

Home and Community Based Services

Good morning!

We are getting closer to the launch of Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) in Wyoming! By now you've received a few communications regarding EVV and we want to keep you updated as to what you should expect in the next few months.

As a reminder, the *21st Century Cures Act* requires that a federally-compliant EVV system is utilized to document visits and submit Medicaid claims for the following home and community-based services (HCBS):

CCW Service Code	CCW Service Name	DD Service Code(s)	DD Service name
S5125	Personal Support	T1019	Personal Care
T1004	Home Health Aid	T2027(HA)	Child Habilitation (0-12, 13-17)
T1002	Skilled Nursing (RN)	S5135 (TT)	Companion (Individual, Group)
T1003	Skilled Nursing (LPN)	T1005 (HQ)	Respite (Individual, Group)
S5150	Respite (In-Home, CNA)	S5151 (HQ)	Respite Daily (Individual, Group)
		T1002	Skilled Nursing

The Wyoming Department of Health (WDH) and CareBridge are committed to helping HCBS providers in the state embrace this change and become familiar with this new technology.

What to expect

CareBridge will be hosting several virtual training sessions as well as offering recorded training videos and other materials in their online resource library. The online library can be accessed anytime at the following link: <http://resources.carebridgehealth.com/evv>

Training events will be open for registration soon with live sessions beginning in December. The go-live date for CareBridge EVV in Wyoming is December 15, 2021.

EVV is Required

All provider organizations who provide HCBS personal-care services must begin utilizing EVV to document visits for required services by February 28, 2022. Claims must be generated through the CareBridge EVV system or they will be denied, causing payments to be delayed. You can prevent this by attending training or confirming your EVV vendor has completed the integration process with CareBridge and required milestones are complete.

Provider Organization Role

The Wyoming Department of Health expects provider organizations to utilize the CareBridge EVV system or, if an exception has been approved, to actively work with CareBridge to successfully integrate with your organization's chosen EVV system.

Provider organization administrators should:

1. Attend training sessions.
2. Utilize CareBridge's online resource library.
3. Train your caregivers on how to use EVV to document visits.

These three steps are the keys to organizations having success with EVV.

An added benefit of the CareBridge EVV system is the ability for organizations to schedule participant appointments and assign caregivers. Scheduling can help organizations keep track of caregivers and ensure members are receiving the services they need at the time they need them.

Have Questions?

For additional information or to learn more, contact CareBridge by email or phone:

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