



Public Notice

Public Comment Sought on the Amendment of the Medicaid 1915(c) Traditional Individual with Intellectual Disabilities/Developmental Disabilities (IID/DD) Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Waiver

The Traditional IID/DD waiver serves people with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities and includes an array of home and community-based services in the least restrictive environment.

The North Dakota Department of Human Services' Developmental Disabilities (DD) Division is seeking public comment on amending the Traditional IID/DD HCBS waiver. The proposed amendment will remove the service of extended services and replace it with prevocational, small group employment and individual employment. Other changes include a new rate methodology for some of the services as outlined by legislation and updates to the service plan section due to the new services being added. A detailed description of the changes can be found on page 1 of the draft application, which is available online at www.nd.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/docs/7-12-17-draft-nd-1915c-hcbs-waiver-amendment-id-dd-services.pdf, or can be obtained by contacting the division.

The Department anticipates a start date of April 1, 2018 for this waiver amendment, but the start date is contingent upon Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) approval.

This draft amendment is open for comment for the next 30 days.

Comments and public input on the proposed changes will be accepted from today until 5 p.m. (Central Time) on August 10, 2017.

Comments will be accepted in the following ways:

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