

Policy Transmittal Aging and People with Disabilities



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Topic: Long Term Care

Due date:

Transmitting (check the box that best applies):

- New policy
 Policy change
 Policy clarification
 Executive letter
 Administrative Rule
 Manual update
 Other:

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging: Type B | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Intensive In Home Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD program managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Support Service Brokerage Directors | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Residential Services | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs | |

Policy/rule title:	Payment Authorization For Individuals that Have Temporarily Relocated to Other CBC or NF Settings Due to Wildfires		
Policy/rule number(s):		Release number:	
Effective date:	Upon Release	Expiration date:	
References:			
Web address:			

Discussion/interpretation:

This transmittal may also be applied to the ice storm emergency that occurred on February 2021. If a 512 or POC was temporarily closed due to the individual being temporarily relocated, the payment should be reauthorized for that time unless another 512 or POC was opened for another care setting.

Due to the current wildfire emergency, many individuals receiving LTSS services were forced to evacuate, per local authority instructions, to other settings. This policy

transmittal covers how payment authorization will work while individuals are temporarily staying at other settings. This policy will be in effect until further notice.

If the individual temporarily evacuated from a Medicaid CBC/NF setting to any other setting, the payment authorization will remain in place for the originating setting.

The originating setting will need to establish a payment arrangement with the other setting and/or Medicaid providers. The payment amounts are determined between the entities.

If the originating setting is unable to have the individual return to their care setting when the area is allowing for residents to return, the individual will need to transfer to a new permanent setting. For Medicaid eligible individuals, the facility should work with the case manager.

As mentioned in [APD-PT-20-098](#), individuals receiving in-home services may continue to receive their services in any setting other than licensed settings.

Field/stakeholder review: Yes No

If yes, reviewed by: Reviewed internally and with advocacy stakeholders

Filing instructions:

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