

ACCESSING 1915(i) SERVICES

for Members and Families

Contact Care Manager*

Care Manager completes an independent assessment and submits to the state.

State conducts an independent evaluation (Letter sent to member regarding eligibility)

Care Manager, care team, member and family develop a Care Plan/ISP

Care Manager submits completed Care Plan/ISP for prior authorization

Care Manager follows up with provider on service delivery

*If you do not have a care manager, call Partners Member Services and select Care Management.

PartnersACCESS: 1-888-235-4673
IDD Care Management: 1-833-618-7974
MHSU Care Management: 1-833-842-6311

WHAT'S AVAILABLE?

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1915(i) State Plan Amendment

The 1915(i) services, which provide support to individuals with Medicaid, will soon replace 1915(b)(3) services. If you have 1915(b)(3) services, they will transition to the 1915(i) services. You should not see any difference in service delivery with this change.

1915(i) Services

Community Living and Supports is a service focused on living skills we all use each day. It involves building and practicing skills and provides supervision and assistance so that individuals can complete an activity to their level of independence.

Community Living and Supports is for individuals ages three and older with an intellectual and developmental disability (I/DD) or traumatic brain injury (TBI).

Community Transition covers initial start-up costs for adults with I/DD, TBI, severe mental illness (SMI) or severe substance use disorder (SUD) who are moving into an independent home in the community.

Individual and Transitional Support provides support in acquiring, retaining and improving self-help, social and adaptive skills to reside successfully in the community. It is for individuals with severe emotional disturbance (SED) or SUD who are ages 16 and older, and for those with a TBI who are ages 18 and older.

Respite: Provides periodic or scheduled support and relief to the primary caregiver(s) from the responsibility and stress of caregiving. This is for caregivers of individuals who are:

- Three and older with an I/DD or TBI
- Three to 20 years old with an SED
- Ages three to 20 with a severe SUD who are unable to care for themselves in the absence of their primary care giver; who meet diagnostic criteria and reside in therapeutic foster care or another residential placement and are at risk of losing their placement; or who have a TBI

Supported Employment provides support for individuals who wish to get a job. It includes initial job development training and support for ages 16 and older who have an I/DD or TBI.

