Get to Know Us



Our Mission

To connect people to the care, support and opportunities that maximize their quality of life.



Service Area

Our service area includes an 18-county region in the western part of New York State.



Allegany Niagara Cattaraugus Ontario Cayuga Orleans Chautauqua Schuyler Chemuna Seneca Steuben Frie Genesee Wayne Livingston Wyoming Monroe Yates

···Who are we?

Person Centered Services is a Care Coordination Organization for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Our job is to help individuals and families navigate a very complex system of services and supports. We do this through a holistic, customized Life Plan that promotes informed choices and independent decision-making.

What does Care Coordination offer?

At the heart of Care Coordination are connections and referrals that provide positive outcomes. Person Centered Services' Care Coordinators work continuously with individuals, families, community providers and organizations to make sure the dots are connected between all aspects of a person's care.

Just a few of a Care Coordinator's duties include:

- Monitoring circumstances and services during life transitions
- · Coordinating access to medical, dental, and behavioral health services
- Monitoring safety and residential needs
- · Referring to community and social support services
- · Creating a holistic Life Plan and adapting the plan as new goals and needs arise



Who is eligible for Person Centered Services' Care Coordination?

Individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities may be eligible for supports and services from New York State's Office for People With Developmental Disabilities, and therefore eligible for Care Coordination. If eligibility is not yet granted, our Intake Specialists can help with the eligibility process. Care Coordinators support individuals with a qualifying condition.

Examples of qualifying conditions include:

- Intellectual Disability
- Cerebral Palsy
- Epilepsy
- Neurological Impairment
- Autism
- Familial Dysautonomia
- Prader-Willi Syndrome



Care Coordination Organization

(CCO): An organization that provides care management and coordination services tailored specifically to help people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Care Coordinator: A person who works with individuals to coordinate services and resources across systems, and provide you one place to plan all services and supports.

Department of Health (DOH):

A government agency that provides leadership and direction for health providers to prevent disease, promote health and protect the public from health problems and hazards.

The Office for People with **Developmental Disabilities** (OPWDD): Responsible for coordinating services for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities in New York State.

IAM Assessment (It's All About Me Assessment):

The preliminary assessment conducted by the Care Coordinator to identify personcentered goals and valued outcomes, which drive services.

Life Plan: A holistic plan tailored to a person's unique goals and needs, including disabilityrelated supports and other services, including medical, dental and behavioral health. The plan is routinely reviewed and updated based on your changing needs. Personal outcome measures (POMS) are used to ensure that supports and services are truly personcentered.

MediSked: An electronic health record platform used by CCOs to manage an individual's life plan, goals and services all in one place.

Staff Action Plan: Describes in detail what habilitation staff will do to help an individual reach the goals/valued outcomes identified in their Life Plan.

Terms to Know The Intake Process

Step 1

Person/Guardian/Support Professional contacts our Intake Department at (855) 208-3533.

..... Step 2

A Person Centered Services Team Member conducts an initial on-phone screening with



questions about disability, demographics, non-income Medicaid status (based on disability), OPWDD status and service history.

Step 3

A packet that includes privacy notices and consents is mailed to you along with a paid-postage return envelope.

Step 4

Once a completed intake packet is received, an Intake Specialist will begin working with you to obtain eligibility for OPWDD services and Medicaid.

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The individual is matched with a Care Coordinator.

Contact Us

To Enroll

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