

Effective Jan. 1, 2026, the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) added some Healthy Connections Medicaid members to the managed care service delivery model. This included Medicaid members who are 18 years of age or older and enrolled in the following home and community-based services (HCBS) waivers:

- The HIV/AIDS waiver;
- The Mechanical Ventilator Dependent (Vent) waiver; and
- The Community Choices (CC) waiver.

Waiver services will continue to be authorized through the fee-for-service (FFS) delivery model. However, for dates of service on and after Jan. 1, 2026, claims for medical services, also referred to as "State Plan services" for members who are enrolled in these three waiver programs should be submitted to the managed care organization (MCO) in which the member is now enrolled. The following chart outlines medical services, which are authorized through an MCO effective Jan. 1, 2026, and waiver services, which continue to be authorized through the FFS model.

State Plan/Medical Services Covered by the MCO Delivery Model

- ✓ **Behavioral Health Services**
- ✓ **Chiropractic Services**
- ✓ **Clinic Services** (*including Rural Health Clinics, Federally Qualified Health Clinics and Community Mental Health clinics*)
- ✓ **Durable Medical Equipment** (*including incontinence supplies*)
- ✓ **Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Services** (*for members under age 21*)
- ✓ **Home Health Care Services** (*including incontinence supplies*)
- ✓ **Inpatient and Outpatient Hospital Services**
- ✓ **Pharmacy Services**
- ✓ **Physician Services** (*including medical services provided by other practitioners such as nurse practitioners, physician assistants and others*)
- ✓ **Podiatry Services**
- ✓ **Rehabilitative Therapy** (*occupational, physical and speech therapy*)

Waiver Services Covered by the FFS delivery model	Community Choices	HIV/AIDS	Mechanical Ventilator
Adult Attendant Care Services	✓	✓	✓
Adult Day Health Care Services	✓		
Adult Companion Services	✓	✓	
Adult Day Health Care Nursing	✓		
Environmental Modifications	✓	✓	✓
Home-delivered Meals	✓	✓	✓
Nursing Services		✓	✓
Personal Care Services	✓	✓	✓
Personal Emergency Response System	✓		✓
Pest Control Treatment	✓	✓	✓
Residential Personal Care II	✓		
Respite Care	✓		✓
Specialized Medical Equipment and Supplies (nutritional supplements and handheld showers)	✓	✓	✓
Telemonitoring	✓		
Waiver Case Management	✓	✓	✓