

Provider Toolkit for Home and Community Based Services

Idaho Medicaid has developed a provider toolkit to assist all Medicaid Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) providers to comply with federal regulation and IDAPA HCBS rules. This provider toolkit has been created to help providers understand, interpret and comply with IDAPA HCBS rules and federal regulations.

Medicaid hopes that all providers of HCBS will work to achieve statewide compliance with IDAPA rule and federal regulations. Medicaid wants to assist all providers to continue to provide HCBS program benefits to the Idaho Medicaid participants who need them.

The toolkit includes information and guidance on IDAPA HCBS rules, the intent of the IDAPA HCBS rules, and best practices for providing HCB services. The toolkit also includes a glossary of terms that relate to HCBS settings, a participant rights document, sample policies and procedures for certified family homes, and additional resources for HCBS providers. The toolkit also includes a copy of the Provider Self-Assessment Tool that each Medicaid HCBS provider must complete by December 31, 2016.

Providers are not mandated to use this toolkit. The toolkit was developed for the sole purpose of assisting providers to continue to provide services to recipients of Medicaid HCBS in compliant settings as required by IDAPA.

If you have any questions, concerns, or comments about the provider toolkit, please email the program at hcbsettings@dhw.idaho.gov.