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Nebraska Client Assistance Program Hotline for Disability Services

Contact the Nebraska Hotline for Disabilities

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DISABLED PERSONS & FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAM (DPFS), DHHS

Description:

FOR PERSONS WITH SEVERE CHRONIC DISABILITY AND WHO REQUIRE ASSISTANCE WITH THEIR PERSONAL CARE, THIS PROGRAM MAY AUTHORIZE PAYMENT TO THE CLIENT OR TO THE PROVIDER FOR DISABILITY-RELATED EXPENSES SUCH AS HOME MODIFICATIONS TO REMOVE BARRIERS; ATTENDANT CARE; HOUSEKEEPING; SPECIAL EQUIPMENT; TRANSPORTATION; AND FOOD & LODGING WHILE RECEIVING MEDICAL CARE. OTHER TYPES OF SUPPORT MAY BE CONSIDERED, BASED ON NEED AND CIRCUMSTANCES. PROGRAM DOES NOT PAY DOCTORS, CLINICS, HOSPITALS, ETC. MAXIMUM ALLOWANCE PER INDIVIDUAL IS \$300 PER MONTH, AVERAGED OVER A 12 MONTH PERIOD.

Eligibility:

INCOME LIMIT SCALE BEGINS WITH \$1364 FOR FAMILY SIZE OF ONE. CALL FOR MORE INFO. CANNOT BE MEDICAID ELIGIBLE. IN ADDITION TO FINANCIAL AND NEED ELIGIBILITY, MEDICAL INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO DETERMINE SEVERE CHRONIC DISABILITY, WITH PERSONAL CARE REQUIRED. EMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS MAY APPLY AND DO NOT NEED TO HAVE A PERSONAL CARE NEED.

List of Provided Services:

Accessibility: Financial Accessibility

Assistive Devices: Financial for Devices

Assistive Technology Services: Financial for AT Services

Case Management: Case Management

Family/Individual Resources: Attendant Financial, Financial Adult Day Care, Housekeeping, Nutrition/Meals, Respite Financial

Financial: Other Financial

Information and Referral: Information and Referral

Transportation: Transportation Financial

Contact Information:

Address:

MEDICAID & LONG TERM CARE
301 CENTENNIAL MALL SOUTH, 5TH FLOOR

Lincoln NE 68509-5026

Hours of Operation: 8:00 TO 5:00 MONDAY-FRIDAY

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Main Phone: 402-471-9188

Other Phone(s):

Phone: 800-358-8802

TDD: 402-471-9570

Fax: 402-471-6352

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Main Email:

Main Contact(s):

JAN DREWEL

Other Contact(s):

General Information

Agency ID: 1084

Counties Served:

Adams, Banner, Blaine, Boone, Box Butte, Boyd, Brown, Buffalo, Burt, Butler, Cass, Cedar, Chase, Cherry, Cheyenne, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dakota, Dawes, Dawson, Deuel, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Garden, Garfield, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Holt, Hooker, Howard, Jefferson, Johnson, Kearney, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Knox, Lancaster, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, Madison, McPherson, Merrick, Morrill, Nance, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Perkins, Phelps, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Red Willow, Richardson, Rock, Saline, Sarpy, Saunders, Scotts Bluff, Seward, Sheridan, Sherman, Sioux, Stanton, Thayer, Thomas, Thurston, Valley, Washington, Wayne, Webster, Wheeler, York, Arthur, Antelope

Ages Served: All Ages

Disabilities Served:

Alcohol/Drug, BIMBI (Behavioral Impairment/Mental Illness), Brain Injury/Head Injury, DD (Developmental Disability including ID), Hearing Impairment, LD (Learning Disability), OHI - Other Health Impairment, Orthopedic, Speech Disability, Visual Disability

Wheelchair Accessible: Yes

Fees:

Sliding Fee Schedule: Yes

Interpreters on Staff:

How to Appeal a Decision:

ASK FOR APPEAL FORMS OR APPEAL VERBALLY TO THE LOCAL DHHS OFFICE OR TO THE DISABLED PERSONS AND FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAM.