# Array of Services and the New Continuum



Behavioral Health Division

**New Comprehensive and Supports Waiver** 

PART 1

## **Training Agenda**

- The New continuum
- Why the focus needs to change
- New array of services
- Living Options and the possibilities for increasing outcomes and independence



#### What is a Continuum of Services?

- Range of services available
- More integrated care along a continuum that offers a combination of better quality services and more efficient ways of providing services.
- New ways of coordinating and linking resources
- Flexibility to change services and move toward more independent settings

#### What Does a Continuum of Services Look Like?



**Active Participation** 



Learning



Time with Friends



Working



**Healthy Choices** 



**Supported Living** 

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#### What Does a Continuum of Services Look Like?



Family Support



Independence



**Preferred Activities** 



**Active Participation** 



Self-Sufficiency



**Community Membership** 



Building Relationships



## Why the focus of services needs to change

## Legislative Requirement



Wyoming Legislature Passed Senate Enrolled Act 82 in 2013

It also required "Replacement where possible of higher cost residential and day habilitation services with lower cost, more integrated services."

## More Reasons for the Changes

- >Growing waiting list for services
- Growing costs per person on the waiver
- Requirement to be more efficient to serve more people RE-DES GN



## Wyoming Waiver Reality





## Serving More People, Long Term and Costs

| Type of Service                       | Cost per Person | 20 yrs. Cost | 30 yrs. Cost                                |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|---|
| ICF/MR Institution                    | \$238,500       | \$4,770,000  | \$7,155,000                                 |
| HCBS<br>24 hr. staffed<br>Residential | \$150,000       | \$3,000,000  | \$4,500,000                                 |
| Shared Living                         | \$50,000        | \$1,000,000  | \$1,500,000                                 |
| Support in Own or Family Home         | \$25,000        | \$500,000    | \$750,000 \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\ |

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Highest Cost Old Model

Community

Institution-like homes

HCBS Comprehensive
Waivers – group homes,
family supports &
supported living

A system that is person-centered, to support families, and involve people in their community.

The idea is to move a system down the incline to reduce per person expenditures

Institutions

**Supports** 

**Waivers** 

Services for Family
and Independent
living Support

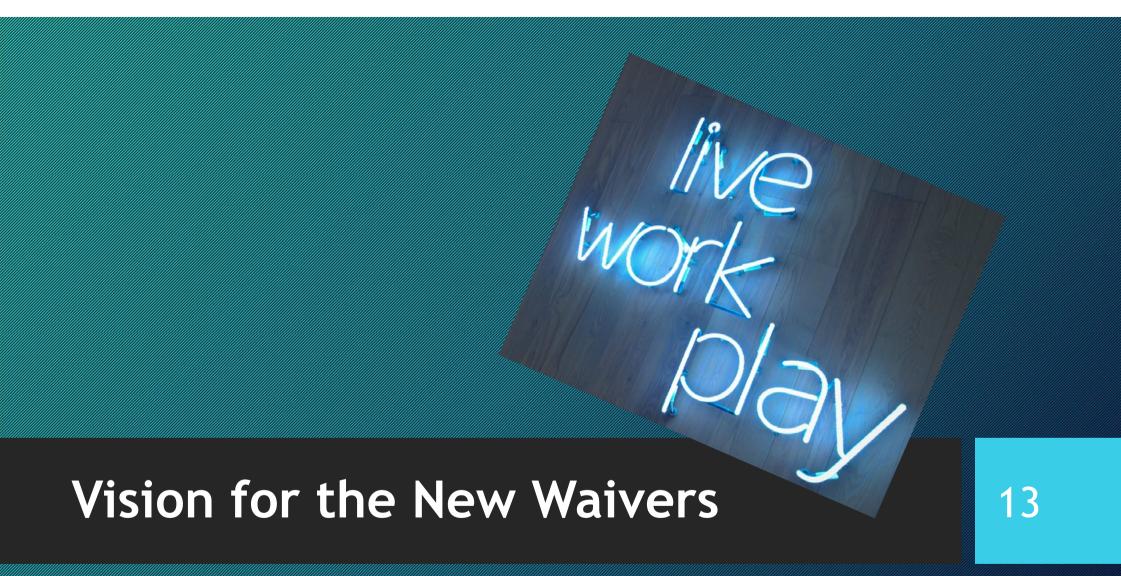
**Employment** 

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Lowest Cost Newer, More Sustainable Model

## Long Term Costs and Employment

| Type of Service                       | 1 yr. Cost | 3 yr. Cost   | 10 yr. Cost   |
|---------------------------------------|------------|--|---|
| Sheltered<br>Work/Day<br>Habilitation | \$20,000   | \$60,000   | \$200,000   |
| Supported<br>Employment<br>Services   | \$20,000   | \$50,000  • \$20,000 yr. 1  • \$20,000 yr. 2  • \$10,000 yr. 3 | \$85,000  • \$50,000 1-3 yrs.  • \$35,000 4-10 yrs. |



## Vision for the new waivers



A Vision That People Will......

- Be healthy, happy and safe
- Have family and friends in their lives
- Go to school and be fully involved
- Work at a good paying job
- Make decisions about their life both major and minor
- Be contributing citizens of their community
- Have dreams that come true



### How Do You Make this Vision a Reality?

- Supports and services chosen by the participant
- Services that fit the needs and goals of the of the participant
- Services that are least restrictive
- Services that promote independence and selfsufficiency

## It is About The Full Course of Life



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## New Services Available



Behavioral Support Services Employment Discovery & Customization

**Community Integration** 

Supported Employment Follow Along

**Transportation** 

Adult Day Services

**Prevocational** 

Res Hab
Shared
Living (added to
Self-direction)

Homemaker (added to Self-direction)

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## Array of Employment Services

## Employment Discovery and Customization

- 1:1 support service
- Limited time frame of 12 months
   –additional 12 months can be
   added upon review of progress
- Employment developed through job carving, self-employment, or other job restructuring strategies

## Prevocational Services

- Designed to create a path to integrated employment
- Enable a participant to attain the highest level of work in the most integrated setting
- Tiered service

#### Supported Employment Follow Along

- Provided for or on behalf of the participant
- Intermittent and occasional job support, communicating with the participants supervisor
- Support phone calls between support staff and managerial staff

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## Individual

Supported Employment

Array of Employment Services

- May be self-directed
- 1:1 support
- Can be provided in a variety of settings
- Supervision and training

#### Small Group Supported Employment

- Groups ranging from 2-9 persons
- Can be provided in a variety of settings
- Intensive ongoing support

## **Transportation**

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- Gap service
- Non-medical transportation only
- Participant should used other resources that are free of charge whenever possible
- Capped at \$2000 per year

## Array of In Home Support Services

#### Companion

- May be self-directed
- Relative providers
   may provide
   (excluding
   parents/stepparents)
- Safety in the home and community

#### Respite

- May be self-directed
- Provide caregiver relief
- Can be provided in the caregivers home, provider's home, or in the community

#### Personal Care

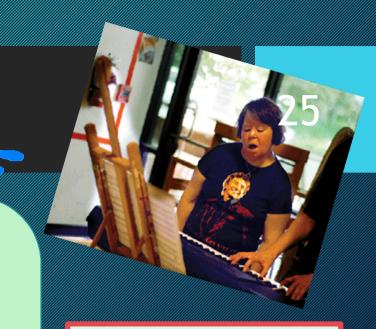
- May be self-directed
- Hands on or cuing to perform tasks
- ADL's
  - > Bathing, Dressing
  - > Toileting
  - > Transferring
  - Light housework
  - > Laundry
  - Meal prep

#### Homemaker

- Can be self-directed
- General household activities
- Comprehensive Waiver Capped 3 hours per week per household or 624 units
- No cap on Supports Waiver
- Not available to participants who receive residential habilitation or special family habilitation home on the waiver

## **Adult Day Services**

- Tiered service
- Maximize skills
- Keep participants engaged in their environment and community
- Provided in a congregate setting



- \*Basic Level of Care
- Intermediate Level of Care
- High Level of Care

## **Community Integration**

- May be self-directed
- Greater independence
- Making connections with the community
- Tiered service



- Intermediate Level of Care
- High Level of Care

## Residential Habilitation Services

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#### Residential Habilitation Services

- Ongoing 24-hour support and supervision
- Daily rate based on tiered Level of Service
   Need
- Requiring at least 8 hours of support per daily unit billed

- High level of independence and functioning with no significant behavioral or medical needs.
- Supports require staff on site (within the home or apartment) meeting periodically with the participant to provide monitoring, training, and on-call support.
- •At least 8 hours of direct support and supervision is required for billing.

- Similar to Level 1 but requires support for some behavioral or medical needs.
- Staff must be available on site (within the home or apartment) and with close proximity and on-call support to the residence when not directly involved in immediate support.

- Requires staff support due to moderate functional limitations in activities of daily living and/or behavioral support needs.
- •Requires staff available on-site (within the home or apartment) for a minimum of eight (8) hours per day, and within hearing distance or readily available for ongoing personal care, behavioral support, training, and supervision.

- Requires consistent, ongoing, full-time staff support on site (within the home or apartment) with staff present throughout the night.
- Direct support and supervision is provided for regular and consistent personal care needs, behavioral and medical support not generally intense, and can be provided in a shared staffing setting.

- Provides supervision and supports due to significant and intensive functional limitations, medical and/or behavioral support needs.
- •Requires one or more staff members on site or in line of sight during awake hours, providing frequent personal care and attention.

- Provides frequent personal support and supervision with fulltime staff on site.
- •Requires full attention of one (1) staff member on site during awake hours and hours of sleep depending on the scope and frequency of supports needed during the night.

### Residential Host Home

- More personalized
- Less restrictive
- Only one or two participants
- Build relationships

## Residential Shared Living

- May be self-directed
- Promotes community inclusion
- Assist with acquisition, retention, and improvement in skills related to living in the community.
- Individually tailored supports
- Tiered service

## **Supported Living**

- May be self-directed
- In a home or apartment leased by the participant or guardian
- Can be in family home
- Individually tailored supports

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## **Living Options**

## Residential Habilitation

- Requires the highest amount of funding
- Least Independent setting
- Needs 24 hour paid supports more than a participant living with
  family or in supported living

#### With Family

- Requires less paid supports than residential habilitation
- Participants live with family members
- Not as independent as Supported Living

#### Independent or Semi-Independent

- Requires less paid supports than residential habilitation
- Participant lives in an apartment or home
- A more active and independent setting

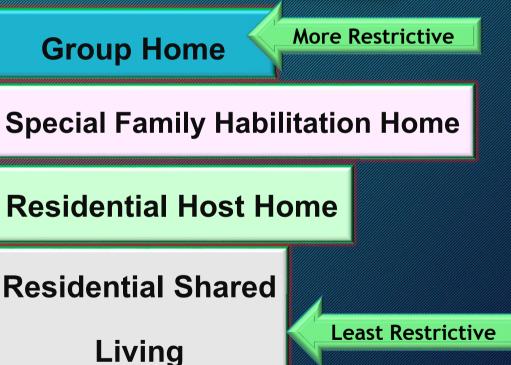
## **Living Options**

- Family
- Extended Family
- Friends
- Shared Living
- Independently or with a friend

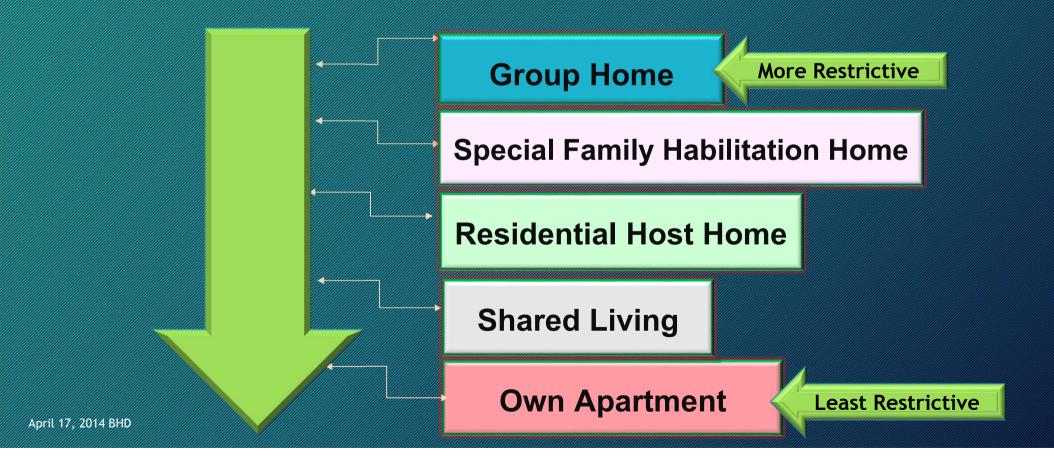
## Least Restrictive Settings

#### **Residential Habilitation Supports**

Residential Habilitation Services are reimbursed at a daily rate based on the tiered Level of Supports needed by each individual. Residential Habilitation services provide ongoing 24-hour services and supports and require a minimum of eight hours of service per daily unit billed.



## Least Restrictive Settings



#### **Living with Family**

In-home supports with family members

Includes the full array of waiver services designed to support the participant in the family home.

**Personal Care Services** 

**Supported Living** 

**Homemaker** 

Companion

Respite

**Supported Living** 

Supported living services assist a participant to live in a home or apartment receiving individually tailored supports to assist with the acquisition, retention, or improvement in skills related to living successfully in the community.

**Own Home/Apartment** 

With Family

#### **Own Home or Apartment**

In-home supports with family members

Includes the full array of waiver services designed to support the participant in the family home.

**Supported Employment** 

**Personal Care Services** 

**Transportation** 

Homemaker

Companion

#### **Own Home or Apartment**



**Supported Employment** 

**Transportation** 

Homemaker

Companion

## Creating a New Service Paradigm that is Built on Relationships

- Sustainability depends
- on how well we support families, promote independence
  - and get people jobs.

## Recognize the Possibilities



## Positive Outcomes for



Belong to their community Have valued roles in their family and community

Have control of their lives

Have a variety of personal relationships

Receive support in a manner that creates a positive image

Have freedom and independence





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#### Printable PowerPoint

http://health.wyo.gov/ddd/CompandSupptraining.html

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