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	Subject:	iBudget Waiver Program
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iBudget Waiver Program

Dear Providers,

Aetna Better Health of Florida (ABHFL) would like to remind you the qualifications and billing process of the iBudget Waiver Program.

What is the iBudget Program?

The iBudget Waiver provides home and community-based supports and services to eligible persons with developmental disabilities living at home or in a home-like setting. The iBudget Waiver program is funded by both federal and matching state dollars. Individuals enrolled in the iBudget Waiver should receive services that enable them to:

- Have a safe place to live
- Have a meaningful day activity
- Receive medically necessary medical and dental services
- · Receive medically necessary supplies and equipment
- Receive transportation required to access necessary waiver services

What services does Waiver include?

- Adult Day Training
- Adult Dental Services
- Behavior Analysis Services
- Behavior Assistant Services
- Companion
- Consumable Medical Supplies
- Dietitian Services
- Durable Medical Equipment and Supplies
- Environmental Accessibility Adaptations
- Occupational Therapy
- Personal Emergency Response Systems
- Personal Supports
- Physical Therapy

- Private Duty Nursing
- Residential Habilitation
- Residential Nursing Services
- Respiratory Therapy
- Respite Care
- Skilled Nursing
- Specialized Medical Home Care
- Specialized Mental Health Counseling
- Speech Therapy
- Support Coordination
- Supported Employment
- Supported Living Coaching
- Transportation

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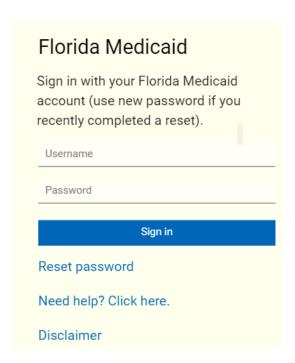
What is the Eligibility Criteria?

MWA Medicaid Waivers - Full Medicaid, including waiver services.

- Meet the eligibility requirements in accordance with Chapter 393, F.S.
- Meet the Level of Care criteria for placement in an ICF/IID
- Be eligible for Medicaid under one of a variety of categories described in the Florida Medicaid
 Provider General Handbook
- Be diagnosed with one or more of the following qualifying disabilities:
- The individual's intelligence quotient (IQ) is 59 or less; or
- The individual's IQ is 60-69 inclusive and the individual has a secondary handicapping condition that
 includes: Down syndrome; Cerebral palsy; Prader-Willi Syndrome; Spina bifida; Epilepsy; Autism; or
 ambulation, sensory, chronic health, and behavioral problems; or has an IQ of 60-69 inclusive and the
 individual has severe functional limitations in at least three major life activities including self-care,
 learning, mobility, self-direction, understanding and use of language, and capacity for independent
 living; or
- The individual is eligible under the category of Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Down Syndrome, Prader-Willi Syndrome or Spina bifida and the individual has severe functional limitations in at least three major life activities including self-care, learning, mobility, self-direction, understanding and use of language, and capacity for independent living.

How to look up Members with a Medicaid Waiver?

Step 1: Sign in with your Florida Medicaid account by visiting flmmis

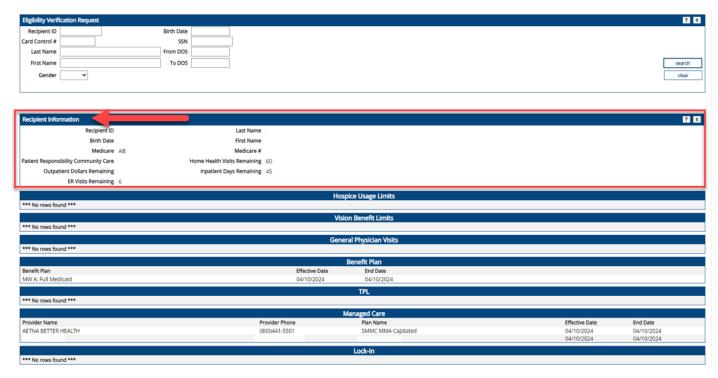


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Step 2: Check eligibility by completing the Eligibility Verification Request

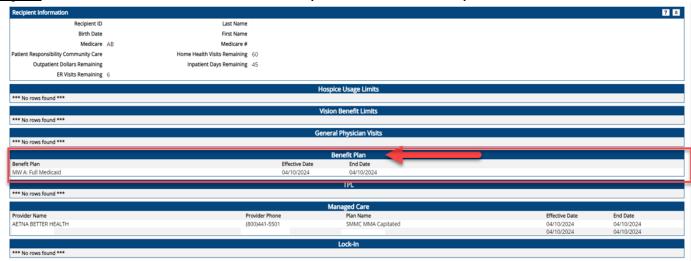


Step 3: Confirm that the recipient information is accurate



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Step 4: Review Benefit Plan information (effective/end date)



Where do I bill iBudget Waiver Services?

Services for the iBudget Waiver Program are to be billed directly to Medicaid.

Where do I find more information regarding iBudget Waiver Services?

For more information on the ibudget program please review the following documents:

59G-13.070	Developmental Disabilities Individual Budgeting Waiver Services	
59G-13.081	Developmental Disabilities Individual Budgeting Waiver Services Provider Rate Table	
65G-4	Service Practice and Procedure	

Thank you for your continued participation in the Aetna Better Health of Florida network. Please contact our Provider Services line should you have any questions at:

Phone: MMA: 1-800-441-5501

LTC: **1-844-645-7371** FHK: **1-844-528-5815**

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Thank you,

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