

# Waiver Care Coordination

Providing Medicaid Waiver Care Coordination services for individuals with physical, intellectual, and developmental disabilities.



## How do I find out if someone is eligible for Medicaid services?

The first step is to contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC). Individuals with intellectual developmental disabilities should contact the Developmental Disabilities Resource Connection (DDRC) at Stone Soup Group. Both the ADRC and the DDRC pre-screen applicants for waiver eligibility, and for other appropriate services.

The State of Alaska requires all waiver applicants have a care coordinator. Once pre-screened, the applicant will be referred to an agency of their choosing for further assessment and counseling about available services.

Individuals applying for waiver services who are not already enrolled in Medicaid will need to apply for Long-Term Care Medicaid. Rules governing Medicaid eligibility are very complex and are subject to change. More details can be provided by a Division of Public Assistance professional after completing a Medicaid application.

Long-Term Care Medicaid uses higher income and resource limits than regular Medicaid.

## Home and Community Based Waiver (HCBW) Medicaid services:

- Residential supported living
- Adult day or day habilitation services
- Respite
- Transportation
- Environmental modification (i.e., stair lifts, ramps, etc.)
- Meals
- Specialized medical equipment (i.e. Lifeline, reclining lifts, etc.)
- Specialized private duty nursing
- Residential habilitation services (supported living or group homes)
- Supported employment
- Annual support plan development
- Escort (medical travel companion for recipient)
- Intensive active treatment

## Program recipients retain their rights under the HCBW Medicaid Waiver.

Program participants have the right to:

- Make choices regarding care.
- Have information about their care kept confidential.
- Withdraw from services at any time.
- Submit a complaint through a grievance procedure.

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- Appeal any decision that affects their care.

## Home and Community Based Services

Home and Community Based Waiver programs offer individuals with physical, intellectual and/or developmental disabilities a choice between home and community-based services or care in a nursing facility.



The philosophy of Southcentral Foundation's Waiver Care Coordination Program is that individuals with disabilities are entitled to live their lives enjoying health, honor, and dignity.

**Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) Pre-Screening**  
(907) 343- 7770

**Developmental Disabilities Resource Connection (DDRC) Pre-Screening through Stone Soup group**  
(907) 561-3701



**Long Term Care Medicaid**  
(907) 269-8950  
Toll free: 1 (800) 478-4372, ext. 4364

**Report Medicaid Fraud and Abuse**  
(907) 269-6279

**Adult Protective Services**  
(907) 269-3666



**Long Term Care Ombudsman**  
(907) 334-4480  
Toll free: 1 (800) 730-6393

**Division of Public Assistance**  
(907) 269-6599  
Toll free: 1 (877) 876-2477

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