



Medicaid State Plan: Home Care Services

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State Plan Services

- ❖ Services anyone with a Medicaid card can access
 - ✓ Includes individuals enrolled on HCBS waivers
- ❖ Available State-Wide
- ❖ No waiting list

State Plan Services

Home Health Services.

(OAC 5101:3-12-01)

Home Health Services

Home Health Services include:

- Home Health Nursing
- Home Health Aide
- Skilled therapies (OT,PT,ST)
 - Services must be medically necessary as ordered by the treating physician.

Home Health Services

- Four hours or less per visit, intermittent service (min. 2 hour break in services)
- No more than 8 hours a day combined nursing/aide and therapies
- No more than 14 hours per week of nursing/aide

Home Health Services

Home Health Services cannot be provided for the purposes of respite or habilitative care.



Home Health Services

- Per OAC 5101:3-12-01 (D) (4) (c)

“Respite care” is the care provided to a consumer unable to care for himself or herself because of the absence or need for relief of those normally providing care.

Home Health Services

Must be provided
in the consumer's
place of residence
or in a licensed
day care, or in an
Early Intervention
program .



Home Health Services

Home Health Aide Services

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Must be necessary to facilitate the nurse or therapist in the care of the consumer's illness or injury, **or help the consumer maintain a certain level of health in order to remain in the home setting.**

Home Health Services

Home Health Aide Services

(5101-3-12-01 (F) (2) (e))

Services include:

- ✓ Personal Care
- ✓ Routine catheter/colostomy care
- ✓ Assistance with routine maintenance exercises and passive ROM activities in support of skilled therapy goals.
- ✓ Routine care of prosthetic and orthotic devices

Home Health Services

Home Health Aide Services

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May include incidental services along with health related services as long as they do not substantially extend the time of the visit.

Home Health Services

Home Health Aide Services

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- Incidental Services can include: light chores, laundry, light house cleaning, meal prep and taking out trash.
- Main purpose of a Home Health Aide visit cannot be solely to provide incidental services.
- Incidental services are to be performed only for the consumer.

Home Health Services

- For consumers on ODMR/DD- administered waivers, Home Health Services are identified on the service plan.
- For consumers on ODJFS-administered waivers, the case manager authorizes these services via the service planning process.
- Provider Type--Medicare Certified Home Health Agency (MCHHA)

Questions?

Home Health Services
(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)
(OAC 5101:3-12-01 (C))



Home Health Services

(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)

Services include:

- Home Health Nursing
- Home Health Aide
- Skilled therapies (OT,PT,ST)

Home Health Services

(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)

Services:

- Maximum of 28 hours a week of combination nursing and/or aide services for maximum of 60 days post discharge
- If individual is discharged from a hospital to a nursing facility the time spent in the nursing facility counts towards the 60 days
- Date of discharge from the hospital is Day 1 of 60 Days

Home Health Service

(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)

Eligibility:

- The consumer must be admitted to the hospital for 3 days and have a comparable institutional level of care (ILOC, ICF MR/DD, SLOC)
 - 3-day hospital stay is defined as 3 days (3 sleeps) from the time a person was admitted to an inpatient unit (does not include time spent in ER or in observation) not including the date of discharge
 - Time spent in any acute rehab facility, as a result of a direct transfer from the hospital (either within the same facility or a separate one), is included in the hospital stay days count

Home Health Services

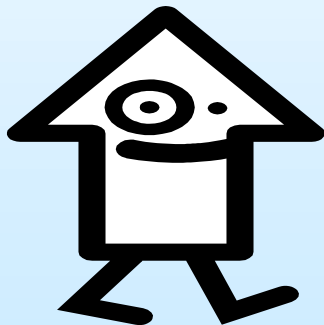
(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)

Eligibility cont'd:

- Physician completes the ODJFS form 07137 “Home Care Certification Form” to illustrate medical condition is comparable to ILOC, ICF/MR, or SLOC
- The consumer requires at least 1 skilled service a week (nursing or therapy)
- For consumers enrolled on waiver this service must be reflected on the service plan.
- Provider—Medicare Certified Home Health Agency

**Increased services for *children*, per
the Federal requirement of Early &
Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and
Treatment (EPSDT) Home Health
Services**

(OAC 5101:3-12-01 (G))



Increased Home Health

Eligibility:

- up to age 21
- must have a comparable institutional level of care (ILOC, ICF MR/DD LOC, or SLOC)
- Must need at least 1 skilled service a week (nursing or therapy)
- have part-time intermittent needs (Visits are 4 hours or less, 2 hours min break in between like services)

Increased Home Health

Eligibility cont'd:

- must require more than 8 hours per day of any home health service (nursing/aide/therapy), or a combined total of more than 14 hours per week of aide, and/or nursing

or

- need **more** than a combined total of 28 hours per week of nursing or aide services for **more** than 60 days

Increased Home Health

For children not enrolled on a HCBS waiver, CareStar will complete a face-to-face evaluation to determine LOC comparability.

Contact information is:

Toll Free 1-800-616-3718

Increased Home Health

A face-to-face evaluation is not necessary for children enrolled on a HCBS waiver to access this service.

Home Health HealthChek

- ❖ Must be reflected on service plan for children enrolled on an ODMR/DD-administered waiver.
- ❖ For children on ODJFS-administered waivers, the case manager authorizes these services via the service planning process.
- ❖ Provider Type---Medicare Certified Home Health Agency



Questions?

**Private Duty Nursing (PDN)
Service
(60 Day Post Hospitalization Service)
(OAC 5101:3-12-02 (E))**



Private Duty Nursing Services

Private Duty Nursing is continuous nursing that is more than 4 hours a visit.

Private Duty Nursing Services

Must be provided in the consumer's place of residence unless it is medically necessary for a nurse to accompany the consumer into the community.

Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

Services:

- More than 4 hours but less than or equal to 12 hours of continuous nursing service per nursing visit “shift”

- Can receive maximum of 56 hours per week for maximum of 60 days following a 3-day hospital stay.

Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

Eligibility:

- The consumer must be admitted to the hospital for 3 days and have a comparable skilled level of care (SLOC)

Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

Eligibility cont'd:

- Physician will complete certification form (JFS 07137 Home Care Certification Form) to illustrate medical condition meets the criteria for **SLOC**

Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

For consumers enrolled on waiver this service must be included on service plan.

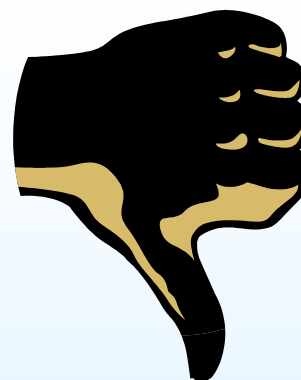
Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

The Private Duty
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can be provided
for the purposes of
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Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

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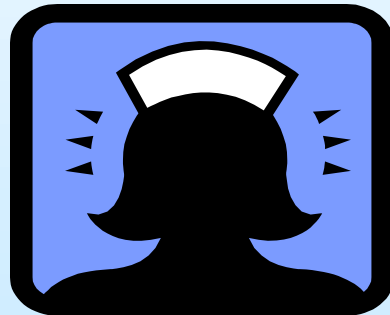
Private Duty Nursing Post Hospital Service

Provider--

Medicare Certified Home Health Agency, other accredited agencies and non-agency nurses (IP's)

Private Duty Nursing Service-Adults

(5101:3-12-02 (G))



Private Duty Nursing-Adults

Services:

- Continuous skilled nursing
- More than 4 hours but less than or equal to 12 hours a nursing visit “shift”

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

Eligibility:

- Age 21 or older
- Comparable institutional level of care (ILOC, ICF/MR and SLOC)

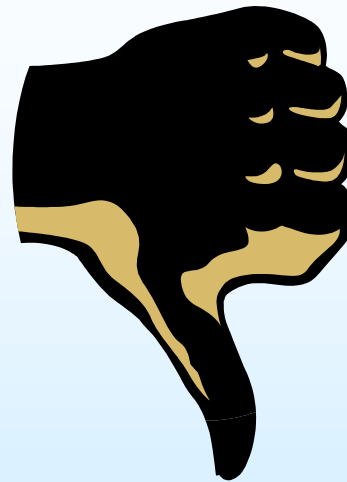
Private Duty Nursing-Adults

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Private Duty Nursing-Adults

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Private Duty Nursing Adults

Provider--

Medicare Certified Home Health Agency, other accredited agencies, and non-agency nurses (IP's)

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

- For consumers enrolled on an ODMR/DD waiver, PDN Services for Adults must be identified on the service plan.
- For consumers enrolled on ODJFS-administered waivers, the case manager authorizes these services via the service planning process.

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

Service must be prior-authorized by
ODJFS-BCSP for all consumers,
except for those who are enrolled in
ODJFS-administered waivers.

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

- For consumers enrolled on an ODMR/DD-administered waiver, the SSA shall submit the request for PDN services via the ODJFS 02374 directly to BCSP.
- For consumers not enrolled on waiver, the provider shall submit the request for PDN services via the ODJFS 02374 directly to BCSP.

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

- ❖ BCSP shall complete a face-to-face assessment to confirm that the consumer has a medical condition that requires medically necessary PDN services.

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

- BCSP will authorize the amount scope and duration of PDN services.
- PDN services will be authorized for no more than 1 year for consumers enrolled on an ODMR/DD-administered waiver and for no more than 6 months for consumers not enrolled on waiver.
- Should the consumer continue to need services beyond the authorized amount of time, a new request for authorization (ODJFS 02374) must be submitted.

Private Duty Nursing-Adults

- If BCSP cannot confirm the medical necessity of PDN services BCSP shall:
 - ❖ Deny the PDN authorization request and issue a denial notice and hearing rights to the consumer using the ODJFS 02373.
 - ❖ For consumers enrolled in a HCBS Waiver, notify the SSA in writing via the ODJFS 02374 of the denial of PDN authorization request.
 - ✓ The SSA shall notify the PDN provider of the denial via the ODJFS 02374.

**Increased services for *children*, per
the Federal requirement of Early
Diagnostic and Treatment
(EPSDT) Private Duty Nursing
Service**

(OAC 5101:3-12-02 (F))



Private Duty Nursing-Kids

- Same service and process as PDN for Adults except for children from birth up to their 21st birthday.

Questions?

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Thanks!