

# Level Of Care In Wyoming

HELP WYOMING RESIDENTS GET THE CARE THEY NEED!

**The Wyoming Institute for Disabilities (WIND) is doing a study with people with disabilities in Wyoming and the people who support them. WIND wants to learn if a new assessment tool can help to determine the level of services needed from the State of Wyoming.**

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**This new tool is called the FASI, and it stands for Functional Assessment Standardized Items. This is an important study to help us understand the new tool. Some other states use FASI, and WIND is working with HCBS to test whether it can work well for people in Wyoming.**

Some people already receiving services have been selected for this study. WIND will compare results of the FASI assessment to past LT101 or LT104 results.

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## **How does this impact Case Managers?**

For individuals on DD waivers, [WIND evaluators](#) will contact Case Managers to obtain the name and contact information for respondents who knows the individual well in their home environment. Primary and alternate respondents will be requested. If the respondent is anyone other than the person receiving services, WIND evaluators will then obtain permission from each individual or legally authorized representative and invite respondents to complete a FASI assessment.

Respondents will receive a \$50 gift card for their time.

Answering the questions will not impact the funds or services someone receives.

This is a study to learn if the new [FASI tool](#) meets the state's needs.

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