<p>Coordination (PAS/ISC) Agencies.</p> <p>Developmental Disabilities Helpline: 1-888-DD-PLANS or 1-866-376-8446</p> <p>Or Call: 1-800-843-6154 (#4 on menu) or 1-800-447-6404</p>	<p><a href="http://Illinois.gov/hfs/MedicalClients/HCBS/Pages/support_cyadd.aspx">Illinois.gov/hfs/MedicalClients/HCBS/Pages/support_cyadd.aspx</a></p> <p>Local Offices: <a href="http://DHS.State.IL.us/page.aspx?module=12">DHS.State.IL.us/page.aspx?module=12</a></p>
Residential Waiver for Children and Young Adults with DD					

# INDIANA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Aged and Disabled Waiver	<p>Provides an alternative to nursing facility admission for adults and persons of all ages with a disability. Designed to provide services to supplement informal supports for people who would require care in a nursing facility if waiver or other supports were not available. Waiver services can be used to help people remain in their own homes, as well as assist people living in nursing facilities to return to community settings such as their own homes, apartments, assisted living or Adult Family Care.</p> <p>To apply for services, contact your AAA office (Listed in additional resources)</p>	None	Division of Aging	888-673-0002  800-986-3505	
Community Integration and Habilitation Waiver (CIH)	<p>one of two Medicaid Home-and Community-Based Services (HCBS) waiver programs for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Provide person-centered individualized supports that assist individuals in living in their own home or family home and have full access to the benefits of community living.</p> <p>This is a needs-based waiver and is designed to provide supports for persons to gain and maintain optimum levels of independence and community integration while allowing flexibility in the provision of those supports.</p>		Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services		<a href="http://IN.gov/fssa/ddrs/developmental-disability-services">IN.gov/fssa/ddrs/developmental-disability-services</a>  To Apply: <a href="http://BDDSGateway.FSSA.IN.gov">BDDSGateway.FSSA.IN.gov</a>
Family Supports Waiver (FSW)	<p>Designed to provide limited, non-residential supports to persons with developmental disabilities residing with their families</p>		Division of Disability & Rehabilitative Services (DDRS)	1 800-545-7763	<a href="http://IN.gov/fssa/ddrs/developmental-disability-services/">IN.gov/fssa/ddrs/developmental-disability-services/</a>  <a href="http://IN.gov/fssa">IN.gov/fssa</a>  <a href="http://DDRS/4088.htm">DDRS/4088.htm</a>

# INDIANA

## Additional Resources / Support:

AAA office (Listed in additional resources)

- Planning and Service Area 1 - Covers Lake, Porter, Jasper, Newton, Pulaski and Starke counties  
Northwest Indiana Community Action Corporation  
219-794-1829 or 800-826-7871
- Planning and Service Area 2 - Covers Elkhart, LaPorte, Kosciusko, Marshall and St. Joseph counties  
REAL Services, Inc.  
574-284-2644 or 800-552-7928
- Planning and Service Area 3 - Covers Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wells and Whitley counties  
Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana, Inc.  
260-745-1200 or 800-552-3662  
E-mail: [info@agingihs.org](mailto:info@agingihs.org)
- Planning and Service Area 4 - Covers Benton, Carroll, Clinton, Fountain, Tippecanoe, Montgomery, Warren and White counties  
Area IV Agency on Aging & Community Action Programs, Inc.  
765-447-7683 or 800-382-7556  
Email: [info@areaivagency.org](mailto:info@areaivagency.org)
- Planning and Service Area 5 - Covers Fulton, Cass, Miami, Wabash, Howard, and Tipton counties  
Area Five Agency on Aging & Community Services, Inc.  
574-722-4451 or 800-654-9421  
Email: [areafive@areafive.com](mailto:areafive@areafive.com)
- Planning and Service Area 6 - Covers Blackford, Delaware, Grant, Henry, Jay, Madison and Randolph counties  
LifeStream Services, Inc.  
765-759-1121 or 800-589-1121  
Email: [mail@lifestreaminc.org](mailto:mail@lifestreaminc.org)
- Planning and Service Area 7 - Covers Clay, Parke, Putnam, Sullivan, Vermillion, and Vigo counties  
Area 7 Agency on Aging and Disabled West Central Indiana  
Economic Development District, Inc.  
812-238-1561 or 800-489-1561
- Planning and Service Area 8 - Covers Marion, Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, Shelby, Johnson, Morgan and Hendricks counties  
CICOA Aging & In-Home Solutions  
317-254-5465 or 800-432-2422
- Planning and Service Area 9 - Covers Fayette, Rush, Franklin, Union and Wayne counties  
LifeStream Services, Inc.  
Phone: 765-966-1795 or 800-589-1121  
Email: [mail@lifestreaminc.org](mailto:mail@lifestreaminc.org)

# INDIANA

## Additional Resources / Support:

- Planning and Service Area 10 - Covers Monroe and Owen counties  
Area 10 Agency on Aging  
812-876-3383 or 800-844-1010
- Planning and Service Area 11 - Covers Bartholomew, Brown, Decatur, Jackson and Jennings counties  
Thrive Alliance  
812-372-6918 or 866-644-6407;
- Planning and Service Area 12 - Covers Dearborn, Jefferson, Ohio, Ripley and Switzerland counties  
LifeTime Resources, Inc.  
812-432-6200 or 800-742-5001;  
Email: [contactltr@lifetime-resources.org](mailto:contactltr@lifetime-resources.org)
- Planning and Service Area 13 - Covers Daviess, Dubois, Knox, Greene, Martin and Pike counties  
Generations Vincennes University Statewide Services  
812-888-5880 or 800-742-9002  
Email: [generations@vinu.edu](mailto:generations@vinu.edu)
- Planning and Service Area 14 - Covers Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott counties  
Lifespan Resources, Inc.  
812-948-8330 or 888-948-8330
- Planning and Service Area 15 - Covers Crawford, Lawrence, Orange and Washington counties  
Hoosier Uplands/Public Service Area 15 Agency on Aging and Disability Services  
812-849-4457 or 800-333-2451  
Email: [area15@hoosieruplands.org](mailto:area15@hoosieruplands.org)
- Planning and Service Area 16 - Covers Gibson, Perry, Posey, Spencer, Vanderburgh and Warrick counties  
SWIRCA & More  
812-464-7800 or 800-253-2188  
Email: [swirca@swirca.org](mailto:swirca@swirca.org)

Riverview Adult Day Center (574) 293-6886

- Purpose is to help disabled and/or impaired adults to remain in their homes and their community.

Golden Gardens Adult Day Center (317) 897-8555

- Provides Adult Day Center and Transportation services.

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Physical Disabilities (PD)	<p>Skilled services may include: Tube feedings, Intravenous therapy, Parenteral injections, Catheterizations, Respiratory care, Rehabilitation services, Colostomy care, Care of medical conditions out of control, Postsurgical nursing care, Monitoring medications, Preparing and monitoring response to therapeutic diets, and Recording and reporting of changes in vital signs.</p> <p>Non-skilled services may include: Dressing, Hygiene, Grooming, Bathing supports, Wheelchair transfer, Ambulation and mobility,</p> <p>Toileting assistance, Meal preparation, Cooking, Eating and feeding, Housekeeping, Medications ordinarily self-administered, Minor wound care, Employment support, Cognitive assistance, Fostering communication, and Transportation.</p>	18-64	<p>Iowa Department of Human Services</p> <p>Hierarchy for accessing waiver services:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Private insurance</li> <li>2. Medicare</li> <li>3. Medicaid and/or EPSDT (Care for Kids)</li> <li>4. PD waiver services</li> </ol>	1-800-338-8366	<a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs">DHS.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs</a>
Health and Disability (HD);	<p>provides service funding and individualized supports to maintain eligible persons in their own homes</p> <p>or communities who would otherwise require care in a medical institution</p>	65 and under	<p>Iowa Department of Human Services</p> <p>Hierarchy for accessing waiver services:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Private insurance</li> <li>2. Medicare</li> <li>3. Medicaid and/or EPSDT (Care for Kids)</li> <li>4. HD waiver services</li> <li>5. In-home health-related care</li> </ol>	1-800-338-8366	<a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs">DHS.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs</a>
Children's Mental Health (CMH);	<p>The CMH waiver services include: Environmental modifications and adaptive devices, Family and community support services, In-home family therapy, Respite</p>	0-18	<p>Iowa Department of Human Services</p> <p>Hierarchy for accessing waiver services:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Private insurance</li> <li>2. Medicare</li> <li>3. Medicaid and/or EPSDT (Care for Kids)</li> <li>4. CMH waiver services</li> </ol>		<a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs">DHS.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs</a>



Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Intellectual Disabilities (ID)	<p>Intellectual Disability (ID) waiver services are individualized to meet the needs of each member.</p> <p>The following services are available: Adult Day Care, Consumer-Directed Attendant Care, Day Habilitation, Home and Vehicle Modifications, Home Health Aide, Interim Medical Monitoring and Treatment, Nursing, Personal Emergency Response System, Prevocational, Respite, Supported Community Living, Supported Community Living – Residential Based, Transportation</p>		<p>Iowa Department of Human Services</p> <p>Hierarchy for accessing waiver services:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Private insurance</li> <li>2. Medicare</li> <li>3. Medicaid</li> <li>4. ID waiver services</li> </ol>	1-800-338-8366	<a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs">DHS.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs</a>

**Additional Information:**

- Waiver Comparison Website: [DHS.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs/waivers](https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hcbs/waivers)
- To apply for services: [DHSServices.iowa.gov/apsspssp/ssp.portal?nfpb=true&st=&windowLabel=applyForBenefits\\_1\\_4&urlType=action&state=maximized&wlpapplyForBenefits\\_1\\_4\\_javax.portlet.action=householdApplicationInfo&OWASP\\_CSRFTOKEN=3TFJ-ZULO-9LD9-F04F-VTKQ-I79C-YDIE-1Y0](https://dhsservices.iowa.gov/apsspssp/ssp.portal?nfpb=true&st=&windowLabel=applyForBenefits_1_4&urlType=action&state=maximized&wlpapplyForBenefits_1_4_javax.portlet.action=householdApplicationInfo&OWASP_CSRFTOKEN=3TFJ-ZULO-9LD9-F04F-VTKQ-I79C-YDIE-1Y0)

# KANSAS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
I/DD Waiver	<p>The Intellectual/Developmental Disability (IDD) waiver serves individuals who meet the definition of intellectual disability, having a developmental disability or are eligible for care in an Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (ICF-IID). They must also be Medicaid eligible. Services may include assistive services, adult day supports, financial management services, medical alert, overnight respite, personal care services, residential supports for adults, residential support for children, enhanced care services, specialized medical care</p>	5+	Kansas Department of Aging and Disabilities Services		<a href="http://Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets">Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets</a>
Autism (AU) HCBS Waiver	<p>The AU Waiver provides support and training to parents of children with an Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) diagnosis to help ensure children with ASD can remain in their family home.</p> <p>Its services include family adjustment counseling, parent support and training (peer-to-peer) and respite care.</p> <p>Must have Autism diagnosis</p>	0-5	Kansas Department of Aging and Disabilities Services	To apply contact (785) 296-6843	<a href="http://Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets">Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets</a>
Technology Assisted Waiver	<p>provides services to individuals ages 0 through 21 years who are chronically ill or medically fragile and dependent upon a ventilator or medical device to compensate for the loss of vital bodily function. Eligible individuals require substantial and ongoing daily care by a nurse comparable to the level of care provided in a hospital setting to avert death or further disability.</p>	0-21			<a href="http://Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets">Kancare.KS.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/hcbs-waiver-fact-sheets</a>

# KANSAS

## **Additional Resources:**

- Kansas contracts with Community Developmental Disability Organizations across the State that are responsible for initial eligibility and referral for all persons with Intellectual/Developmental disabilities. Contact information for each CDDO is available on at <http://www.ksadrc.org/>
- The statewide call center 1-855-200-2372 to initiate assistance anywhere in the state of Kansas.
- To apply or for help applying: [Kancare.KS.gov/consumers/apply-for-kancare](http://Kancare.KS.gov/consumers/apply-for-kancare)
- Helpers, Inc. (913) 322-7212
  - Provides personal & professional Financial Management Services (FMS) and placement services
- Life Patterns 785-273-7189
  - Assisting individuals with disabilities

## **Additional Information:**

- You can expect to wait at least 3-4 years before getting I/DD waiver services in Kansas. There are approximately 3500 people with developmental disabilities waiting for Medicaid waiver services in Kansas. The CDDO may have other resources/options for individuals while on the wait list.

# KENTUCKY

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Home and Community Based Waiver	<p>Provides assistance to the elderly or to adults and children with physical disabilities to help them live in the community as independently as possible.</p> <p>Services include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adult Day Health Care</li> <li>• Attendant Care</li> <li>• Environmental and Minor Home Adaptation</li> <li>• Home Delivered Meals</li> <li>• Non-Specialized and Specialized Respite Care</li> </ul>	none	Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services	<p>Department of Community Based Services</p> <p>(855) 306-8959</p>	<p>To apply:</p> <p><a href="https://KYNect.KY.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US">KYNect.KY.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US</a></p>
Supports for Community Living	<p>Provides assistance to individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability to help them live in the community as independently as possible</p> <p>Services Include: Adult Day Training, Behavior Supports, Case Management, Children's Day Habilitation, Community Living Supports, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Psychological Services, Residential Supports, Respite, Speech Therapy, and Supported Employment.</p>	none	Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services	<p>502-564-1647</p> <p>(855) 306-8959</p>	<p><a href="https://KYNect.KY.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US">KYNect.KY.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US</a></p>
Michelle P Waiver	<p>Services Include: Case Management, Personal Care, Respite, Homemaker, Adult Day Healthcare, Supported Employment, Behavior Supports, Adult Day Training, Occupational Therapy (over 21 only), Physical Therapy (over 21 only), Speech Therapy (over 21 only), Minor Home Adaptations, Community Living Supports and Attendant Care.</p>	21+		502-564-1647	

## Additional Information:

- Kentucky contracts for services through 14 Regional Boards. The 14 Regional Boards provide services for all persons living in the state of Kentucky.

# LOUISIANA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Residential Options Waiver (ROW)	offers persons of all ages a range of services within an overall budget. Support options to include: individual and family supports options, employment/habilitation options, skilled nursing, professional, behavioral, and other specialized services. Support Coordination is also included.		Office of Citizens with Developmental Disabilities		<a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/page/1875">LDH.LA.gov/page/1875</a> <a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/page/134">LDH.LA.gov/page/134</a>
Children's Choices	Provides: Family supports, center-based respite, environmental accessibility adaptations (including vehicles), and family training. Children who age out of the waiver are offered an appropriate waiver for adults. Support Coordination is also provided.	4 - 18	Office of Citizens with Developmental Disabilities	(225) 342 - 0095	<a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/page/218">LDH.LA.gov/page/218</a>
Supports Waiver	Provides: supported employment; day habilitation; prevocational services; respite; habilitation; and personal emergency response systems. Support Coordination is also provided.	18+	Office of Citizens with Developmental Disabilities	(225) 342 - 0095	<a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137">LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137</a>
New Opportunities Waiver (NOW)	Provides: individual and family supports (day and night) community integration and development environmental accessibility adaptations, specialized medical equipment and supplies, supported living, substitute family care, day habilitation or supported employment with transportation, employment related training, professional services, personal emergency response systems, skilled nursing services, center-based respite, and one-time transitional services. Support Coordination is also provided.	3+		1.866.783.5553	<a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137">LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137</a>
Flexible Family Funds	OCDD provides monthly stipends to families of eligible children with severe or profound developmental disabilities from birth to age 18 to help their families meet extraordinary costs. These subsidies are offered on a first-come, first-served basis. To submit an application, contact a human services district or authority.		Office of Citizens with Developmental Disabilities	(225) 342 - 0095	<a href="http://LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137">LDH.LA.gov/index.cfm/page/134/n/137</a>

# LOUISIANA

## **Additional Resources / Support:**

- The Office For Citizens With Developmental Disabilities (OCDD) serves as the Single Point of Entry into the developmental disabilities service system. To apply for services, contact your regional community service office/ human services district/authority.
  - OCDD Central Office  
Louisiana Department of Health  
Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities  
628 North 4th Street  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802  
  
PO Box 3117, Bin #21  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-3117  
  
Phone: (225) 342-0095  
Toll-Free: 1-866-783-5553  
Fax: (225) 342-8823  
E-Mail: [ocddinfo@la.gov](mailto:ocddinfo@la.gov)
  - District Offices
    - Metropolitan Human Services District – New Orleans Area – 504-599-0245
    - Capitol Area Human Services District – Baton Rouge Area-225-925-1910
    - South Central Human Services Authority – Thibodaux Area-985-449-5167
    - Acadiana Area Human Services District – Lafayette Area-337-262-5610
    - Imperial Calcasieu Human Services Authority – Lake Charles Area-337-475-8045
    - Central Louisiana human Services District-Alexandria Area-318-484-2347
    - Northwest Louisiana Human Services District-Shreveport/Bossier City Area-318-741-7455
    - Northeast Delta Human Services Authority-Monroe Area-318-362-3396
    - Florida Parishes Human Services Authority-Mandeville/Hammond Area-985-543-4730
    - Jefferson Parishes Human Services Authority – Metairie Area-504-838-5357
- To Apply for All Waivers:
  - Individuals who have a need for services should contact their local Human Services District/Authority in order to go through the eligibility determination process. Once a person is eligible for OCDD services, they may ask to be placed on the Developmental Disability Request for Services Registry (RFSR).
  - OCDD maintains a Developmental Disability Request for Services Registry (RFSR) of individuals who have a need for waiver services along with the date the person initially requested waiver services.
  - As each individual is added to the RFSR, the individual is screened to determine their urgency of need for services. An individual, who meets the eligibility criteria, is in the highest urgency priority category(s) being served based on funding, and has the earliest RFSR date, will be offered the next available OCDD waiver opportunity that meets their needs.
  - The application process does not begin until a waiver slot becomes available. At that time, medical and financial determinations will be completed simultaneously to verify that the person has a developmental disability and meets the financial and medical/psychological requirements for an Intermediate Care Facility for the Developmentally Disabled (ICF/DD).

# MAINE

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Adults with ID or Autistic Disorder	Some of the services that are available through these programs, include: home support, community support, work support, career planning, assistive technology, durable medical equipment, therapy services, transportation, and respite.	18+	Department of Health and Human Services  Office of Aging and Disability Services	(800) 452-1926  (207) 624-8000	<a href="http://Maine.gov/dhhs/oads/get-support/adults-intellectual-disability-and-autism">Maine.gov/dhhs/oads/get-support/adults-intellectual-disability-and-autism</a>
Katie Beckett Program	provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett	0-18	Department of Health and Human Services  Office of Aging and Disability Services	(800) 452-1926  (207) 624-8000	<a href="http://Maine.gov/benefits/account/login.html">Maine.gov/benefits/account/login.html</a>  <a href="http://Maine.gov/dhhs/sites/maine.gov.dhhs/files/inline-files/Guide-to-the-Katie-Beckett-Application-Process.pdf">Maine.gov/dhhs/sites/maine.gov.dhhs/files/inline-files/Guide-to-the-Katie-Beckett-Application-Process.pdf</a>

## Additional Resources:

- Medicaid is called MaineCare in Maine. MaineCare members can receive services under only one Home and Community Waiver Benefit at any one time.
- The Department of Health and Human Services offers several programs that provide supportive services to elderly and disabled adults in order to avoid or delay nursing home placement. In-home services are funded by either through MaineCare or through state funds. These services are designed to assist a consumer remain independent in the community, if they so choose. Services include: State Funded In Home and Community Home Based Care; and Medicaid Waiver for Elderly and Adults with Disabilities; MaineCare Home Health Services, and MaineCare Private Duty Nursing Services.

# MARYLAND

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Family Supports Waiver	The Family Supports Waiver helps participants to live more independently in their homes and communities. The program provides a variety of Support Services that promote community living, including a self-directed service model and traditional, agency-based service model.	0-21	Developmental Disabilities Administration	(410)767-6500	Waiver Info & Application: <a href="http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA_FAMILY_SUPPORTS_Waiver.aspx">Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA_FAMILY_SUPPORTS_Waiver.aspx</a>  For Services: <a href="http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Family_Supports_Waiver_Services.aspx">Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Family_Supports_Waiver_Services.aspx</a>
Community Supports Waiver	supports both children and adults and includes various Meaningful Day Services and Support Services to support assessed needs. Based on the person-centered planning process and information that comes out of focus area exploration, a coordinator will work with the person to determine the most appropriate service(s) to support their needs	None	Developmental Disabilities Administration	(410)767-6500	Waiver Info & Application: <a href="http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Supports_Waiver.aspx">Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Supports_Waiver.aspx</a>  For Services: <a href="http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Supports_Waiver_Services.aspx">Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Supports_Waiver_Services.aspx</a>
Community Pathways Waiver	The Community Pathways Waiver supports both children and adults and includes various Meaningful Day Services, Support Services, and Residential Services to support assessed needs. Based on the person-centered planning process and information that comes out of focus area exploration, a coordinator will work with the person to determine the most appropriate service(s) to support their needs	None	Developmental Disabilities Administration	(410)767-6500	Waiver Info & Application: <a href="http://Health.maryland.gov/dda/pages/community%20pathways.aspx">Health.maryland.gov/dda/pages/community%20pathways.aspx</a>  For Services: <a href="http://Health.maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Pathways_Waiver_Services.aspx">Health.maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Community_Pathways_Waiver_Services.aspx</a>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- For Waiver Support:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> – Complete DDA Application Process: [Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA\\_Eligibility\\_Application\\_Process.aspx](http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA_Eligibility_Application_Process.aspx)
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> – Complete the DDA Waiver Application Process: [Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA\\_Waiver\\_Application\\_Process.aspx](http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/DDA_Waiver_Application_Process.aspx)
- To see the differences in what each waiver provides, visit: [Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Medicaid\\_Waiver\\_Programs.aspx](http://Health.Maryland.gov/dda/Pages/Medicaid_Waiver_Programs.aspx)
- How to find resources near you: [SearchMap.211md.org/?\\_ga=2.155447928.219181256.1638500606-1026621283.1638500606](http://SearchMap.211md.org/?_ga=2.155447928.219181256.1638500606-1026621283.1638500606)



# MASSACHUSETTS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Autism Waiver Program	allows children to receive Expanded Habilitation, Education, in-home services and supports, such as Applied Behavioral Analysis (ABA) and Floor Time, for a total of up to 3 years. At the conclusion of the three years of the intensive in-home services, a child may access ongoing Supplemental Services (for example respite and goods and services, etc.) that meet the child's needs and help with the transition out of the intensive Autism Waiver Program until the child's 9th birthday.  Only 300 spots	3-9	Department of Developmental Services	1-888-367-4435.	<a href="http://Mass.gov/DDS">Mass.gov/DDS</a>  Overview:  <a href="http://Mass.gov/doc/the-autism-waiver-program/download">Mass.gov/doc/the-autism-waiver-program/download</a>
Kaileigh Mulligan Waiver	Intended for children who would otherwise require care in an institution with any type of disability, including medical, developmental, intellectual, or psychiatric conditions. Provides Medicaid coverage only.  No Wait List	0-18		Call the MassHealth Enrollment Center  1-800-841-2900	<a href="http://Mass.gov/service-details/health-plans-and-programs-for-seniors-and-people-who-need-long-term-care-services">Mass.gov/service-details/health-plans-and-programs-for-seniors-and-people-who-need-long-term-care-services</a>
MassHealth Commonwealth	CommonHealth is comprehensive health insurance similar to MassHealth Standard, for eligible disabled adults and disabled children through age 18 who cannot get MassHealth Standard because their incomes are too high.  No Wait List	0-18		1-800-841-2900	<a href="http://Mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-masshealth-the-health-safety-net-or-the-childrens-medical-security-plan">Mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-masshealth-the-health-safety-net-or-the-childrens-medical-security-plan</a>
Adult Supports Waiver	Part of the HCBS Waivers for adults with Intellectual Disabilities  Participants live in family homes, adult foster care, or independently and do not require 24 hour care. Their health and welfare needs can be met in these community settings. Waiver services may vary depending on the living arrangement of the participant. Participants will only receive services through the waiver that are needed in order to remain safely in the community.	18+		1-888-367-4435	Application Process:  <a href="http://Mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications">Mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications</a>

# MASSACHUSETTS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community Living Waiver	<p>Part of the HCBS Waivers for adults with Intellectual Disabilities</p> <p>Participants require more support than those in the Adult Supports Waiver, but less than those in the Intensive Supports Waiver. Participants live in the family home, adult foster care, with a live-in caregiver, or independently and do not require 24 hour care. Their health and welfare needs can be met in these community settings. Waiver services may vary depending on the living arrangement of the participant. Participants will only receive services through the waiver that are needed in order to remain safely in the community.</p>	18+		1-888-367-4435	<p>Application Process:</p> <p><a href="https://www.mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications-">Mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications-</a></p>
Intensive Supports Waiver	<p>Part of the HCBS Waivers for adults with Intellectual Disabilities</p> <p>Provides services to individuals who meet the eligibility criteria and require supervision and support 24 hours a day, seven days a week due to significant behavioral, medical and/or physical support needs. Participants will only receive services through the waiver that are needed in order to remain safely in the community.</p>	18+		1-888-367-4435	<p>Application Process:</p> <p><a href="https://www.mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications-">Mass.gov/info-details/hcbs-waivers-for-adults-with-intellectual-disabilities-information-for-individuals#application-process-and-applications-</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- DDS Office of Human Rights: [Mass.gov/orgs/dds-office-of-human-rights](https://www.mass.gov/orgs/dds-office-of-human-rights)
- The Office of Human Rights is dedicated to affirming, protecting, and promoting human rights of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities including Autism Spectrum Disorder, Prader-Willi, and Smith-Magenis Syndrome. It is a resource to individuals, their families, provider agencies and to the Department of Developmental Services.
- To access DDS services, you must apply for eligibility. Once eligibility has been determined, you may get DDS services.

# MICHIGAN

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Children's Waiver Program	<p>Provides Medicaid to fund home and community-based services for children who are under age 18.</p> <p>Process to Request an Assessment for a Prescreen for the Children's Waiver Program:</p> <p>Contact the Access Center in your family's county of residence. A list of current Access Center phone numbers for each Community Mental Health agency can be found at the link below by clicking on the "Download" button next to "CMH Directory":</p> <p><a href="http://Macmh.org/membership/cmhsp-listings">Macmh.org/membership/cmhsp-listings</a></p> <p>When an opening occurs on the CWP, an invitation to apply is issued to the child with the highest updated score that meets all requirements at that time. Medicaid status is checked before invitations to apply are issued. If your child receives an invitation to apply, you will be contacted to make sure you still want to apply for the Children's Waiver Program.</p> <p>A total of 469 children are served on the CWP annually. All openings are filled on a monthly basis, and generally, some openings become available each month.</p>	0-18	Department of Health and Human Services	*Refer to Regional Offices	<a href="http://Michigan.gov/mdhhs/0_5885_7-339-71547_35698-15087--_00.html">Michigan.gov/mdhhs/0_5885_7-339-71547_35698-15087--_00.html</a>
MI Choice Waiver	<p>provides home and community-based health care services for adults aged 65 or older and adults with disabilities. The program's goal is to allow persons, who would otherwise require nursing home care, to receive these services in their home and in the community. MI Choice beneficiaries are not enrolled in a Medicaid health plan but still receive a comprehensive package of health care benefits including vision, dental, and mental health services. In addition, the waiver may provide other benefits to help the person remain at home.</p>	18+	Department of Health and Human Services	*Refer to Regional Offices	<a href="http://Michigan.gov/mdhhs/0_5885_7-339-71547_2943_4857_5045-16263--_00.html#list">Michigan.gov/mdhhs/0_5885_7-339-71547_2943_4857_5045-16263--_00.html#list</a>

## Additional Resources:

- Children with Special Needs Fund: [Michigan.gov/csrfund](http://Michigan.gov/csrfund)

# MINNESOTA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
TEFRA	<p>Intended for children who would otherwise require care in an institution with any type of disability, including medical, developmental, intellectual, or psychiatric conditions.</p> <p>Provides Medicaid coverage only.</p> <p>No Wait List</p>	0-18	Department of Human Services	866-333-2466	<p>Overview and How to Apply:</p> <p><a href="http://MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/ma-tefra.jsp">MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/ma-tefra.jsp</a></p>
Community Access for Disability Inclusion Waiver	<p>Provides funding for home and community-based services for children and adults, who would otherwise require the level of care provided in a nursing facility.</p>	0-65	Department of Human Services		<p>Overview and How to Apply:</p> <p><a href="http://MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/services/home-community/programs-and-services/cadi-waiver.jsp">MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/services/home-community/programs-and-services/cadi-waiver.jsp</a></p>
Developmental Disabilities (DD) Waiver	<p>Provides adult day service, caregiver living expenses, case management, day training and habilitation, homemaker, prevocational services, respite, supported employment, extended personal care assistance services, 24- hour emergency assistance, adult day service bath, assistive technology, chore, consumer directed community supports (CDCS): environmental modifications and provisions, CDCS: personal assistance, CDCS: self-direction support activities, CDCS: treatment and training, crisis respite, employment development services, employment exploration services, employment support services, environmental accessibility adaptations, family training and counseling, home delivered meals, housing access coordination, night supervision services, personal support services, positive support services, residential habilitation, specialist services, specialized equipment and supplies, transitional services, transportation for individuals with ID/DD</p>		Department of Human Services		<p>Overview and how to apply:</p> <p><a href="http://MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/services/home-community/programs-and-services/dd-waiver.jsp">MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/services/home-community/programs-and-services/dd-waiver.jsp</a></p>

## Additional Resources:

- Applicants for and members of Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) can call the MHCP Member Help Desk with questions about Medical Assistance and MinnesotaCare. [MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/health-care/health-care-programs/contact-us/mhcp-help-desk.jsp](http://MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/health-care/health-care-programs/contact-us/mhcp-help-desk.jsp)
- Income Programs and Services: [MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/economic-assistance/income/programs-and-services](http://MN.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/economic-assistance/income/programs-and-services)

# MISSISSIPPI

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Disabled Child Living at Home	<p>The Disabled Child Living at Home (DCLH) or “Katie Beckett” group is a special eligibility category that allows certain disabled children who are residents of Mississippi with long-term disabilities or complex medical needs, living at home with their families, to obtain Mississippi Medicaid eligibility.</p> <p>Disabled Child Living at Home Resources</p> <p>To learn more about coverage of disabled children living at-home and how to apply, view the Medicaid Eligibility Guidelines for a Disabled Child Living At-Home brochure.</p>	0-18	Mississippi Division of Medicaid		<p>Overview: <a href="https://www.Medicaid.ms.gov/medicaid-coverage/who-qualifies-for-coverage/disabled-child-living-at-home/">Medicaid.ms.gov/medicaid-coverage/who-qualifies-for-coverage/disabled-child-living-at-home/</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="https://www.Medicaid.ms.gov/">Medicaid.ms.gov/</a></p>
Intellectual Disabilities/Developmental Disabilities Waiver	<p>The ID/DD Waiver provides services to individuals who, but for the provision of home and community-based services, would require placement in an Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities.</p> <p>Provides support coordination and makes referrals for the following services: Behavior Support, Day Services-Adult, Home and, Community Supports, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Speech Therapy, Supervised Living, Community Respite, Host Homes, Crisis Support, Crisis Intervention, In-Home Nursing Respite, Support Living, Transition Assistance, Support Coordination, Supported Employment, Prevocational Services, Job Discovery, Specialized Medical Supplies, In-Home Respite, Shared Supported Living</p> <p>For information about the ID/DD Waiver, contact:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mississippi Access to Care Center, 844-822-4622, <a href="https://www.MississippiAccessToCare.org">MississippiAccessToCare.org</a></li> <li>Mississippi Division of Medicaid, 601-359-954, <a href="https://www.Medicaid.MS.gov">Medicaid.MS.gov</a></li> <li>Mississippi Department of Mental Health, 601-359-1288, <a href="https://www.DMH.MS.gov">DMH.MS.gov</a></li> </ul>	None	Mississippi Division of Medicaid	601-359-9545	<p>Overview:</p> <p><a href="https://www.Medicaid.ms.gov/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Fact-Sheet_Intellectual-Disabilities-and-Developmental-Disabilities-Waiver.pdf">Medicaid.ms.gov/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Fact-Sheet_Intellectual-Disabilities-and-Developmental-Disabilities-Waiver.pdf</a></p>

# MISSOURI

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Missouri Children's Developmental Disabilities Waiver (MOCDD)	Provides day habilitation, in home respite, personal assistant, support broker, applied behavior analysis, assistive technology, community integration, community specialist, crisis intervention, environmental accessibility adaptations-home/vehicle modification, individualized skill development, out of home respite, person centered strategies consultation, specialized medical equipment and supplies (adaptive equipment), transportation for children with ID/DD  Also known as the Sara Lopez Waiver	0-17	Missouri Department of Mental Health	(573) 751-4054	<a href="http://DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/medicaid-hcb">DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/medicaid-hcb</a>  <a href="http://DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/regional-offices">DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/regional-offices</a>  **contact regional offices to apply (website above)
Partnership for Hope	Provides day habilitation, personal assistant, prevocational services, supported employment, dental, support broker, applied behavior analysis (ABA), assistive technology, career planning, community integration, community specialist, community transition, environmental accessibility adaptations-home/vehicle modification, family peer support, individualized skill development, job development, occupational therapy, person centered strategies consultation, physical therapy, professional assessment and monitoring, specialized medical equipment and supplies (adaptive equipment), speech therapy, temporary residential service, transportation for individuals with autism, ID, and DD  County based waiver		Missouri Department of Mental Health	(573) 751-4054	<a href="http://DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/medicaid-hcb">DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/medicaid-hcb</a>
Community Support Waiver	Provides day habilitation, in home respite, personal assistant, prevocational services, supported employment, support broker, applied behavior analysis, assistive technology, benefits planning, career planning, community networking, community specialist, community transition, crisis intervention, environmental accessibility adaptations-home/vehicle modification, home delivered meals, individual directed goods and services, individualized skill development, job development, occupational therapy, out of home respite, physical therapy, professional assessment and monitoring, specialized medical equipment and supplies (adaptive equipment), speech therapy, and transportation for individuals with intellectual disabilities and developmental disabilities		Missouri Department of Mental Health	(573) 751-4054	<a href="http://DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/community-support">DMH.MO.gov/dev-disabilities/programs/waiver/community-support</a>

# MISSOURI

**Additional information / Resources:**

- Missouri Family to Family Resource Center: [MOFamilyToFamily.org](http://MOFamilyToFamily.org)
- Missouri Protection and Advocacy Services: [MOAdvocacy.org](http://MOAdvocacy.org)
- The ARC Missouri: [ArcOfMissouri.org](http://ArcOfMissouri.org)
- MPACT: [MissouriParentsAct.org](http://MissouriParentsAct.org)

# MONTANA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Comprehensive Waiver	Provides day supports and activities, homemaker, residential habilitation, respite, supported employment - follow along support, nutritionist services, occupational therapy, physical therapy, private duty nursing, speech therapy, supports brokerage, adult foster support, assisted living, behavioral support services, caregiver training and support, community transition services, companion services, environmental modifications, individual goods and services, meals, personal care, personal emergency response system (PERS), personal supports, psychological evaluation, counseling and consultation services, remote monitoring equipment, remote monitoring, retirement services, specialized medical equipment and supplies, supported employment - co-worker support, supported employment - individual employment support, supported employment - small group employment support, transportation for individuals with IDD/DD	None	Developmental Division Services	406-444-2995	How to apply:  <a href="https://dphhs.mt.gov/assets/dsd/DDP/Waivers/ddpmedsguidanceprotect102408.pdf">DPHHS.MT.gov/assets/dsd/DDP/Waivers/ddpmedsguidanceprotect102408.pdf</a>  *Regional Offices: <a href="https://dphhs.mt.gov/dsd/developmentaldisabilities/DevelopmentalDisabilitiesRegionalOffices">DPHHS.MT.gov/dsd/developmentaldisabilities/DevelopmentalDisabilitiesRegionalOffices</a>
Big Sky	The following are examples of services that may be available through the Big Sky Waiver Program: Adult Residential Living, Adult Day Health, Case Management, Dietician, Environmental Adaptations, Habilitation Services, Homemaker Services, Nutrition  Personal Assistance, PERS, Private Duty Nursing, Psychosocial Consultation, Respiratory Therapy, Respite Care, Special Child Care, Transportation, Therapies (OT, PT, Speech), Specially Trained Attendant, Specialized Medical Equipment and Supplies	0-64			<a href="https://dphhs.mt.gov/SLTC/csb">DPHHS.MT.gov/SLTC/csb</a>  To make a referral to the Big Sky Waiver Program, contact the Mountain Pacific Quality Health at 1-800-219-7035.

## Additional Resources:

- To get started with waiver services in Montana, call your "Regional Office". The Central Office administrative staff are located in Helena. (406) 444-2995.
- Eligibility determination is the first step and is necessary in order for an individual to be considered for services. Documentation that is needed for a determination include: psychological evaluations that include IQ testing and diagnoses; A Vineland-II assessment; and any other information that documents the disability (Medical, school reports).



# NEBRASKA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett	<p>provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at</p> <p>home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.</p> <p>No Wait List</p>	0-18	Department of Health and Human Services	(402) 471-3121	To apply contact local DHHS office: <a href="http://DHHS.NE.gov/Pages/Public-Assistance-Offices.aspx">DHHS.NE.gov/Pages/Public-Assistance-Offices.aspx</a>
Comprehensive Developmental Disabilities Services	Provides prevocational services, residential habilitation, respite, supported employment – individual, adult companion service, adult day services, assistive technology, consultative assessment service, crisis intervention support, environmental modification assessment, habilitative community inclusion, habilitative workshop, home modifications, homemaker services, in-home residential habilitation, personal emergency response system, supported employment – enclave, supported employment - follow along, transitional services, transportation, vehicle modification for individuals with autism, ID/DD, ages 0 to no max age.	None	Division of Developmental Disabilities	(402) 471-3121	
Aged and Disabled Waiver	Provides adult day health services, personal care, respite care, assisted living service, assistive technology, chore, companion, extra care for children with disabilities, home again, home and vehicle modifications, home delivered meals, independence skills building, non-medical transportation, and personal emergency response system (PERS) services for aged individuals 65 – no max age and individuals with physical disabilities 0-64 years.	0-64	Division of Developmental Disabilities	(402) 471-3121	To apply and check eligibility: <a href="http://DHHS.NE.gov/Pages/DD-Eligibility.aspx">DHHS.NE.gov/Pages/DD-Eligibility.aspx</a>

## Additional Resources:

- Personal Assistant Services: Assistance with activities of daily living, such as bathing or dressing, for an individual who has a chronic medical condition or a disability. Visit [DHHS.NE.gov/pages/accessnebraska.aspx](http://DHHS.NE.gov/pages/accessnebraska.aspx) to see if eligible
- [ARC-Nebraska.org/](http://ARC-Nebraska.org/): advocates for the rights and full participation of all children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities
- [DisabilityRightsNebraska.org/](http://DisabilityRightsNebraska.org/): Disability Rights Nebraska is the Protection and Advocacy system for people with disabilities in our state. We protect, support and promote the rights of people with disabilities. This includes people with just about any disability including intellectual or developmental disabilities, mental illness and physical disabilities

# NEVADA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett Waiver	provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.  No Wait List	0-18	Department of Health and Human Services  Aging and Disability Services Division	(775) 684-3676	Contact local DHCFP office to apply:  <a href="http://DHCFP.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_Home/">DHCFP.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_Home/</a>
Waiver for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities and Related Conditions (ID)	Provides day hab, prevocational, residential support, supported employment, behavioral consultation-training and intervention, counseling, career planning, non-medical transportation, nursing, nutrition counseling, residential support management for individuals with ID, ages 0 - no max age	0-64	Department of Health and Human Services  Aging and Disability Services Division	(775) 687-4210  <a href="mailto:adsd@adsd.nv.gov">adsd@adsd.nv.gov</a>	Contact Local offices for more information:  <a href="http://ADSD.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_DevServices">ADSD.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_DevServices</a>
Family Support Services	The Family Support Services Program was developed to assist families to care for their relatives in the family home as a means to prevent out-of-home placement. It provides financial assistance for eligible families to obtain services for their family member. Individual/Family must meet the 300% of Federal Poverty Guidelines.	none	Department of Health and Human Services  Aging and Disability Services Division	(775) 687-4210  <a href="mailto:adsd@adsd.nv.gov">adsd@adsd.nv.gov</a>	Contact local offices to check on eligibility:  <a href="http://ADSD.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_DevServices">ADSD.NV.gov/Contact/Contact_DevServices</a>

## Additional Information / Support:

- Family Navigation Network: Nevada Center for Excellence in Disabilities - [UNR.edu/nced/projects/family-navigation-network](http://UNR.edu/nced/projects/family-navigation-network) Family Navigation Network is a place to find health care support and community resources for children and youth with special health care needs, their families and the professionals who serve them.
- Nevada Disability Advocacy and Law Center: [Ndalc.org](http://Ndalc.org) The Nevada Disability Advocacy & Law Center (NDALC) is a private, statewide non-profit organization that serves as Nevada's federally-mandated protection and advocacy system for human, legal, and service rights for individuals with disabilities.

# NEW HAMPSHIRE

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Children With Severe Disabilities (CSD)	special coverage for disabled children up to age 20 with income no higher than 196% of the FPL. The disabled child does not have to be living with a parent or relative to receive this coverage.	0-20	Department of Health and Human Services	(603) 271-4344	For more information and to apply visit <a href="https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dfa/apply.htm">DHHS.NH.gov/dfa/apply.htm</a>
Home Care for Children with Severe Disabilities HCCSD) or the Katie Beckett Waiver	for severely disabled children up to age 19 whose medical disability is so severe that they qualify for institutional care but who are being cared for at home. Only the income and resources of the disabled child are counted towards eligibility for this program.  No Wait List	0-19	Department of Health and Human Services	(603) 271-4344	To apply visit: <a href="https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dfa/apply.htm">DHHS.NH.gov/dfa/apply.htm</a>
Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD)	Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD) is cash assistance for individuals who are between the ages of 18 and 64 and who are physically or mentally disabled.	18-64	Department of Health and Human Services		To apply for the APTD program: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visit a DHHS District Office and speak with a DHHS worker who will help you through the application interview process; and</li> <li>• Give copies of any information that we may need.</li> </ul>

## Additional Information / Support:

- Adult Area Agencies: agencies are committed to strengthening and supporting individuals and families within the context of their lives and within their own communities: [DHHS.NH.gov/dcbcs/bds/agencies.htm](https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dcbcs/bds/agencies.htm)
- Disabilities Rights Center - NH: [DRCNH.org](https://www.drcnh.org)
  - Advocating for the legal rights of people with disabilities
- New Hampshire Council on Developmental Disabilities: [NHCDD.NH.gov](https://www.nhcdd.nh.gov)
  - A federally funded agency that supports public policies and initiatives that remove barriers and promote opportunities in all areas of life. The Council is independent of the agencies that provide services to people with disabilities. The Council develops a State Plan every five years to establish specific goals, objectives and strategies to address the most important issues affecting people with developmental disabilities in New Hampshire.

# NEW JERSEY

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community Care Program	<p>An individual must be determined by Division of Developmental Disabilities to require an ICF/IID Level of Care (Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities).</p> <p>Currently has waitlist - to be added to wait list complete the application:  <a href="https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/ddd/assets/documents/individuals/ccp-waiting-list-request-form.pdf">NJ.gov/humanservices/ddd/assets/documents/individuals/ccp-waiting-list-request-form.pdf</a> and submit to <a href="mailto:DDD.CCPWaitListRequests@DHS.NJ.gov">DDD.CCPWaitListRequests@DHS.NJ.gov</a></p>	18+	<p>Department of Human Services</p> <p>Division of Developmental Disabilities</p>	609.633.1482	<a href="https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/ddd/individuals/community/waitinglist">NJ.gov/humanservices/ddd/individuals/community/waitinglist</a>
Managed Long Term Services and Supports (MLTSS)	<p>Provides access to private duty nursing in the community for children who are not otherwise eligible for NJ FamilyCare due to income but require a skilled level of care. It also provides comprehensive support services, including private duty nursing, to adults with disabilities who meet clinical level of care and financial eligibility requirements. Administered through a NJ FamilyCare MCO, MLTSS is designed to coordinate individually based support services to allow individuals to remain living in the community</p>	0-20	<p>Department of Human Services</p> <p>Division of Disability Services</p>	<p>Telephone: 1-888-285-3036</p> <p>Fax: 609-631-4365</p>	<a href="https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dds/services/mltss">NJ.gov/humanservices/dds/services/mltss</a>
NJ ACHIEVING A BETTER LIFE EXPERIENCE (NJ ABLE)	<p>With NJ ABLE, qualified individuals with disabilities can save for disability related expenses in tax advantaged savings accounts without losing eligibility for certain assistance programs like Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Medicaid.</p>	none	<p>Department of Human Services</p> <p>Division of Disability Services</p>	1-888-285-3036	<p>More Information:  <a href="https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dds/services/njable">NJ.gov/humanservices/dds/services/njable</a></p> <p>Apply Online:  <a href="https://www.savewithable.com/nj/home.html">SaveWithAble.com/nj/home.html</a></p>

## Additional Information / Support:

- New Jersey has available Information and Referral Specialists (I & R Specialists) to provide information and to assist with navigating State and County Services available to individuals with disabilities.
  - 1-888-285-3036
  - [NJ.gov/humanservices/dds/services/info](https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dds/services/info)
- Individuals who currently HAVE Medicaid: Regardless of age, all individuals who currently have Medicaid must contact their assigned MCO to initiate an assessment for MLTSS eligibility.
- Individuals who currently do NOT have Medicaid:
  - Adults (21 years of age and older): Contact your [County Aging and Disability Resource Center \(ADRC\)](#) or your [County Welfare Agency \(Board of Social Services\)](#) to initiate an assessment for MLTSS eligibility.
  - Children (20 years of age and younger): Contact the Division of Disability Services at 1-888-285-3036 to speak with an Information and Referral (I&R) Specialist to initiate an assessment for MLTSS eligibility determination.

# NEW MEXICO

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Medically Fragile Waiver	<p>The Medically Fragile Waiver (MFW) serves individuals who have been diagnosed with a medically fragile condition before reaching age 22, and who either have a developmental disability or delay or who are at risk for developmental delay. A medically fragile condition is defined as a chronic physical condition which results in a prolonged dependency on medical care for which daily skilled nursing intervention is medically necessary.</p> <p>Services provided through the MFW are case management, home health care, respite care, private duty nursing, physical, occupational and speech therapies, behavior support consultation, nutritional counseling and specialized medical equipment and supplies.</p> <p>Currently has waitlist</p>	none	Department of Health, Developmental Disability Services Division	1-877-696-1472 or E-mail with questions <a href="mailto:SantaFeMailbox.dds@state.nm.us">SantaFeMailbox.dds@state.nm.us</a>	<a href="http://NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/mfw/">NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/mfw/</a>
Developmental Disabilities Waiver	<p>provide <a href="#">Services and Supports</a> that assist eligible children and adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) to participate as active members of their communities. The program serves as an alternative to institutional care.</p> <p>New Mexico's traditional DD Waiver Program is a person-centered, community-oriented approach to deliver supports for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).</p>	none	Department of Health Division of Developmental Disabilities <i>Program Manager</i> <i>Marie Velasco</i> <i>marie.velasco@state.nm.us</i> 505-660-0766	505-660-0766	<p>General Info: <a href="http://NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/ddw/">NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/ddw/</a></p> <p>To apply: <a href="http://NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/intake/">NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/intake/</a></p>
Mi Via Self Directed Waiver	<p>This program is a person-centered, community-oriented approach to deliver services and supports that assist eligible children and adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) or Medically Fragile conditions to participate as active members of their communities.</p> <p>*Cannot have DD or Medically Fragile Waiver. If you have either of these waivers, you must fill out a Waiver Change Form (WCF)</p>	None	Department of Health Division of Developmental Disabilities	(505) 670-2407	<p>Overview and to apply: <a href="http://NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/sdw/">NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/sdw/</a></p>

# NEW MEXICO

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Supports Waiver	<p>Children and adults with developmental or intellectual disabilities, including autism. This waiver services as a bridge to provide limited supports to those on the waiting list for the DD waiver.</p> <p>Provides community supports coordinator, customized community supports – individual, customized community supports –group, employment supports, personal care, assistive technology, behavior support consultation, environmental modifications, non-medical transportation, respite, vehicle modifications for individuals with autism, DD, and ID</p> <p>Currently has wait list</p>	none	Department of Health Division of Developmental Disabilities	(505) 629-7476	<p>Overview and to apply:  <a href="http://NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/csw">NMHealth.org/about/ddsd/pgsv/csw</a></p>

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Parents Reaching Out: Parents Reaching Out (PRO) provides support, training and tools for families and youth with disabilities or complex medical needs. We invite you to explore the many ways we can support and guide you through your early childhood, educational, and healthcare needs: [ParentsReachingOut.org](http://ParentsReachingOut.org)

# NEW YORK

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Home and Community Based Services	<p>Provides case management, community habilitation, day habilitation, prevocational services, respite, supported employment, adaptive and assistive equipment, caregiver/family supports and services, community self-advocacy training and supports, crisis intervention, environmental modifications, family peer support services, non-medical transportation, palliative care - expressive therapy, palliative care – bereavement service, palliative care – massage therapy, palliative care – pain and symptom management, vehicle modifications, youth peer support</p> <p>Contact Children and Youth Evaluation Services (C-YES) to apply: <a href="http://NYMedicaidChoice.com/connecting-children-home-and-community-based-services">NYMedicaidChoice.com/connecting-children-home-and-community-based-services</a></p>	0-20	Department of Health	518-473-5569 or email <a href="mailto:hhsc@health.ny.gov">hhsc@health.ny.gov</a> to get more information and/or enroll	For information: <a href="http://OMH.NY.gov/omhweb/bho/docs/hcbs_brochure_english.pdf">OMH.NY.gov/omhweb/bho/docs/hcbs_brochure_english.pdf</a>
The Front Door	<p>Provides day habilitation, live-in caregiver, prevocational services, residential habilitation, respite, supported employment, community transition services, fiscal intermediary, individual directed goods and services, support brokerage, assistive technology - adaptive devices, community habilitation, environmental modifications (home accessibility), family education and training, intensive behavioral services, pathway to employment, and vehicle modifications for individuals with autism, intellectual disabilities, and developmental disabilities</p>	None	Office For People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD)	<p>Call Local Offices:</p> <p>Finger Lakes 855-679-3335</p> <p>Western New York 800-487-6310</p> <p>Southern Tier 607-771-7784</p> <p>Central New York 315-793-9600, Ext. 603</p> <p>North Country 518-536-3480</p> <p>Capital District 518-388-0398</p> <p>Rockland County 845-947-6390</p> <p>Orange County 845-695-7330</p>	<p><a href="http://Opwdd.NY.gov/access-supports">Opwdd.NY.gov/access-supports</a></p> <p>Additional Local Office Numbers:</p> <p>Taconic 845-473-5050</p> <p>Westchester County 914-332-8960</p> <p>Brooklyn 718-642-8576</p> <p>Bronx 718-430-0757</p> <p>Manhattan 646-766-3220</p> <p>Queens 718-217-6485</p> <p>Staten Island 718-982-1913</p> <p>Long Island 631-434-6000</p>

# NEW YORK

## **Additional Resources:**

- Family Support Services: Funds services through not-for-profit agencies in the community and through the regional Developmental Disabilities Services Offices (DDSO). Services may include: respite (day, evening, overnight); recreation (day, evening, summer/day camp); family reimbursement/cash subsidy; case management/ service coordination; counseling; behavior management; crisis intervention; financial and life planning assistance; information/referral/outreach; training; transportation; special adaptive equipment and environmental modification.
  - To request family support services, families may contact the regional DDSO in their area. For more information, call 1-866-946-9733
  - Information is also available at: [OPWD.NY.gov/opwdd\\_services\\_supports/supports\\_for\\_independent\\_and\\_family\\_living/family\\_support\\_services](https://www.opwd.ny.gov/opwdd_services_supports/supports_for_independent_and_family_living/family_support_services)
- Parent to Parent of New York State: Parent to Parent of New York State builds a supportive network of families to reduce isolation and empower those who care for people with developmental disabilities or special healthcare needs to navigate and influence service systems and make informed decisions.
  - [ParentToParentNYS.org](https://www.parenttoparentnys.org)
  - The Arc New York: [TheArcNY.org](https://www.thearcny.org)



# NORTH CAROLINA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Communities Alternative Program for Children (CAP/C)	provides home- and community-based services to children at risk for institutionalization in a nursing home. Available to any child who meets both the Medicaid eligibility criteria and the CAP/C eligibility criteria: Live in a private residence, Be able to be cared for safely at home, Require the same level of care as a child in a nursing home or hospital, Have a family willing to participate in the care and in the care planning for their child. Families are required to use one of the following additional services, at least once every 90 days: In-home nurse or nurse aide care, Home modifications and vehicle modifications, Palliative care (art therapy, music therapy, counseling and bereavement counseling), Caregiver training and education. Additional services include: Respite care, Reusable diapers and disposable liners. Children on CAP/C have access to regular Medicaid services, including: Physical therapy, Occupational therapy, Speech therapy, Medical equipment All families on CAP/C have a case manager to assist them with identifying their needs. The case manager will develop a plan of care to meet your child's needs, monitor, and coordinate the services and supplies in that plan of care	0-20	Division of Health and Human Services  Contact: NC Medicaid Division of Health Benefits 2501 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-2501	NC Medicaid Contact Center 888-245-0179	General Info: <a href="https://www.Medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/programs-services/long-term-care/community-alternatives-program-for-children">Medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/programs-services/long-term-care/community-alternatives-program-for-children</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://ePass.NC.gov">ePass.NC.gov</a>
Community Alternatives Program for Disabled Adults (CAP/DA)	The services are intended for situations where no household member, relative, caregiver, landlord, community, agency, volunteer agency or third-party payer is able or willing to meet all medical, psychosocial and functional needs of the beneficiary. Services include: Adult day health, Personal care aide, Home accessibility and adaptation, Meal preparation and delivery, Institutional respite services, Non-institutional respite services, Personal emergency response services, Specialized medical equipment and supplies, Participant goods and services, Community transition services, Training, education and consultative services, Assistive technology, Case management	18+	Division of Health and Human Services  Contact: NC Medicaid Division of Health Benefits 2501 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-2501	NC Medicaid Contact Center 888-245-0179	General Info: <a href="https://www.Medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/programs-and-services/long-term-care/community-alternatives-program-disabled-adults-capda">Medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/programs-and-services/long-term-care/community-alternatives-program-disabled-adults-capda</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://ePass.NC.gov">ePass.NC.gov</a>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- Exceptional Children's Assistance Center: Help parents navigate the special education system: [Ecac-ParentCenter.org](https://www.Ecac-ParentCenter.org)
- NC Child: The Voice for North Carolina's Children [NCChild.org](https://www.NCChild.org)

# NORTH DAKOTA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
ND Medicaid Waiver for Home and Community Based Services	Provides adult day care, adult residential care, case management, homemaker, residential habilitation, respite care, supported employment, adult foster care, chore, community support service, community transition services, companionship service, emergency response, environmental modification, extended personal care, family personal care, home delivered meals, non-medical transportation, specialized equipment & supplies, supervision, and transitional living	18+	Department of Human Services	Visit <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html</a> for local office phone numbers	Contact Regional Office to apply: <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html</a>  Complete "Process to Obtain Developmental Disabilities Program Management and DD Services" <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/docs/d-d-eligibility-determination-process.pdf">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/docs/d-d-eligibility-determination-process.pdf</a>
ND Traditional IID/DD HCBS Waiver	Provides day habilitation, homemaker, independent habilitation, individual employment support, prevocational services, residential habilitation, extended home health care, adult foster care, behavioral consultation, community transition services, environmental modifications, equipment and supplies, family care option, in-home supports, infant development, parenting support, small group employment support for individuals with ID/DD	None	Department of Human Services	(701) 328-8930  or Visit <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html</a> for local office phone numbers	Contact Regional Office to apply: <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-offices.html</a>  Complete "Process to Obtain Developmental Disabilities Program Management and DD Services" <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/docs/d-d-eligibility-determination-process.pdf">ND.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/docs/d-d-eligibility-determination-process.pdf</a>
ND Autism Spectrum Disorder	Provides respite, service management, and assistive technology for individuals with autism	0-15		701-328-4630	General Info: <a href="http://ND.gov/dhs/autism/docs/dn211-autism-waiver-services-brochure.pdf">ND.gov/dhs/autism/docs/dn211-autism-waiver-services-brochure.pdf</a>  To Apply: <a href="http://Apps.ND.gov/itd/recmgmt/rm/stFrm/eforms/Doc/sfn60618.pdf">Apps.ND.gov/itd/recmgmt/rm/stFrm/eforms/Doc/sfn60618.pdf</a>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- Aging and Disabilities Resource Link: [CareChoice.nd.assistguide.net/children%E2%80%99s-disability-specific-resources](http://CareChoice.nd.assistguide.net/children%E2%80%99s-disability-specific-resources)

# OHIO

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Individual Options Waiver	Comprehensive waiver that may be a good fit for people who may need a lot of help in their home, or for people who need many different kinds of services.	none	Department of Disabilities	(800) 617-6733	Info: <a href="https://dodd.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/dodd/waivers-and-services/waivers/0-io-waiver">DODD.Ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/dodd/waivers-and-services/waivers/0-io-waiver</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://dodd.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/dodd/forms-and-rules/forms/application+for+1915%28c%29+hcbs+waiver">DODD.Ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/dodd/forms-and-rules/forms/application+for+1915%28c%29+hcbs+waiver</a>

**Additional Information / Resources:**

- Aging and Disabilities Resource Link: [CareChoice.nd.assistguide.net/children%E2%80%99s-disability-specific-resources](https://carechoice.nd.assistguide.net/children%E2%80%99s-disability-specific-resources)

# OKLAHOMA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community Waiver	Provides adult day health, habilitation training specialist services, homemaker, prevocational services, respite, supported employment, nursing, prescribed drugs, agency companion, audiology services, community transition services, daily living supports, dental services, environmental accessibility adaptations and architectural modification, extended duty nursing, family counseling, family training, group home, intensive personal support, nutrition services, occupational therapy services, physical therapy services, psychological services, remote support, respite daily, self-directed goods and services (SD-GS), specialized foster care also known as specialized family home/care, specialized medical supplies and assistive technology, speech therapy services, and transportation for individuals with intellectual disabilities	3+	Human Services		For more information and to apply: <a href="http://Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html">Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html</a>
In-Home Supports for Adults	Provides habilitation training specialist services, prevocational services, respite, supported employment, environmental accessibility adaptations and architectural modification, family training, occupational and physical therapy, self directed goods and services (SD-GS), specialized medical supplies and assistive technology for individuals with IID	18+	Human Services		For more information and to apply: <a href="http://Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html">Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html</a>
In-Home Supports for Children	Provides habilitation training specialist services, prevocational services, respite, supported employment, environmental accessibility adaptations and architectural modification, family training, occupational and physical therapy, self directed goods and services (SD-GS), specialized medical supplies and assistive technology for individuals with IID	3-17	Human Services		For more information and to apply: <a href="http://Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html">Oklahoma.gov/okdhs/services/dd/homecbws.html</a>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- Family Support Assistance: cash payment program for families who are caring for children under age 18 at home. In this program, families can receive payments of \$250-\$400 per month depending on the number of children with disabilities in the home. Families who meet the income eligibility may choose this State-funded cash payment in lieu of Medicaid Home and Community-Based services.

# OREGON

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
I/DD Services for Children and Adults	<p>Services to children and families range from in home family support, intensive in-home supports and 24-hour services in foster care or residential placement.</p> <p>Provides employment path services, supported employment - individual employment support, waiver case management, discovery/career exploration services, environmental safety modifications, family training - conferences and workshops, specialized medical supplies, supported employment - small group employment support, vehicle modifications for individuals DD, ID</p> <p>To find out if you are eligible for services: Contact your <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/county-programs.aspx">county Community Developmental Disability Program (CDDP) office</a> - <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/county-programs.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/county-programs.aspx</a></p>	None	Department of Human Services	503-945-5811 ODDS.info@dhsosha.state.or.us	<p><a href="https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/eligibility.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/eligibility.aspx</a></p> <p>Supports for Adults: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/adult-supports.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/adult-supports.aspx</a></p> <p>Supports for Children: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/children-supports.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/children-supports.aspx</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- You can visit <https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/Pages/eligibility.aspx>, download the application for eligibility and take it to your county CDDP office
- Oregon Family to Family Health Information Center: <https://www.ohsu.edu/oregon-family-to-family-health-information-center>
- The Arc Oregon: <https://thearcoregon.org/>

# PENNSYLVANIA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community Living Waiver	Provides Employment Services (job finding and job coaching), In-Home and Community Support, Companion, Community Participation Support, Respite, Shift Nursing, Therapies, Behavioral Support, Assistive Technology, Home and Vehicle Accessibility, Adaptations, Transportation, Life Sharing, Supported Living  Require an ICF/ID or ICF/ORC level of care	none	Department of Human Services	Helpful phone numbers:  <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/contact/Pages/Helpful%20Phone%20Numbers.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/contact/Pages/Helpful%20Phone%20Numbers.aspx</a>	<a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/Home-and-Community-Based%20Services.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/Home-and-Community-Based%20Services.aspx</a>  <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Community-Living-Waiver.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Community-Living-Waiver.aspx</a>
Community HealthChoices (CHC) Waiver	Provides Daily Living Services, Assistive Technology, Environmental Adaptations, Cognitive Rehabilitation Therapy Services, Employment Services, Home Delivered Meals, Transportation Services, Personal Assistance Services, Pest Eradication, Respite  Must meet nursing facility level of care criteria. Wish to receive long-term services and supports in own home or another community setting	21+	Department of Human Services		General Info: <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/HealthChoices/HC-Services/Pages/CHC-Main.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/HealthChoices/HC-Services/Pages/CHC-Main.aspx</a>  How to Apply / Enroll: <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/HealthChoices/HC-Services/Pages/How-to-Apply.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/HealthChoices/HC-Services/Pages/How-to-Apply.aspx</a>
ACT 150 (State Funded Program)	Provides: Personal Assistance Services, Personal Emergency Response System (PERS), Service Coordination  Eligibility: Meet the level of care needs for a Skilled Nursing Facility, Not financially eligible for Medicaid	18-59	Department of Human Services	For Information: Office of Long-Term Living Bureau of Participant Operations (717) 787-8091  Enrollment: PA Independent Enrollment Broker at 1-877-550-4227	<a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Attendant-Care-Waiver.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Attendant-Care-Waiver.aspx</a>
Infant, Toddlers and Family Waiver	provides services to children from birth to age three who are in need of Early Intervention services and would otherwise require the level of care provided in an Intermediate Care Facility for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities or Other Related Conditions (ICF/ORC)	0-3		For more information and how to enroll/apply call 717-346-1119	<a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Infant-Toddlers-Families-Waiver.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/Infant-Toddlers-Families-Waiver.aspx</a>
Person/Family-Directed Support Waiver (PFDS)	Provides: Employment Services (job finding and job coaching), In-Home and Community Support, Companion, Community Participation Support, Respite, Shift Nursing, Therapies, Behavioral Support, Assistive Technology, Home and Vehicle Accessibility Adaptations, Transportation	none	Department of Human Services		<a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/PFDS-Waiver.aspx">DHS.PA.gov/Services/Disabilities-Aging/Pages/PFDS-Waiver.aspx</a>

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Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Consolidated Waiver	<p>Provides: Residential Habilitation, Employment Services (job finding and job coaching), In-Home and Community Support, Companion, Community Participation Support, Respite, Shift Nursing, Therapies, Behavioral Support, Assistive Technology, Home and Vehicle Accessibility Adaptations, Transportation, Life Sharing , Supported Living</p> <p>Eligibility: Require an ICF/ID or ICF/ORC level of care</p> <p>No individual cost limit per year on services</p>	None	Department of Human Services		

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Information Referral Tool: [HumanServices.State.PA.us/irt](https://www.human-services.state.pa.us/irt) - will help identify services and supports based on your needs
- If a person is determined eligible for more than one HCBS program, the person cannot receive services under two or more such programs at the same time. The person must choose one HCBS program and receive the services provided by it
- The PEAL Center: promotes inclusion and access in education and healthcare [PealCenter.org](https://www.PealCenter.org)
- PA Families Inc. (PFI) is a not-for-profit Statewide Family Network providing support to families raising children and youth with emotional, behavioral, and special needs, as well as serving as an advocate in the different child serving systems. [PAFamiliesInc.org](https://www.PAFamiliesInc.org)
- For help and guidance while on the wait list for waivers, visit [PAWaitingListCampaign.org](https://www.PAWaitingListCampaign.org)

# RHODE ISLAND

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett Waiver	<p>provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.</p> <p>To apply for Medicaid through the Katie Beckett provision, a parent or guardian would need to complete a paper <a href="#">DHS-2 Application</a> and mail it to: DHS/State of Rhode Island, P.O. Box 8709, Cranston, RI 02920-8787</p>	0-18	Executive Office of Health and Human Services	For more info contact Parent Consultant at (401) 462-0633	<p>General Information: <a href="http://Eohhs.RI.gov/Consumer/FamilieswithChildren/ChildrenwithSpecialNeeds/KatieBeckett.aspx">Eohhs.RI.gov/Consumer/FamilieswithChildren/ChildrenwithSpecialNeeds/KatieBeckett.aspx</a></p> <p>Application: <a href="http://Eohhs.RI.gov/Consumer/ConsumerInformation/Applications.aspx">Eohhs.RI.gov/Consumer/ConsumerInformation/Applications.aspx</a></p>
The Respite Program for Children	<p>allow parents or guardians caring for a child with disabilities, to have time off for themselves. To be eligible for the Respite for Children Program, a child must need an institutional level of care that can best be described as the type of care typically provided in a hospital, nursing home or Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR).</p> <p>Parents / guardians are required to find their own respite worker. Assistance is available from certified Respite agencies</p>	0-18	Executive Office of Health and Human Services		For information and how to apply: <a href="http://Eohhs.RI.gov/consumer/families-children/children-special-needs">Eohhs.RI.gov/consumer/families-children/children-special-needs</a>
Medicaid Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS)	Provides: ome and community-based care include: CNA/Homemaker services, environmental modifications, special medical equipment, meals on wheels, personal emergency response systems, case management, senior companion, assisted living, personal care services, self-directed care, respite	18+	Executive Office of Health and Human Services	401-574-8474  E-mail: <a href="mailto:DHS.LTSS@dhs.ri.gov">DHS.LTSS@dhs.ri.gov</a>	<p>Information: <a href="http://Eohhs.RI.gov/consumer/healthcare/long-term-services-and-supports">Eohhs.RI.gov/consumer/healthcare/long-term-services-and-supports</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="http://Eohhs.RI.gov/reference-center/forms-applications/medicaid-ltss-application">Eohhs.RI.gov/reference-center/forms-applications/medicaid-ltss-application</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- THE POINT: provides information, referrals, and help getting started with programs and services for seniors, adults with disabilities, and their caregivers. (401) 462-4444



# SOUTH CAROLINA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett (TEFRA) Children	<p>Provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.</p> <p>Apply <a href="#">online</a> or complete the forms and submit it electronically to 8888201204@fax.scdhhs.gov or by mail to SCDHHS-Central Mail, P.O. Box 100101, Columbia, SC 29202-3101 or to your <a href="#">local county office</a>.</p>	0-18	Department of Disabilities and Special Needs	(888) 549-0820	<p>General Information: <a href="https://www.scdhhs.gov/eligibility-groups/disabled-children">SCdhhs.gov/eligibility-groups/disabled-children</a></p> <p>To Apply Online: <a href="https://www.scdhhs.gov/CitizenPortal/application.do">Apply.SCDhhs.gov/CitizenPortal/application.do</a></p>
Community Supports	<p>Provides adult day health care services, personal care services, respite care services, waiver case management (WCM), incontinence supplies, adult day health care nursing, adult day health care transportation, assistive technology and appliances assessment/consultation, assistive technology and appliances, behavior support services, career preparation services, community services, day activity, employment services, environmental modifications, in-home support services, personal emergency response systems (PERS), private vehicle assessment/consultation, private vehicle modifications, support center services for individuals with IID</p>	none	Department of Disabilities and Special Needs	800-289-7012	<p>General Information: <a href="https://www.ddsn.sc.gov/services/medicaid-home-and-community-based-waiver-services">DDSN.SC.gov/services/medicaid-home-and-community-based-waiver-services</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="https://www.ddsn.sc.gov/services/applying-services">DDSN.SC.gov/services/applying-services</a></p>
Intellectual Disability/Related Disabilities Waiver	<p>ID/RD Waiver services are provided based on identified needs of the person and the appropriateness of the service to meet the need. The following services are available through the ID/RD Waiver: Behavior Support, Environmental Modification, Personal Emergency Response, Pest Control Treatment, Private Vehicle Modification, Residential Habilitation, Respite Care, Specialized Medical Equipment, Support Center, Waiver Case Management. Services also available for Adults: Adult Attendant Care Service, Adult Companion Service, Adult Day Health Transportation, Adult Dental Services, Adult Vision, Adult Audiology, Career Preparation Services, Community Services, Day Activity, Employment Services, Incontinence Supplies, Nursing Services, Personal Care (I and (I</p>	none	Department of Disabilities and Special Needs	1-800-289-7012	<p>General Information: <a href="https://www.ddsn.sc.gov/services/medicaid-home-and-community-based-waiver-services">DDSN.SC.gov/services/medicaid-home-and-community-based-waiver-services</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="https://www.ddsn.sc.gov/services/applying-services">DDSN.SC.gov/services/applying-services</a></p>

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## **Additional Information / Resources:**

- How to request DDSN Eligibility:
  - Call Toll Free 1-800-289-7012, Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM-5:00 PM
  - Have the following information about the applicant available:
    - Full Name
    - Date of Birth
    - Social Security Number
    - Medicaid Number if Medicaid eligible
    - Home Address
    - Phone Number
    - E-mail Address, if available
  - Plan to spend about 15 minutes on your call.
    - You will be asked questions to establish your residency in South Carolina.
    - You will be asked questions to get general information about your disability.
    - You will be asked to select three (3) Intake Service Providers from a list read to you over the phone. The Intake Provider will help you through the Eligibility process at no cost to you. DDSN will contact the Intake Service Provider(s) you choose.
    - You will receive a letter from DDSN confirming your application for DDSN eligibility.
    - The Intake Service Provider you choose, or an Autism Eligibility Coordinator will contact you by telephone within two (2) weeks and will provide you information and collect medical and educational records needed by DDSN to determine eligibility.
    - Once appropriate records are submitted by the Intake Service Provider or the Autism Eligibility Coordinator, DDSN will notify the applicant in writing of their eligibility status.
- Family Connection of South Carolina [FamilyConnectionSC.org](http://FamilyConnectionSC.org)

# SOUTH DAKOTA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Family Support 360	<p>Family Support 360 serves people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. This program assists participants and their families in self-directing the services they need to live as independently as possible in the community.</p> <p>Provides: Service Coordination, Environmental Accessibility Adaptive Equipment, Vehicle Modifications, Companion Services, Supported Employment, Personal Care, Medical Adaptive Equipment, Nutritional Supplements, Respite Care</p>	none	Department of Human Services	605-773-3438	<p>General Info:</p> <p><a href="https://dhs.sd.gov/developmentaldisabilities/familysupport360.aspx">DHS.SD.gov/developmentaldisabilities/familysupport360.aspx</a></p>
Respite Care	<p>Respite care is temporary relief care designed for families of children or adults with special needs. For an eligible child or adult, a family may receive authorization to receive up to \$600.00 of Respite Care services</p>	none	Department of Human Services	605-773-3438	<p>General Info:</p> <p><a href="https://dhs.sd.gov/developmentaldisabilities/respitecare.aspx">DHS.SD.gov/developmentaldisabilities/respitecare.aspx</a></p> <p>To Apply:</p> <p><a href="https://dhs.sd.gov/docs/RC%20application%20form%20FY18.pdf">DHS.SD.gov/docs/RC%20application%20form%20FY18.pdf</a></p>
CHOICES Waiver	<p>Community, Hope, Opportunity, Independence, Careers , Empowerment, Success (CHOICES) is a program that provides services to children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.</p> <p>Provides: Case Management, Residential, Supported Employment, Day Habilitation, Nursing, Medical Equipment &amp; Drugs, Other Medical Related Services- Speech, Hearing, Language</p>	None	Department of Human Services	605-773-3438 <a href="mailto:infodd@state.sd.us">infodd@state.sd.us</a>	<p>General Info:</p> <p><a href="https://dhs.sd.gov/developmentaldisabilities/CHOICES.aspx">DHS.SD.gov/developmentaldisabilities/CHOICES.aspx</a></p> <p>To apply - connect with an Intervention and Support Specialist:</p> <p><a href="https://dhs.sd.gov/developmentaldisabilities/resourcecoordinators.aspx">DHS.SD.gov/developmentaldisabilities/resourcecoordinators.aspx</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- South Dakota Parent Connection: [SDParent.org](https://SDParent.org)
  - Provides Resources for Families with Disabilities

# TENNESSEE

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett	<p>provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at</p> <p>home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.</p>	0-18	Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	<p>West Tennessee Regional Office: (866) 372-5709</p> <p>Middle Tennessee Regional Office: (800) 654-4839</p> <p>East Tennessee Regional Office: (888) 531-9876</p>	<p>General Information: <a href="http://TN.gov/didd/katie-beckett-waiver.html">TN.gov/didd/katie-beckett-waiver.html</a></p> <p>To Apply: <a href="http://TennCareConnect.TN.gov/services/homepage">TennCareConnect.TN.gov/services/homepage</a></p>
Employment and Community First CHOICES	<p>Provides services to help people with I/DD gain as much independence as possible. People are supported to live with their family or in the community, not in an institution. Residential services are available for adults with I/DD who do not live with family but need supports where they live.</p> <p>Other services help people learn and do things at home and in the community that help people achieve their goals. If a person lives at home with their family, the services help the family support the person to become as independent as possible. Services also help people get actively involved in their communities and include peer supports for the person and for their family.</p>	18+	Division of TennCare	1-877-224-0219	<p>General Information: <a href="http://TN.gov/tenncare/long-term-services-supports/employment-and-community-first-choices.html">TN.gov/tenncare/long-term-services-supports/employment-and-community-first-choices.html</a></p> <p>To Enroll: <a href="http://TN.gov/tenncare/long-term-services-supports/employment-and-community-first-choices/self-referral-form.html">TN.gov/tenncare/long-term-services-supports/employment-and-community-first-choices/self-referral-form.html</a></p>
Family Support Program	<p>The primary purpose of the program is to support: Families who have school-aged or younger children with severe disabilities, Adults with severe disabilities who choose to live with their families, Adults with severe disabilities not supported by other residential programs funded by state or federal funds</p> <p>Services can include: Respite care, day care services, home modifications, equipment, supplies, personal assistance, transportation, homemaker services, housing costs, health-related needs, nursing and counseling.</p> <p>To apply: there is a family support agency for every county in the state. Contact the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Regional or Central Office to find out what agency has the Family Support contract for your county.</p>		Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	(615) 532-6530	<p>General Information: <a href="http://TN.gov/didd/for-consumers/family-support.html">TN.gov/didd/for-consumers/family-support.html</a></p> <p>Family Support Contract Agencies: <a href="http://TN.gov/didd/for-consumers/family-support/family-support-contract-agencies.html#collapse965a310d51d34a8bad354b18392d4152-1">TN.gov/didd/for-consumers/family-support/family-support-contract-agencies.html#collapse965a310d51d34a8bad354b18392d4152-1</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- Tennessee Disability Coalition: [TNDisability.org](http://TNDisability.org)

# TEXAS

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Medically Dependent Children's Program (MDCP)	<p>Provides services to support families caring for children who are medically dependent and to encourage de-institutionalization of children and young adults who reside in nursing facilities. MDCP provides respite, flexible family support services, minor home modifications, adaptive aids, transition assistance services, employment assistance, supported employment and financial management services through a STAR Kids managed care organization.</p> <p>To apply, call 877-438-5658 to get on the MDCP interest list. From there you will be mailed an enrollment packet.</p>	0-20	Department of Health and Human Services	877-438-5658	<p>General Info:</p> <p><a href="https://www.hhs.texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/medically-dependent-children-program-mdcp">HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/medically-dependent-children-program-mdcp</a></p>
Community Living Assistance and Support Services (CLASS)	<p>CLASS provides home- and community-based services to people with related conditions as a cost-effective alternative to placement in an intermediate care facility for individuals with an intellectual disability or a related condition.</p> <p>Provides case management, prevocational services, residential habilitation, respite (in-home and out-of-home), supported employment, adaptive aids, dental treatment, dietary, nursing, occupational therapy, physical therapy, prescribed drugs, speech and language pathology, financial management services, support consultation, auditory integration training/auditory enhancement training, behavioral support, cognitive rehabilitation therapy, continued family services, employment assistance, minor home modifications, specialized therapies, support family services, transition assistance services</p>	none	Department of Health and Human Services	<p>CLASS interest list information: 877-438-5658</p> <p><a href="mailto:CLASSPolicy@HHS.C.state.tx.us">CLASSPolicy@HHS.C.state.tx.us</a></p>	<p>General Info:</p> <p><a href="https://www.hhs.texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/community-living-assistance-support-services-class">HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/community-living-assistance-support-services-class</a></p>

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Home and Community Based Services	<p>Provides individualized services and supports to persons with intellectual disabilities who are living with their family, in their own home or in other community settings, such as small group homes.</p> <p>Those interested in receiving HCS services are placed on an interest list by contacting the local intellectual and developmental disability authority (LIDDA) that serves the county in which they live (<a href="https://apps.hhs.texas.gov/contact/la.cfm">Apps.HHS.Texas.gov/contact/la.cfm</a>). An offer of the HCS program depends on individual need, one's date of placement the interest list and the availability of funding for the program. Once HHSC approves an offer for HCS, the LIDDA serving a local service area will assist with the application process, as well as coordinate the enrollment and ongoing services</p>	none	Department of Health and Human Services	<a href="mailto:HCSPolicy@hhsc.state.tx.us">HCSPolicy@hhsc.state.tx.us</a>	<a href="https://HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/home-community-based-services-hcs">HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/home-community-based-services-hcs</a>
Texas Home Living (TxHmL)	<p>TxHmL is a Medicaid waiver program that supplies essential services and supports to Texans with an intellectual disability (ID) or a related condition so that they can continue to live in the community. TxHmL services are intended to supplement rather than replace services received from other programs. Those interested in receiving TxHmL services are placed on an interest list by contacting the local intellectual and developmental disability authority (LIDDA) that serves the county in which they live (<a href="https://apps.hhs.texas.gov/contact/la.cfm">Apps.HHS.Texas.gov/contact/la.cfm</a>). An offer of the TxHmL program depends on individual need, one's date of placement on the interest list and the availability of funding for the program. Once HHSC approves an offer for TxHmL, the LIDDA serving a local service area will assist with the application process, as well as coordinate the enrollment and ongoing services.</p>	none	Department of Health and Human Services	877-438-5658 <a href="mailto:TxHmLPolicy@hhsc.state.tx.us">TxHmLPolicy@hhsc.state.tx.us</a>	<a href="https://HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/texas-home-living-txhml">HHS.Texas.gov/providers/long-term-care-providers/texas-home-living-txhml</a>

**Additional Information / Resources:**

- Medicaid Buy-In for Children: The Medicaid Buy-In for Children program offers low-cost Medicaid services to children with disabilities in families that make too much money to get Medicaid. To apply, visit [HHS.Texas.gov/regulations/forms/1000-1999/form-h1200-mbic-application-benefits-medicare-buy-children](https://HHS.Texas.gov/regulations/forms/1000-1999/form-h1200-mbic-application-benefits-medicare-buy-children). You can print the form, fill it out, and fax or mail it to the Health and Human Services Commission. The address and fax number are included in the instructions on the form. You can also apply over the phone or ask for help by calling 2-1-1.
- Texas Parent to Parent: [Txp2p.org](https://Txp2p.org)
- Partners Resource Network: Empowerment through Education [PMTexas.org](https://PMTexas.org)

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Community Supports Waiver	<p>Provides services to help persons with intellectual disabilities or persons with conditions related to intellectual disabilities remain in their homes or other community-based settings. Individuals are able to live as independently as possible with supportive services provided through this waiver program.</p> <p>Services include: Behavioral Consultation, Chore Services, Companion Services, Day Supports, Emergency Response Systems, Environmental Adaptations, Extended Living Supports, Family/Ind. Training and Preparation, Financial Management Services, Homemaker Services, Living Start-up Costs, Massage Therapy, Medication Monitoring, Non-medical Transportation, Personal Assistance, Personal Budget Assistance, Residential Habilitation, Respite Care, Specialized Medical Equipment, Supported Employment, Supported Living, Waiver Support Coordination</p> <p>Call to apply</p> <p>Wait List</p>	None	Department of Health	Phone: (801) 538-4200  Email: <a href="mailto:dspd@utah.gov">dspd@utah.gov</a>	General Info: <a href="https://www.Medicaid.utah.gov/ltc-2/cs">Medicaid.utah.gov/ltc-2/cs</a>

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
<p>Medically Complex Children's Waiver</p>	<p>This program provides medical assistance to children who are medically complex. This waiver serves the following population: Children ages 0-18, Children who have 3 or more specialty physicians, Children who have 3 or more organ systems involved in their disability, Children who are not meeting age appropriate milestones for their activities of daily living; this includes eating, toileting, dressing, bathing and mobility, Children who have a SSI Disability Designation through the SSA or a disability determination by the State Medical Review Board, this will be coordinated as part of the MCCW application process.</p> <p>To be notified of the next open application period, please enroll in the MCCW listserv. Applications open as funding permits</p> <p>Current Wait list</p> <p>Not all children with Angelman Syndrome will qualify</p>	<p>0-18</p>	<p>Department of Health</p>	<p>1-800-662-9651, option 5</p> <p><a href="mailto:mccw@utah.gov">mccw@utah.gov</a></p>	<p>General Info: <a href="https://www.mccw.utah.gov/itc-2/mccw/">Medicaid.utah.gov/itc-2/mccw/</a></p>

**Additional Information / Resources:**

- Utah Family Voices: [UtahParentCenter.org/projects/ufv](https://UtahParentCenter.org/projects/ufv)



# VERMONT

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Choices for Care	<p>Choices for Care provides a package of long-term services and supports to Vermonters who are age 18 years and over and need nursing home level of care. People who need nursing home level of care typically require extensive or total assistance on a daily basis with personal care. Eligible people choose where to receive their services. People must meet clinical and financial eligibility for long-term care Medicaid in Vermont.</p> <p>To apply:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete the 202LTC application form:  Print a copy at: <a href="http://DVHA.Vermont.gov/sites/dvha/files/documents/Members/202LTC%2002%2018-1.pdf">DVHA.Vermont.gov/sites/dvha/files/documents/Members/202LTC%2002%2018-1.pdf</a> or  Call 1-800-479-6151 and ask that a 202LTC be mailed to you.</li> <li>Mail your completed application to: Green Mountain Care Application and Document Processing Center 280 State Drive Waterbury, VT 05671-1500</li> <li>Green Mountain Care will determine your financial eligibility: A worker will contact you to set up a phone interview to discuss your application and any documents you may need to provide.</li> <li>The Department of Disabilities, Aging &amp; Independent Living (DAIL) will determine your clinical eligibility: A Long-Term Care Clinical Coordinator will contact you to set up a face-to-face meeting to assess your abilities and the level of care you need.</li> </ol> <p>If you are found eligible for the program, your eligibility will be reviewed at least once a year.</p> <p>No wait list</p>	none	Department of Vermont Health Access	1-800-479-6151	<a href="http://DVHA.Vermont.gov/members/vermont-medicaid-programs/long-term-care">DVHA.Vermont.gov/members/vermont-medicaid-programs/long-term-care</a>

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Children's Personal Care Services	<p>Children's Personal Care Services may be able to help families and caregivers to pay for one-on-one assistance for a child that needs assistance with dressing, bathing, grooming, toileting, eating and/or mobility.</p> <p>To be eligible, a child must: Have <a href="#">Vermont Medicaid</a>, Be diagnosed with a health condition or disability by a doctor, physician's assistant, nurse practitioner or other licensed clinician; and need help with tasks like dressing, bathing, grooming, toileting, eating or mobility.</p> <p>To apply: the family must work with a trained assessor to complete the application. Children with Special Health Needs also has <a href="#">care coordinators</a> around the state who can help. Once the application is done, the assessor sends it to Children's Personal Care Services to review and make a decision</p> <p>Care Coordinators: <a href="https://www.healthvermont.gov/sites/default/files/documents/pdf/CSHN_ServiceAreas_Jan2020.pdf">HealthVermont.gov/sites/default/files/documents/pdf/CSHN_ServiceAreas_Jan2020.pdf</a></p> <p>No wait list</p>	0-21	Department of Vermont Health Access	800-660-4427	<p>General Information: <a href="https://www.healthvermont.gov/children-youth-families/children-special-health-needs/personal-care-services">HealthVermont.gov/children-youth-families/children-special-health-needs/personal-care-services</a></p> <p>Care Coordinators: <a href="https://www.healthvermont.gov/sites/default/files/documents/pdf/CSHN_ServiceAreas_Jan2020.pdf">HealthVermont.gov/sites/default/files/documents/pdf/CSHN_ServiceAreas_Jan2020.pdf</a></p>
Developmental Disabilities Services (DD)	<p>Provides Service Coordination, Community Supports, Employment Services, Respite and Supervised Living (also known as In-Home Family Supports). Other services may be available as well.</p> <p>Apply for DD services through the Intake Coordinator at the <a href="#">Designated Agency (DA)</a> in the area where the individual lives. Once an application is made, it is the role of the DA to determine whether the individual meets the first three eligibility criteria: residency, financial and clinical.</p>	None	Developmental Disabilities Services Division	(802) 241-0304	<p>How to Apply for Services: <a href="https://ddsd.vermont.gov/services-providers/apply">https://ddsd.vermont.gov/services-providers/apply</a></p>

## Additional Information / Resources:

- Children with Special Health Needs (CSHN) supports Vermont children and youth with special health needs by ensuring comprehensive, culturally sensitive, community-based and family-centered services. This is a free public health program for families. [HealthVermont.gov/family/special-health-needs](https://www.healthvermont.gov/family/special-health-needs)
- Vermont Family Network: The mission of Vermont Family Network is to empower and support all Vermont children, youth, and families, especially those with disabilities or special health needs. [VermontFamilyNetwork.org](https://www.vermontfamilynetwork.org)

# VIRGINIA

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Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus	<p>Provides adult day health care, personal assistance services, respite care services, services facilitation, assistive technology, environmental modifications, personal emergency response system (PERS), private duty nursing, transition services for aged individuals, disabled, and technology dependent, all ages</p> <p>To apply: To apply for CCC Plus Waiver services, contact your local Department of Social Services. The local Department of Social Services will complete a screening to determine your eligibility for the waiver services. If you are eligible, you will then apply for Medicaid (if you don't already have Medicaid coverage).</p> <p>Wait List</p>		<p>Department of Medical Assistance Services</p> <p>Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services</p>		<p>General Information: <a href="https://dmas.virginia.gov/members/waivers">DMAS.Virginia.gov/members/waivers</a></p>
Family and Individual Supports Waiver	<p>Provides group day services, in-home support services, individual supported employment, personal assistance services, respite services, services facilitation, assistive technology, benefits planning, center-based crisis supports, community coaching, community engagement, community guide, community-based crisis supports, companion services, crisis support services, electronic home-based supports, employment and community transportation, environmental modifications, group supported employment, individual and family/caregiver training, peer mentor supports, personal emergency response system (PERS), private duty nursing, shared living, skilled nursing, supported living residential, therapeutic consultation, transition services</p> <p>To apply: To apply for the Developmental Disability Waiver services contact your local Community Services Board (<a href="https://dbhds.virginia.gov/community-services-boards-csbs">Dbhds.Virginia.gov/community-services-boards-csbs</a>) . The Community Services Board (CSB) staff will determine if the child: meets the definition of a developmental disability and meets the functional criteria as assessed on the VIDES screening tool.</p> <p>Wait List</p>	None	<p>Department of Medical Assistance Services</p> <p>Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services</p>		<p>General Info: <a href="https://mylifemycommunityvirginia.org/taxonomy/mlmc-menu-zone/waiver-information">MyLifeMyCommunityVirginia.org/taxonomy/mlmc-menu-zone/waiver-information</a></p> <p><a href="https://dmas.virginia.gov/members/waivers/">DMAS.Virginia.gov/members/waivers/</a></p>

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Community Living Waiver	<p>Provides group day services, group home residential, individual supported employment, personal assistance services, respite, consumer-directed services facilitation, assistive technology, benefits planning, center-based crisis supports, community coaching, community engagement, community guide, community-based crisis supports, companion services, crisis support services, electronic home-based services, employment and community transportation, environmental modifications, group supported employment, in-home support services, peer mentor supports, personal emergency response system, private duty nursing, shared living, skilled nursing, sponsored residential, supported living, therapeutic consultation, transition services</p> <p>To apply: To apply for the Developmental Disability Waiver services contact your local Community Services Board (<a href="http://Dbhds.Virginia.gov/community-services-boards-csbs">Dbhds.Virginia.gov/community-services-boards-csbs</a>) . The Community Services Board (CSB) staff will determine if the child: meets the definition of a developmental disability and meets the functional criteria as assessed on the VIDES screening tool.</p> <p>Wait List</p>	None	Department of Medical Assistance Services		<p>General Info:  <a href="http://MyLifeMyCommunityVirginia.org/taxonomy/mlmc-menu-zone/waiver-information">MyLifeMyCommunityVirginia.org/taxonomy/mlmc-menu-zone/waiver-information</a>   <a href="http://DMAS.Virginia.gov/formembers/waivers/">DMAS.Virginia.gov/formembers/waivers/</a></p>

**Additional Information / Resources:**

- For information and comparison of each waiver visit [Drive.Google.com/file/d/1LrbJAArPyynLT40Wq8hfcllEB1uUHAR /view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1LrbJAArPyynLT40Wq8hfcllEB1uUHAR/view)
- Center for Family Involvement: [CenterForFamilyInvolvementBlog.org](http://CenterForFamilyInvolvementBlog.org)
- Partnership for People with Disabilities: [Partnership.VCU.edu](http://Partnership.VCU.edu)

# WASHINGTON

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
CORE Waiver	Provides community inclusion, individual supported employment/group supported employment, prevocational services, residential habilitation, respite, behavioral health stabilization services-specialized psychiatric services, specialized psychiatric services, behavioral health stabilization services-behavioral health crisis diversion bed services, behavioral health stabilization services-positive behavior support and consultation, chemical extermination of bed bugs, community guide, community transition, environmental adaptations, individualized technical assistance, occupational therapy, physical therapy, positive behavior support and consultation, risk assessment, skilled nursing, specialized medical equipment and supplies, speech, hearing, and language services, staff family consultation and training, transportation	none	Developmental Disabilities Administration		General Info: <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/sites/default/files/DDA/dda/documents/CORE%20Waiver.pdf">DSHS.WA.gov/sites/default/files/DDA/dda/documents/CORE%20Waiver.pdf</a>
Individual and Family Services Waiver	Provides respite, OT, PT, speech/hearing/language, assistive technology, behavior support and consultation, behavioral health stabilization services-behavior support and consultation, behavioral health stabilization-specialized psychiatric services, community engagement, environmental accessibility mods, nurse delegation, peer mentoring, person-centered planning facilitation, psychosexual evaluation, skilled nursing, specialized clothing, specialized medical equipment and supplies, specialized nutrition, specialized psychiatric services, staff/family consultation and training, supported parenting services, therapeutic equipment and supplies, transportation, and vehicle mods for DD individuals  To apply: You will need to submit eligibility paperwork to the DDA office before requesting IFS waiver services ( <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/node/5756/">DSHS.WA.gov/node/5756/</a> ). If you have applied and been determined eligible for DDA but do not have a Case Resource Manager (CRM), please call the number below corresponding to your county of residence or see the <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/dda/service-and-information-request">Service Referral and Information Request Page</a> ( <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/dda/service-and-information-request">DSHS.WA.gov/dda/service-and-information-request</a> ).  No wait list	3+	Developmental Disabilities Administration	Spokane: 1-800-319-7116  Yakima: 1-866-715-3646  Seattle: 1-800-974-4428  Everett: 1-800-567-5582  Tacoma: 1-800-735-6740  Olympia: 1-888-707-1202  Program Manager: <a href="mailto:leila.graves@dshs.wa.gov">leila.graves@dshs.wa.gov</a>	General Information: <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/dda/consumers-and-families/individual-and-family-services-waiver">DSHS.WA.gov/dda/consumers-and-families/individual-and-family-services-waiver</a>  To Apply for DDA Eligibly: <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/node/5756/">DSHS.WA.gov/node/5756/</a>  <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/dda/service-and-information-request">Service Referral and Information Request Page</a>  <a href="https://dshs.wa.gov/dda/service-and-information-request">DSHS.WA.gov/dda/service-and-information-request</a>

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Basic Plus	Provides respite, behavioral health stabilization services - specialized psychiatric services, specialized psychiatric services, assistive technology, behavioral health stabilization services - crisis diversion bed services, behavioral health stabilization services - positive behavior support and consultation, community engagement, environmental adaptations, nurse delegation, occupational therapy, peer mentoring, person-centered plan facilitation, physical therapy, positive behavior support and consultation, risk assessment, skilled nursing, specialized clothing, specialized medical equipment and supplies, speech, hearing and language services, staff/family consultation services, supported parenting services, transportation services, vehicle modifications	none		<p><b>Chelan, Douglas, Ferry, Grant, Lincoln, Okanogan, Pend Oreille, Spokane, Stevens</b> (800) 319-7116 <a href="mailto:R1ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov">R1ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov</a></p> <p><b>Adams, Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla, Whitman, Yakima</b> (866) 715-3646 <a href="mailto:R1ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov">R1ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov</a></p> <p><b>Island, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Whatcom</b> (800) 567-5582 <a href="mailto:R2ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov">R2ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov</a></p>	<p>General Information: <a href="https://www.dshs.wa.gov/sites/default/files/DDA/dda/documents/Basic%20Plus%20Waiver_brochure.pdf">https://www.dshs.wa.gov/sites/default/files/DDA/dda/documents/Basic%20Plus%20Waiver_brochure.pdf</a></p> <p><u>Additional Phone Numbers:</u></p> <p><b>King</b> (800) 974-4428 <a href="mailto:R2ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov">R2ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov</a></p> <p>Kitsap, Pierce (800) 735-6740 <a href="mailto:R3ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov">R3ServiceRequestA@dshs.wa.gov</a></p> <p><b>Clallam, Clark, Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Jefferson, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Skamania, Thurston, Wahkiakum</b> (888) 707-1202 <a href="mailto:R3ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov">R3ServiceRequestB@dshs.wa.gov</a></p>

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Before applying for specific waivers, you need to have DDA determination of eligibility. In order to do that visit [DSHS.WA.gov/node/5756](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/node/5756) to apply for eligibility.
- Partnerships for Action, Voices for Empowerment (PAVE): [WAPave.org](http://WAPave.org)

# WEST VIRGINIA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Children with Disabilities Community Service Program	Provides benefits to severely disabled children who meet the program's eligibility requirements. The CDCSP is an alternative to institutionalization and provides medically necessary services that are community-based and cost less than institutional services.  No Wait List	0-18	Health and Human Resources  Bureau of Medical Services	(304) 356-4867	<a href="http://DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/Pages/default.aspx">DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/Pages/default.aspx</a>  Program Brochure: <a href="http://DHHR.WV.gov/bms/BMSPUB/Documents/CDCSPBrochure%20FinalApproved.pdf">DHHR.WV.gov/bms/BMSPUB/Documents/CDCSPBrochure%20FinalApproved.pdf</a>  To Apply: <a href="http://PCASolutions.com/cdcsp">PCASolutions.com/cdcsp</a>
Intellectual Disabilities Waiver	Provides facility based day hab, home-based agency person-centered support, in-home respite, prevocational, service coordination, supported employment, dietary therapy, OT, PT, speech therapy, participant-directed goods and services, behavior support professional,, crisis intervention, crisis site person-centered support, electronic monitoring, environmental accessibility adaptations, family person-centered support, job development, licensed group home person-centered support, out-of-home respite, skilled nursing by a LPN, skilled nursing a RN, transportation, unlicensed residential person-centered support for individuals with ID/DD  <b>Program Manager, IDDW Program</b>  Stacy Broce Phone: (304) 558-1700 Email: Lori.J.Tyson@wv.gov or Stacy.M.Broce@wv.gov  Wait List	3+	Health and Human Resources  Bureau of Medical Services  <b>Utilization Management Organization:</b>  KEPRO 1007 Bullitt Street, Second Floor Charleston, WV 25301  Phone: (866) 385-8920, (304) 380-0617  Fax: (866) 521-6882	(304) 558-1700  To apply:  For an application please contact The Administrative Service Organization (ASO), KEPRO – 1-800-461-0655.	General Information: <a href="http://DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/IDDW/Pages/default.aspx">DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/IDDW/Pages/default.aspx</a>  <a href="http://PCASolutions.com/idd-waiver">PCASolutions.com/idd-waiver</a>  Application link: <a href="http://PCASolutions.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/IDD_01_Application-07-18-16.pdf">PCASolutions.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/IDD_01_Application-07-18-16.pdf</a>

# WEST VIRGINIA

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Aged and Disabled Waiver	Long-term care alternative that provides services that enable an individual to remain at or return home rather than receiving nursing home care. The goals and objectives of this program are focused on providing services that are person-centered, promote choice, independence, participant-direction, respect, and dignity and community integration	18+	Health and Human Resources Bureau of Medical Services	Program Manager, ADW Program  LuAnn Summers, MS, LPC,  Bureau for Medical Services  350 Capitol Street, Room 251 Charleston, WV 25301  Phone: (304) 352-4270  Fax: (304) 558-4398  Email: <a href="mailto:LuAnn.S.Summers@wv.gov">LuAnn.S.Summers@wv.gov</a>	General Information: <a href="http://DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/ADWProgram/Pages/default.aspx">DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/ADWProgram/Pages/default.aspx</a>  To Apply: <a href="http://DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/ADWProgram/Pages/How-to-Apply.aspx">DHHR.WV.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/ADWProgram/Pages/How-to-Apply.aspx</a>

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Psychological Consultation and Assessment, Inc. (PC&A) is contracted by the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources' (DHHR) Bureau for Medical Services to perform administrative services and make eligibility decisions for the CDCSP. PC&A communicates with DHHR employees as well as consumers, parents, guardians and other entities to provide information regarding CDCSP and addresses questions for the program.
- West Virginia Parent Training and Information: [WVpti-Inc.org](http://WVpti-Inc.org)



Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Katie Beckett	Provides medical coverage for children living at home with long term disabilities or complex medical needs. Katie Beckett eligibility allows these children to be cared for at home instead of in an institution. Only the child's income and assets are considered when determining eligibility for Katie Beckett.  No Wait List	0-18	Department of Health Services	888-786-3246	General Information: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/kbp/index.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/kbp/index.htm</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/kbp/apply.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/kbp/apply.htm</a>
Children's Long Term Support Waiver Program for Families	Provides consumer education and training, day services, respite, support and service coordination, supported employment – individual, supportive home care, financial management services, adaptive aids, adult family home, child care services, children's foster care, communication aids/assistive technology/interpreter services, community integration services, counseling and therapeutic services, daily living skills training, home modification, housing counseling, mentoring, nursing services, personal emergency response system (PERS), relocation services, specialized medical and therapeutic supplies, supported employment - small group, training for parents/guardians & families of children with disabilities, transportation for individuals with physical disabilities, other health disabilities, serious emotional disturbance, autism, DD, and ID  Wait List	0-21	Department of Health Services	(608) 266-1865	General Information: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/clts/index.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/clts/index.htm</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/clts/waiver/family/apply.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/clts/waiver/family/apply.htm</a>
Family Care	Long-term care program for frail elders and adults with physical, developmental, or intellectual disabilities. People in the program receive long-term care services to help them live in their own home whenever possible	18+	Department of Health Services	(608) 266-1865	General Information: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/familycare/whatisc.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/familycare/whatisc.htm</a>  To Apply: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/familycare/apply.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/familycare/apply.htm</a>  To find an Aging and Disability Resource Center: <a href="https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm">DHS.Wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm</a>

### Additional Information / Resources:

- Family Voices of Wisconsin: [DHS.Wisconsin.gov/clts/waiver/family/apply.htm](https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/clts/waiver/family/apply.htm)
- Parent to Parent of Wisconsin: [P2Pwi.org/](https://p2pwi.org/)
- Aging and Disability Resource Centers Consumer Page: [DHS.Wisconsin.gov/adrc/index.htm](https://dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/index.htm)

# WYOMING

Waiver	Description	Age Requirement	Agency Oversees	# Number	Website(s)
Supports and Comprehensive Waiver	Provides adult day services, case management, community living services, community support services, homemaker, personal care, respite, supported employment, dietician services, occupational therapy, physical therapy, skilled nursing, speech, hearing and language services, behavioral support services, child habilitation services, cognitive retraining, companion services, crisis intervention support, environmental modification, individual habilitation training, specialized equipment, transportation for individuals with ID/DD	none	Department of Health	(307) 777-7531	<p>General Info:  <a href="https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/hcbs/d-d-participant-services-and-eligibility/">Health.WYO.gov/healthcarefin/hcbs/d-d-participant-services-and-eligibility/</a></p> <p>Guide to Applying:  <a href="https://health.wyo.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/TOOL19-Application-Guide-for-Supports-Waiver.pdf">Health.WYO.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/TOOL19-Application-Guide-for-Supports-Waiver.pdf</a></p>

**Additional Information / Resources:**

- UPLIFT Wyoming: [UpLiftWY.org](https://upliftwyo.org)
- Wyoming Institute for Disabilities: [UWYO.edu/wind](https://uwyo.edu/wind)



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