

Special Meeting

Public Input Meeting Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) System Implementation

November 7, 2019
6 to 7:30 p.m. Central Time

The Department of Human Services is hosting a community input meeting by video conference system to provide a project update and gather input on the implementation of an Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) system that will comply with the "21st Century Cures Act" (Cures Act).

The "21st Century Cures Act," was signed into law in late 2016 (Link to law: www.congress.gov/114/bills/hr34/BILLS-114hr34enr.pdf). The bill contains components that will impact Medicaid and Long-Term Services and Supports. EVV systems are used to electronically verify (through a telephone or computer-based system) that personal care, home health, and other home and community-based services are being provided. The system also documents the actual time the provision of the service begins and ends.

The department is seeking input from stakeholders, including beneficiaries, family caregivers, individuals and agencies that provide personal care services, home health services, or both funded under the Medicaid State Plan or a waiver of that plan such as a the Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) waiver, Children's Medically Fragile waiver, Medicaid waiver for Home and Community-Based Services, Technology Dependent Medicaid Waiver and Traditional IID/DD Home and Community-Based Services waiver.

Agenda

- Welcome / Introductions
- Update: Electronic Visit Verification implementation process and timeline
- Public comments
- Final remarks

Locations of Video Conference Sites:

- **Bismarck:** Prairie Hills Plaza, 1237 W. Divide Ave., Ste 1A, Prairie & Rose Rooms;
- **Devils Lake:** Lake Region Human Service Center, 200 Hwy 2 W., Conf. Room East;
- **Dickinson:** Badlands Human Service Center, 200 Pulver Hall, Basement General Staff Conference Room;
- **Fargo:** Southeast Human Service Center, 2624 9th Ave. S., Prairie Rose Room;
- **Grand Forks:** Northeast Human Service Center, 151 S. Fourth St., Suite 401, Conf Room 5E;
- **Jamestown:** South Central Human Service Center, 520 Third St. N.W., Conf Room 124;
- **Minot:** North Central Human Service Center, 1015 S. Broadway, Conf Rm 411, Minot; and
- **Williston:** Northwest Human Service Center, 316 2nd Ave. W., Conf Room A 200

Comments and public input on the implementation of an EVV system **will also be accepted from Oct. 22, 2019, until 5 p.m. Central Time on Nov. 21, 2019.**

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Please submit comments to:

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