

As part of its overall plan to improve individuals' access to Medicaid services and create greater efficiencies within the State's home and community-based services delivery system, the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) will phase-out and terminate the Transitions Carve-Out Waiver, effective June 30, 2015.

This change will result in the transition of more than **1,300 individuals** from the **Transitions Carve-Out Waiver** to the **PASSPORT Waiver**.

Transitions will begin in **February 2015** and will conclude on **June 30, 2015**.

The **PASSPORT Waiver** has been **expanded** to offer **the same services** as the Transitions Carve-Out Waiver so that people **age 60 and older will have access** to the **same waiver benefits**.

Individuals will **keep their current service package** and also have **access** to the **full array** of **PASSPORT services, including** those that are **consumer-directed**.

For more information, contact the
Ohio Department of Aging
(800) 266-4346



Waiver Services Comparison

Individuals currently enrolled on the Transition Carve-Out Waiver will transition to the PASSPORT Waiver beginning February 2015.

| | Transition Carve-Out Waiver | PASSPORT |
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| Operating Agency | Ohio Department of Medicaid | Ohio Department of Aging |
| Eligibility | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Age 60+ » Nursing Facility Level of Care » Individual must transfer from the Ohio Home Care Waiver | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Age 60+ » Nursing Facility Level of Care |
| Cost Limit | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » \$14,700 per month | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » \$14,700 per month |
| Services | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Adult Day Health Center » Personal Care Aide » Emergency Response » Home Care Attendant » Home Delivered Meals » Supplemental Adaptive & Assistive Devices » Home Modifications » Supplemental Transportation » Out-of-Home Respite » Waiver Nursing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » <i>Alternative Meals*</i> » Adult Day » Homemaker » <i>Personal Care*</i> » <i>Choices Home Care Attendant*</i> » Chore » Community Transition » Emergency Response System » Enhanced Community Living » Home Care Attendant » Home Delivered Meals » <i>Home Medical Equipment & Supplies*</i> » Independent Living Assistance » <i>Minor Home Modification, Maintenance & Repair*</i> » Non-Medical Transportation » Nutritional Counseling » Out-of-Home Respite » <i>Pest Control*</i> » Social Work Counseling » Transportation » Waiver Nursing |
| Service Delivery Methods | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Provider managed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Provider managed » Consumer directed (*services listed above in <i>italics</i> may be consumer directed) |
| Case Management Services | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Provided as administrative case management » Determined by county of residence of the individual » Furnished by one of three case management agencies under contract with ODM | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Provided as administrative case management » Determined by county of residence of the individual » Furnished by one of 13 PASSPORT Administrative Agencies |