North Carolina’s Pilot Traumatic Brain Injury Medicaid Waiver Program

Alliance Health has special funding to provide services to some of our members who have all four of the following:

- If you have a traumatic brain injury (TBI) on or after age 22; and
- You have Medicaid or are applying for Medicaid; and
- You live in Wake, Durham, Johnston, or Cumberland county; and
- You are struggling with daily tasks like working or taking care of yourself.

Please Contact Alliance Health’s Access and Information Line: 800-510-9132.

TBI Care Coordinator:
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County Dept. of Social Services:
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This pamphlet is for individuals, their families and natural supports. It is intended to offer an overview of the services and supports available under the NC TBI Medicaid Waiver for those who qualify.

Not all services are appropriate for all waiver individuals. It is best to work with your TBI Care Coordination Team to discuss and determine the services that are best for you.

The individual and TBI Care Coordination Team will work together to develop the Individualized Service Plan (ISP) to make your TBI Waiver experience beneficial.
Available Services

One-Time or As-Needed Services

Assistive Technology
Devices to assist a participant with increasing or maintaining function in the home and/or community.

Home Modifications
Physical modifications to your home that ensure safety and support of the participant.

Natural Supports Education
Education and training for natural supports to develop skills, interventions and strategies to best serve the participant.

Vehicle Modifications
Physical modifications to a vehicle to ensure ongoing safety of the participant, and supports independence to access ones community.

Community Transition
Assists with set-up expenses related to being discharged home from a rehabilitation/specialty hospital, psychiatric hospital, skilled nursing facility, licensed living arrangement or family home/one-person AFL (one-time service).

Crisis Services
24-hour crisis intervention service assists in preventing crises and stabilizing the individual when a crisis occurs to avoid hospitalization.

Residential Option

Residential Supports
24-Hour support provided in a group home or Alternate Family Living (AFL) setting.

To Support you at Home or in the Community

Cognitive Rehabilitation
Assistance with development and maintenance of functional abilities such as attention, memory, problem solving and self-awareness. Cognitive rehab provides the team with the best ways to incorporate learning information.

Life-Skills Training
Support to assist the individual in their ability to maintain independence. Skills such as cooking, grocery shopping, budgeting, etc.

Personal Care
Oversight and supervision for individuals needing support for their basic activities of daily living skills (ADLs) such as: bathing, eating, dressing, personal hygiene and mobility.

Resource Facilitation
Coordination of behavioral, social, and unpaid supports; provides team with updates and changes to the participant's services.

Respite
Periodic or scheduled relief to caregivers at home or temporary relief to individuals in AFL settings.

Options for Your Day

Supported Employment
Individualized support for a participant to develop employment skills in a community-based setting and increase the likelihood of maintaining employment.

Community Networking
Provides individualized support and integrated community access for participants to experience and grow their social network.

Day Supports
Facility-based group or individual support, focusing on rehabilitation, socialization and daily living skills.

Adult Day Health
Structured day program with group activities in an outpatient setting.

Behavioral or Specialty Services

Allied Health (PT, OT, Speech)
Physical, occupational and speech therapy services will be available for continuation once State-plan allowances are exhausted.

Specialized Consultation
Expert training and consultation in a specified area, such as behaviors, recreational activities, nutrition, etc.

In-Home Intensive Supports
Rehabilitation and support in the private home setting to care for extensive medical needs.

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