

CAP Nebraska Client Assistance Program **Hotline for Disability Services**

Contact the Nebraska Hotline for Disabilities

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Description:

HELPS MEDICAID-ENROLLED INDIVIDUALS, WHO ARE RESIDING IN NURSING HOMES OR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR PERSONS WITH MENTAL RETARDATION (ICF/MR), TRANSITION TO INDEPENDENT LIVING IN COMMUNITY-BASED SETTINGS. MEDICAID COVERAGE, THROUGH THE USE OF HCBS MEDICAID WAIVER PROGRAMS SUCH AS THE AGED AND DISABLED WAIVER AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES WAIVER, WILL "FOLLOW" INDIVIDUALS FROM FACILITY-BASED CARE SETTINGS TO COMMUNITY-BASED LIVING ARRANGEMENTS OF THEIR CHOICE AND WILL SUPPORT THEM WITH APPROPRIATE HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES.

Eligibility:

- 1) MUST CURRENTLY BE RESIDING IN A NURSING HOME OR ICF/MR A MINIMUM OF 6 MONTHS (A CONSECUTIVE STAY IN A HOSPITAL AND A FACILITY MAY ALSO MEET THIS REQUIREMENT)
- 2) MUST CURRENTLY BE RECEIVING MEDICAID BENEFITS FOR FACILITY CARE
- 3) MUST MEET ELIGIBILITY REOUIREMENTS FOR THE AGED AND DISABLED WAIVER OR ONE OF THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES WAIVERS
- 4) MUST MOVE INTO A QUALIFIED RESIDENCE (PERSONAL OR FAMILY RESIDENCE, APARTMENT WITH KITCHEN, BATH, AND SLEEPING AREAS, AND LOCKABLE ENTRANCE OR COMMUNITY GROUP HOMES FOR THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED (4 OR LESS PERSONS)).

List of Provided Services:

Administrative: Administrative **Personal Services**: Personal Services

Contact Information:

Address:

DIVISION OF MEDICAID & LONG TERM CARE

PO BOX 95026 Lincoln NE 68509

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

Website: www.dhhs.ne.gov/Medicade-Money-Follows-the-Person.aspx

Main Phone: 800.358.8802 EXT 2308

Other Phone(s): **Phone:** 402.471.2308

Main Email: Main Contact(s):

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Other Contact(s):

General Information Agency ID: 1463

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, Out of State

Ages Served: All Ages **Disabilities Served:**

Alcohol/Drug, BIMI (Behavioral Impairment/Mental Illness), Brain Injury/Head Injury, DD (Developmental Disability including ID), Hearing Impairment, Info Only, 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: