

HOW TO APPLY

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CARE AT HOME MEDICAID WAIVER PROGRAMS



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***New York State Office for People
with Developmental Disabilities***

What are the OPWDD Care At Home Programs?

The OPWDD Care At Home Medicaid Waiver Programs are administered by the New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities. They are designed to assist families of children with severe disabilities and medical conditions living in the home.



Who is Eligible?

To be eligible a child must meet all of the following requirements:

- Be under 18 years of age
- Have a developmental disability as defined by New York State's Mental Hygiene Law
- Demonstrate complex healthcare needs that are expected to continue for at least 12 months
- Be eligible for the level of care provided by an intermediate care facility for persons with developmental disabilities
- Not be in a hospital, skilled nursing facility, and ICF/DD facility or other institution
- Have an assessment indicating that the child is able to be cared for at home if the proper services are provided
- Be ineligible for Medicaid because of parental income and resources
- Be able to be cared for at less cost in the family home than in an ICF/DD facility

What Services are Available?

The Care at Home Medicaid Waiver Program provides coverage of routine State Plan Medicaid Services.

In addition, this program provides case management to each enrolled child.

Additional services may be available after further assessment of the child's needs. These may include:

- Respite Care
- Home Modifications
- Adaptive technologies