



# Home and Community Based Waiver Programs

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# Department for Aging & Disability Services

- ▶ Community Services and Programs (CSP) Commission
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    - Technology Assisted (TA)
    - Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)
    - Money Follows the Person (MFP)
    - PACE



# KanCare Roles & Responsibilities

- ▶ CSP Commission is the operating agency for home and community based programs. The agency's responsibility is to:
  - Design programs
  - Design services
  - Develop and update policies
  - Develop quality measures
  - Oversee program implementation
  - Ensure program accountability and integrity within State and Federal laws

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# Overview of Services >>



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# Autism Program

## ▶ Purpose of Waiver:

- Provides early intensive intervention services for children with diagnosis of autism.

## ▶ Target Population:

- Children age 0 through 5 years with diagnosis of an Autism Spectrum Disorder or PDD-NOS

- ▶ Consultative Clinical and Therapeutic Services (Autism Specialist)
- ▶ Interpersonal Communication Therapy
- ▶ Intensive Individual Supports
- ▶ Parent Support/and training
- ▶ Family Adjustment Counseling
- ▶ Respite Services
- ▶ Interpersonal Communication Therapy

Program Purpose

Services / Limitation

# Frail Elderly Program

## ▶ Purpose of Waiver

- Provides community based services as an alternative to nursing facility care
- Promotes independence in the community setting
- Ensures residency in the most integrated environment.

## ▶ Target Population

- Individuals age 65 years or older

- ▶ Adult Day Care
- ▶ Assistive Technology\*
- ▶ Attendant Care Services
- ▶ Comprehensive Support\*
- ▶ Financial Management Service
- ▶ Medication Reminder
- ▶ Nursing Evaluation Visit
- ▶ Oral Health\*
- ▶ Personal Emergency Response
- ▶ Sleep Cycle Support\*
- ▶ Wellness monitoring

Program Purpose

Services/ Limitation

# I/DD Program

## ▶ **Purpose of Waiver**

- To provide an array of community-based services for individuals who would otherwise be eligible for services in an Intermediate Care Facility.

## ▶ **Target Population**

- Individuals age 5 and up
- Meet definition of I/DD

- ▶ Assistive Services
- ▶ Day Services
- ▶ Financial Management Service
- ▶ Medical Alert Rental
- ▶ Personal Assistant Services
- ▶ Residential Supports
- ▶ Sleep Cycle Support
- ▶ Specialized Medical Care
- ▶ Supported Employment
- ▶ Supportive Home Care
- ▶ Wellness Monitoring

Program Purpose

Services/ Limitation

“You can adapt,  
or you can go  
into a cave  
and give up.”



# Physically Disabled

## ▶ **Purpose of Waiver**

- To provide services for individuals who meet criteria for nursing facility placement due to physical disability

## ▶ **Target Population**

- Individuals age 16 to 65 years of age, who have been determined disabled by social security standards

- Personal Services
- Assistive Services
- Sleep Cycle Support
- Personal Emergency Response Systems (PERS)
- Fiscal Management Service (FMS)
- Home Delivered Meals
- Medication Reminder (call, dispenser, installation)

Program Purpose

Services/ Limitation

# Technology Assisted

## ▶ **Purpose of Waiver**

- To provide substantial, ongoing, hospital-level daily care by a nurse or other qualified caregiver under the supervision of a nurse to avert death or further disability.

## ▶ **Target Population**

- Age 0 through 21 years

- ▶ Financial Management Service
- ▶ Health Maintenance Monitoring
- ▶ Home Modifications
- ▶ Intermittent Intensive Medical Care Services
- ▶ Long Term Community Care Attendant
- ▶ Medical Respite
- ▶ Specialized Medical Care

Program Purpose

Services/ Limitation

# Traumatic Brain Injury

## ▶ **Purpose of Waiver**

- Provide needed services after injury so that individuals can stay in their homes and be as independent as possible in a safe, healthy environment.

## ▶ **Target Population**

- Individuals 16 to 65 years of age who meet the criteria for TBI rehabilitation hospital placement

- ▶ Assistive Services
- ▶ Financial Management Service
- ▶ Home delivered meals
- ▶ Medication reminder call/ dispenser /installation
- ▶ Personal Services
- ▶ Personal Emergency Response / Installation
- ▶ Rehabilitation Therapies
- ▶ Sleep Cycle Support
- ▶ Transitional Living Skills

Program Purpose

Services/ Limitation

# Non-Waiver Programs

- ▶ ICF-MR
  - Private intermediate care facility for individuals who have been determined to meet the I/DD definition
- ▶ MFP
  - Money Follows the Person is a Federal demonstration grant program to help residents of qualified institutional settings (ICF-MRs; NFs; PRTFs) transition back in to communities.
  - Target Population
    - Frail Elderly (FE); Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (I/DD); Physically Disabled (PD); & Traumatic Brain Injured (TBI).
- ▶ PACE
  - A Medicare program and Medicaid state option provides community-based care to individuals over the age of 55 who would otherwise need a nursing-home level of care.
  - Target Population
    - Adults 55 and over

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