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Home and Community-Based 1915(c) Waivers for Respite Support

Medicaid is a program in every state that pays for medical assistance for certain individuals and families with low incomes and resources. It is the largest source of funding for medical and health-related services for America's poorest people. Because Medicaid is funded jointly by the federal and state governments, the services paid for vary from state to state. In addition to medical services, Medicaid will pay for home and community-based services (HCBS) through the state plan as well as through Medicaid waivers that offer services as a lower-cost alternative to treatment in a medical or long-term care facility, such as a nursing home. Respite is usually paid for through one or more of the following types of waivers: research and demonstration (1115), managed care (1915b) and HCBS (1915c) waiver programs. This state's Medicaid waivers that include respite are:

[SD Family Support 360 Waiver \(0338.R04.00\)](#)

Provides personal care, respite, support coordination services, supported employment, companion care, environmental accessibility adaptations, nutritional supplements, specialized medical adaptive equipment and supplies, and vehicle modification for individuals of all ages diagnosed with developmental disabilities and intellectual disabilities.

[SD Home and Community-Based Options and Person Centered Excellence \(HOPE\) Waiver \(0189.R06.02\)](#)

Provides adult day care, homemaker services, personal care, respite care, specialized medical equipment, specialized medical supplies, adult companion, assisted living, environmental accessibility adaptations, in-home nursing, meals and nutritional supplements, as well as Personal Emergency Response Systems for individuals diagnosed with disabilities ages 18 to 64 as well as individuals ages 65 and up.

[SD Assistive Daily Living Services \(ADLS\) Waiver \(0264.R05.00\)](#)

Provides personal attendant care, respite, consumer preparation services, environmental accessibility adaptations, in home nursing, personal emergency response (PERS), specialized medical equipment and supplies, and vehicle modifications for individuals with a physical disability (quadriplegia) ages 18 and older.

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SD Family Support 360 Waiver (0338.R04.00)

State Operating Agency: Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD)

Description	<p>The goal of the Family Support 360 waiver is to provide for the health and developmental needs of participants who otherwise would not be able to live in a home and community based setting. It recognizes the importance of family and the support necessary to keep the participant in their home environment. This waiver allows participants to self-direct their services and supports, and families are included in policy making, planning, implementation, and personal decisions.</p> <p>The services provided by this waiver include: personal care (1 and 2), respite, support coordination services, supported employment, companion care, environmental accessibility adaptations, nutritional supplements, specialized medical adaptive equipment and supplies, and vehicle modification.</p>
Waiver Type	1915(c)
Target Population-Eligibility	This waiver serves individuals of any age with a developmental disability or intellectual disability. Eligible children must live with their natural, adopted, or step-families, or relatives who act in a parental capacity. Eligible adults may live independently in the community or with a family member, legal guardian, or advocate.
Level of Care	Individuals require level of care available in an Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (ICF/ID) facility.
Respite Services	<p>Respite care services are provided to assist participants unable to care for themselves, furnished on a frequency as determined in the service plan because of the absence or need for relief of those persons normally providing the care. Respite care can be provided in the following locations: Participant's home or place of residence; Foster Home; Medicaid certified hospital; Medicaid certified ICF/ID; Group home; a home approved in the plan of care, which may be a private residence; or other community care residential facility approved by the State that is not a private residence, such as a licensed day care.</p> <p>Respite services may be participant directed or provider managed.</p>
Respite Provider Eligibility	Information on becoming a provider of services: https://dhs.sd.gov/developmentaldisabilities/providerresources.aspx
Caregiver Eligibility	Respite services may not be provided by a legally responsible person, but may be provided by legal guardians or relatives.
Enrollment Limit	1017: Year ending 05/31/2022
How to Apply	Application available by calling Division of Developmental Disabilities at 1-800-265-9684
Contact Information	Contact the Division of Developmental Disabilities, Department of Human Services, Phone: (605) 773-3438; Toll free: 1-800-265-9684; E-Mail: infodd@state.sd.us
Link to Waiver Application	https://dhs.sd.gov/servicetotheblind/docs/Family%20Support%20360%20Medicaid%20Waiver%20Renewal%20Application.pdf
Expiration Date	05/31/2022
Date of Last Update	06/19/2019

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SD Home and Community-Based Options and Person Centered Excellence (HOPE) Waiver (0189.R06.02)

State Operating Agency: SD Department Human Services (DHS0, Division of Long-term Services and Supports (LTSS))

Description	<p>The HOPE waiver strives to maintain participants in their homes or the least restrictive community environment available to them by providing individuals with community-based services. Waiver services are provided by community-based agencies and facilities.</p> <p>The services provided by this waiver include: adult day services, respite care, homemaker, in-home nursing services, personal care, specialized medical equipment, specialized medical supplies, adult companion services, assisted living, chore services, community living home, community transition coordination, community transition supports, emergency response system (ERS), environmental accessibility adaptations, meals, nutritional supplements, and structured family caregiving.</p>
Waiver Type	1915(c)
Target Population-Eligibility	Individuals age 18 to 64 who have been diagnosed with a physical or other disability as well as individuals 65 and older.
Level of Care	Individuals require level of care available in a nursing facility (NF).
Respite Services	<p>Respite care will be provided short-term (less than 30 consecutive days) for an individual who is unable to care for him or herself in the absence of or for the relief of the caregiver. It is available to eligible individuals who reside with unpaid caregivers.</p> <p>Respite services are provider managed.</p>
Respite Provider Eligibility	Information on becoming a provider of services: https://dhs.sd.gov/ltss/ltssproviders.aspx
Caregiver Eligibility	Respite service may not be provided by a legally responsible person, a relative, or a legal guardian.
Enrollment Limit	2022: Year ending 09/30/2021
How to Apply	Contact Dakota at Home, South Dakota's Aging and Disability Resource Center at 1-833-663-9673 Or make a referral online at https://dhs.sd.gov/ltss/referralform.aspx
Contact Information	Contact Division of Long-term Services and Supports Phone: (605) 773-3656; Toll Free: 1-(866)-854-5465; Email: hcbs@state.sd.us
Link to Waiver Application	https://dhs.sd.gov/docs/HOPE%20Waiver%20approved%208.1.2018.pdf
Expiration Date	09/30/2021
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SD Assistive Daily Living Services (ADLS) Waiver (0264.R05.00)

State Operating Agency: Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Rehabilitation Services

Description	<p>The goal of the ADLS Waiver is to support eligible individuals with quadriplegia to live independently in their homes and in the communities of their choice as an alternative to institutionalization. The program promotes independence for participants through the provision of services while ensuring health and safety. This waiver offers services through both participant direction and traditional delivery methods.</p> <p>The services provided by this waiver include: personal attendant care, respite, consumer preparation services, environmental accessibility adaptations, in home nursing, personal emergency response (PERS), specialized medical equipment and supplies, and vehicle modifications.</p>
Waiver Type	1915(c)
Target Population-Eligibility	Individuals age 18 and older who have been diagnosed with a physical disability. Participants must be diagnosed as having quadriplegia resulting from ataxia, cerebral palsy, rheumatoid arthritis, muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis, traumatic brain injury, congenital conditions, accidents and injuries to the spinal cord, and other neuromuscular or cerebral conditions or diseases, or an individual with four limbs absent due to disease, trauma or congenital conditions.
Level of Care	Individuals require level of care available in a nursing facility (NF).
Respite Services	<p>Respite care services are provided to assist participants unable to care for themselves, furnished on an intermittent, occasional or emergency basis, as approved due to the absence or need for relief of those persons normally providing the care. Respite care can be provided in the following locations: Participant's home or place of residence; Adult foster home; Medicaid certified hospital; Medicaid certified ICF/IID; Group home; A home approved in the plan of care, which may be a private residence; or Other community care residential facility approved by the State that is not a private residence, such as a licensed day care. Out of home overnight respite is limited to 30 days in an individual's plan year. Services are based on assessed need as identified in the person centered care plan.</p> <p>Respite services can be provider managed or participant directed.</p>
Respite Provider Eligibility	Information on becoming a provider of services: https://dhs.sd.gov/ltss/ltssproviders.aspx
Caregiver Eligibility	Respite service may not be provided by a legal guardian, but may be provided by a legally responsible person or a relative.
Enrollment Limit	129: Year ending 05/31/2022
How to Apply	Print and complete the application (found at https://dhs.sd.gov/docs/Application%202019.pdf). Mail the completed application to the address listed at the top of the application.
Contact Information	Contact Division of Rehabilitation Services (605) 773-4644
Link to Waiver Application	https://dhs.sd.gov/docs/HOPE%20Waiver%20approved%208.1.2018.pdf
Expiration Date	05/31/2022
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