

I/DD Waiver Program Services Include:

- Professional Behavioral Support
- Dietary Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- Respite
- Service Coordination
- Person Centered Support
- Crisis Services
- Skilled Nursing
- Facility-Based Day Habilitation
- Pre-Vocational Training
- Supported Employment
- Electronic Monitoring
- Job Development

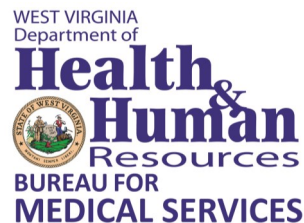
The I/DD Waiver is a Medicaid program providing community-based supports and services for individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities.



For more information, contact:

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West Virginia Department of
Health and Human Resources

Bureau for Medical Services



Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) Waiver

A West Virginia Home
and Community-Based Program

What is the I/DD Waiver?

The West Virginia I/DD Waiver is a federally/state funded program for individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. The West Virginia I/DD Waiver program reimburses for services to instruct, train, support, supervise and assist individuals to achieve their highest level of independence possible.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be age three or older.
- Must have a diagnosis of an intellectual disability and/or related conditions prior to age 22.
- Must have substantial deficits in at least three of the following six areas:
 - Self-care;
 - Receptive or expressive language;
 - Learning;
 - Mobility;
 - Self-direction; or
 - Capacity for independent living.
- Person's income must be less than three times the maximum monthly SSI benefit rate.
- Person must have less than \$2,000 in assets (minus any allowable exclusions).

How to Apply

- Request an application (WVBMS I/DD-01) information packet from APS Healthcare by calling 1-866-385-8920.
- The applicant and/or legal representative must complete the application and submit it to APS Healthcare by fax, email or mail to the address located at the bottom of the application.
- Any West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources (DHHR) local office can assist the applicant to complete the application at no cost.
- The applicant will receive an Independent Psychologist Network (IPN) packet after APS Healthcare receives the completed application.
- The applicant and/or the legal representative will choose a psychologist within the West Virginia IPN to complete an eligibility evaluation.
- The evaluation is completed and submitted within 60 days of initial application.
- A final eligibility determination will be made by the West Virginia medical eligibility contract agent within 30 days of receipt based on medical, physical, psychological and social evaluations of the applicant.

What are my Due Process Rights?

- Applicants have a right to a full eligibility determination within 90 days of submitting a completed application.
- If eligibility is denied, the applicant will receive a "Notice of Decision" and "Request for Hearing" form. The applicant may appeal the denial through the fair hearing process and is afforded 90 days to request a hearing.
- Applicants who request a hearing shall be entitled to a final administrative decision within 90 days.
- An applicant has the right to a second medical examination at DHHR's expense, if the denial was based on a medical reason.
- An applicant has the right to access a copy of his or her file free of charge.
- DHHR will assist in arranging transportation to the fair hearing, if needed.

