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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** Notice of Opportunity for Public Comment 5/19/2025 – 6/19/2025 Notice of Renewal of Section 1915(c) In Home Supports (IHS) Waiver for Children with Developmental Disabilities Pursuant to 42 C.F.R. §441.301(c)(6)(iii) notice is hereby given that the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services, as the single state Medicaid agency, intends to submit a renewal of its Section 1915(c) In Home Supports Waiver for Children with Developmental Disabilities to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). This renewal is primarily a continuation of the currently approved IHS Waiver for Children with Developmental Disabilities and reflects: Addition of Traditional method of service delivery• Updated service limits for selected services• Updated Performance Measures. This notice contains links to material developed by the Department regarding its renewal of the 1915(c) In Home Supports Waiver for Children with Developmental Disabilities. IHS Waiver renewal documents as well as dates, times, and locations of opportunities for public input related to this renewal can be viewed [here](#)

To learn more about 1915(c) waivers, please [visit](#)

**Opportunity for Public Input:** The public is invited to review and comment on this draft waiver renewal. The link to the draft waiver is provided and the draft waiver will be available for review on May 19, 2025. The complete version of the current draft waiver renewal document is available for public review [here](#).

The draft waiver renewal document may also be viewed from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday through Friday at the Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Developmental Services, 105 Pleasant Street, Main Building, Concord, NH 03301-3857. Public comments may be submitted from May 19, 2025 until 12:00 noon June 19, 2025. Comments may be submitted by email to [ihswaiver@dhhs.nh.gov](mailto:ihswaiver@dhhs.nh.gov) or by regular mail to NH Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Developmental Services, Attn: Lindsey Magee, 105 Pleasant Street, Main Building, Concord, NH 03301-3857. A response to public comments will be available for review prior to renewal submission.

**Public Comment Sessions:** The State will host six public hearings during the public comment period. Three sessions will be held in person and three sessions will be held virtually. The dates, times and locations of these public hearings are listed below:



Wednesday, May 28, 2025 Virtual: Time: 12:00 – 2:00 pm Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 234 207 319 041 8 Passcode: Aa7Tz9dL Dial in by phone +1 603-931-4944 Phone conference ID: 195 721 815#

Wednesday, May 28, 2025 In Person: Time: 4:00 – 6:00 pm Location: DHHS Brown Building, 129 Pleasant St., Concord, NH 03301

Friday, June 6, 2025 In Person: Time: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm Location: Bedford Public Library, 3 Meetinghouse Rd, Bedford, NH 03110

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 In Person: Time: 9:30 – 11:30 am Location: Rochester Public Library, 65 S. Main St, Rochester, NH 03867

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 Virtual: Time: 5:00 – 7:00 pm Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 234 207 319 041 8 Passcode: Aa7Tz9dL Dial in by phone +1 603-931-4944 Phone conference ID: 195 721 815#

Wednesday June 18, 2025 Virtual: Time: 3:00 – 5:00 pm Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 234 207 319 041 8 Passcode: Aa7Tz9dL Dial in by phone +1 603-931-4944 Phone conference ID: 195 721 815#

For more information about the public hearings, please email: [BDS@dhhs.nh.gov](mailto:BDS@dhhs.nh.gov)

## Notice of MAY Prescription Drug Affordability Board Meeting



## MEETING INFORMATION

The New Hampshire Prescription Drug Affordability Board (PDAB) invites you to attend the May meeting, scheduled for 9:30 A.M. on Tuesday, May 27, 2025. The meeting will be held virtually and in-person. The agenda and other meeting materials will be available on the [PDAB's webpage](#) at least one week prior to the scheduled meeting.

**Date:** May 27, 2025

**Time:** 9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. EST

**Location:** 21 S. Fruit St, Concord, NH, 03301

Walker Building (Room 274)

Please visit the PDAB's website for more information about upcoming and previous meetings of the Board and the Stakeholder Advisory Council, presentation materials, and to learn more about the PDAB's work.

[Register Here to Join Virtually](#)



**BRAIN MATTERS 2025**

Tuesday June 10, 2025 - 8:30-10:30 AM Virtual Training: Stroke and Brain Injury 101 - An Introductory Presentation on the Early Characteristics of a Stroke or Brain Injury Presenter: Gina England, MA, CCC-SLP Cost: Free The Brain Injury Association of New Hampshire has created this webinar to help individuals navigate their way through the early days of a Stroke and/or a Brain Injury. This webinar is designed for patients, families, and caregivers. The content of this two-hour webinar covers a basic introduction to the functions of the brain as it relates to the location of an individual's stroke or brain injury and the subsequent changes in abilities/behaviors that can be anticipated. Additional content that will be addressed includes the following: General behavior management guidelines. The most commonly observed cognitive deficits. Changes in communication skills. The primary rehabilitation goals in the acute (early) stages of recovery. Resources for family/caregiver support. Handouts that can be printed and reviewed for permanent access to essential information.

[Register Here](#)

Wednesday June 11, 2025 - 10:00-11:00 AM Virtual Training: The Granite Pathways' Clubhouse Program- The International Clubhouse Model of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Presenter: Kelly Parsons, Manchester Pathways Lead Wellness and Recovery Generalist Cost: Free This presentation will provide an informative overview of the Clubhouse model of psychosocial rehabilitation, emphasizing its benefits in today's society. Originating in the 1930s, the model has supported individuals with mental health challenges in their recovery through meaningful work, relationship- building, and overcoming isolation. In 1985, the International Brain Injury Clubhouse Alliance was established to assist individuals with acquired brain injuries, further expanding the model's reach. Seacoast and Manchester Pathways are among the few Clubhouses worldwide that serve individuals with both mental health and brain injury challenges. Employment is a key component of the Clubhouse model, offering independent, supported, and transitional job opportunities with assistance from staff members and New Hampshire Vocational Rehabilitation services. Members of the Manchester Clubhouse will assist in presenting this information.

Questions or additional information? Please contact: [Gina@bianh.org](mailto:Gina@bianh.org)

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