

SCDHHS Home and Community Based Services Waiver Summary Chart

Program	Community Choices Waiver	HIV/AIDS Waiver	Mechanical Ventilator Waiver
Group Served	Frail elderly (age 65 and older) as well as persons with physical disabilities (ages 18-64) who meet nursing facility level of care criteria	Individuals with a diagnosis of HIV or AIDS who are currently located in S.C. or intend to locate in S.C. and who meet at-risk of hospitalization level of care criteria	Frail elderly and persons with physical disabilities (age 21 or older) who require mechanical ventilation and meet the nursing facility level of care criteria
Contact Agency	DHHS/CLTC Centralized Intake: 888-971-1637 For electronic referrals: https://phoenix.scdhhs.gov/cltc_referrals/new	DHHS/CLTC Centralized Intake: 888-971-1637 For electronic referrals: https://phoenix.scdhhs.gov/cltc_referrals/new	DHHS/CLTC Centralized Intake: 888-971-1637 For electronic referrals: https://phoenix.scdhhs.gov/cltc_referrals/new
Level of Care	Nursing Facility	At-Risk of Hospitalization	Nursing Facility and dependent on Mechanical Ventilation
Effective Date	Since 2003 (20 years) (Previously the Elderly and Disabled Waiver from 1984 – 2003)	Since 1988 (35 years)	Since 1994 (29 years)
Waiver Expires	June 30, 2026	June 30, 2026	November 30, 2027
Admin/Operating Authority	SCDHHS is the administrative and operating authority for this waiver.	SCDHHS is the administrative and operating authority for this waiver.	SCDHHS is the administrative and operating authority for this waiver.
State Approved Assessments	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State
Level of Care Reviews	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State	Initial: State Annual: Contract case managers or State
Available Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Management • Personal Care Services • Attendant Care • Companion Care - Agency • Companion Care - Individual • Home Delivered Meals • Adult Day Health Care • Adult Day Health Care Nursing • Respite, Institutional • Respite, CRCF • Respite, In-Home • Personal Emergency Response System, Installation • Personal Emergency Response System, Monitoring • Telemonitoring • Home Accessibility Adaptations - Environmental Modifications • Specialized Medical Equipment & Supplies • Residential Personal Care II • Pest Control 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Management • Personal Care Services • Attendant Care • Companion Care - Agency • Companion Care - Individual • Home Delivered Meals • Pest Control • Nursing Services • Home Accessibility Adaptations - Environmental Modifications • Specialized Medical Equipment & Supplies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Management • Personal Care Services • Attendant Care • Nursing Services • Specialized Medical Equipment & Supplies • Respite, Institutional • Respite, In-Home • Personal Emergency Response System - Installation • Personal Emergency Response System - Monitoring • Home Accessibility Adaptations - Environmental Modifications • Pest Control • Home Delivered Meals
Enrollment # (January 2024)	22,250	491	43

SCDHHS Home and Community Based Services Waiver Summary Chart

Program	Community Supports (CS) Waiver	Intellectual Disability/Related Disabilities (ID/RD) Waiver	Head & Spinal Cord Injury (HASCI) Waiver
Group Served	Diagnosis of intellectual or related disability, all ages, ICF-IID* level of care	Diagnosis of intellectual or related disability, all ages, ICF-IID* level of care	Diagnosis of traumatic brain injury, spinal cord injury or similar disability, all ages, nursing facility or ICF-IID* level of care
Contact Agency	DDSN Single Point of Entry 1-800-289-7012 (toll-free)	DDSN Single Point of Entry 1-800-289-7012 (toll-free)	DDSN Single Point of Entry 1-800-289-7012 (toll-free)
Level of Care	ICF/IID	ICF/IID	Nursing Facility or ICF/IID
Effective Date	Since 2009 (14 years)	Since 1991 (32 years)	Since 1995 (28 years)
Waiver Expires	June 30, 2027	December 31, 2026	June 30, 2028
Admin/Operating Authority	The operation of the waivers is housed at SCDDSN with administrative authority by SCDHHS.	The operation of the waivers is housed at SCDDSN with administrative authority by SCDHHS.	The operation of the waivers is housed at SCDDSN with administrative authority by SCDHHS.
State Approved Assessments	Initial: Waiver Case Managers Annual: Waiver Case Managers	Initial: Waiver Case Managers Annual: Waiver Case Managers	Initial: Waiver Case Managers Annual: Waiver Case Managers
Level of Care Reviews	Initial: SCDDSN Eligibility Division Annual: SCDDSN Eligibility Division	Initial: SCDDSN Eligibility Division Annual: SCDDSN Eligibility Division	Initial NF: LTL Centralized Intake Annual NF: SCDDSN Eligibility Division Initial ICF/IID: SCDDSN Eligibility Division Annual ICF/IID: SCDDSN Eligibility Division
Available Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Care Services • Adult Day Health Care Services • Adult Day Health Care Nursing • Respite Care Services • Environmental Modifications • Assistive Technology and Appliances • Assistive Technology and Appliances Assessment/ Consultation • Incontinence Supplies • Private Vehicle Modifications • Private Vehicle Assessment/Consultation • Behavior Support Services • Day Activity • Career Preparation Services • Community Services • Employment Services • Support Center Services • In-Home Support Services • Personal Emergency Response System (PERS) • Waiver Case Management (WCM) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Care Services • Residential Habilitation • Environmental Modifications • Private Vehicle Modifications • Private Vehicle Assessment/Consultation • Specialized Medical Equipment, Supplies & Assistive Technology • Specialized Medical Equipment, Supplies & Assistive Technology Assessment/Consultation • Incontinence Supplies • Respite Care • Audiology Services • Adult Companion Services • Nursing Services • Adult Dental Services • Adult Vision • Adult Day Health Care Services • Adult Day Health Care Nursing • Adult Attendant Care Services • Behavior Support Services • Career Preparation Services • Employment Services • Day Activity • Community Services • Support Center Services • Personal Emergency Response System (PERS) • Pest Control Treatment • Pest Control - Bed Bugs • Waiver Case Management (WCM) • Independent Living Skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career Preparation Services • Day Activity • Employment Services • Attendant Care/Personal Assistance Services • Health Education for Participant - Directed Care • Peer Guidance for Participant - Directed Care • Residential Habilitation • Specialized Medical Equipment, Supplies and Assistive Technology • Incontinence Supplies • Respite Care Services • Personal Emergency Response System • Physical Therapy • Occupational Therapy • Psychological Services • Behavior Support Services • Nursing Services • Speech and Hearing Services • Private Vehicle Modifications • Environmental Modifications • Specialized Medical Equipment, Supplies and Assistive Technology Assessment/Consultation • Private Vehicle Modification Assessment/Consultation • Pest Control Bed Bugs • Pest Control Treatment • Waiver Case Management (WCM) • Independent Living Skills
Enrollment # (January 2024)	2,718	8,497	1,012

SCDHHS Home and Community Based Services Waiver Summary Chart

Program	Palmetto Coordinated System of Care for Children (PCSC) Home and Community Based Waiver	Medically Complex Children's (MCC)Waiver	
Group Served	Youth with primary mental health diagnosis, age 21 or younger, hospital level of care	Children age birth to 21 with chronic physical/health condition(s) expected to last at least 12 months, hospital level of care	
Contact Agency	Continuum of Care (COC), a Division of South Carolina Children's Advocacy, receives and processes all referrals for the PCSC waiver. Referrals are made by contacting the COC office in the region in which the applicant lives. A listing of regional offices can be found online at https://coc.sc.gov/contact.html	DHHS/CLTC Centralized Intake: 888-971-1637 For electronic referrals: https://phoenix.scdhhs.gov/cltc_referrals/new	
Level of Care	At-Risk of Hospitalization	At-Risk of Hospitalization & Medical Criteria	
Effective Date	Since August 2020 (3 years)	Since 2008 (15 years) (Previously the Medically Fragile Children's Program waiver from 1999 – 2008)	
Waiver Expires	July 31, 2025	December 31, 2026	
Admin/Operating Authority	The operation of the waiver is housed at Continuum of Care with administrative authority by SCDHHS.	MCCW is administered and operated by SCDHHS, MCCW Staff. SCDHHS has contracts with SC Solutions to provide the RN Care Coordination along with the Wonder Center to provide the Pediatric Medical Day Care.	
State Approved Assessments	Initial: SC Continuum of Care Annual: SC Continuum of Care	Initial: SC Solution's RN Care Coordinators Annual: SC Solution's RN Care Coordinators	
Level of Care Reviews	Initial: PCSC Program Area Annual: PCSC Program Area	Initial: SC Solution's RN Care Coordinators Annual: SC Solution's RN Care Coordinators	
Available Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Fidelity Wraparound • Respite • Individual Directed Goods and Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nurse Care Coordination • Respite • Environmental Modifications • Pediatric Medical Day Care 	
Enrollment # (January 2024)	133	1,808	