

# Assisted Living Waiver

## Home and Community-Based Services



### What is the Assisted Living Waiver?

The Assisted Living Waiver is a statewide program designed to offer assistance to qualified Medicaid beneficiaries. This program allows qualified individuals to reside in an Assisted Living Facility with Medicaid paying for the services received in the facility.

***The facility must be licensed by the Mississippi State Department of Health as an Assisted Living Facility.***

### Who is qualified?

- Beneficiaries must be 21 years of age or older.
- Persons qualify by either SSI or 300% of SSI.
- Beneficiaries must score 50 or above on the Medicaid Long Term Care Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) instrument.
- Persons must require nursing facility level of care, if assistance is not provided.

### What services are offered under this waiver?

Beneficiaries enrolled in this waiver program must contribute to the facility for their own room and board. Medicaid will pay the facility a daily flat fee for services received in the facility.

Allowable services include:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Care Services  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Therapeutic, Social, and Recreational Programming |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Homemaker Services      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medication Administration                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chore Services          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intermittent Skilled Nursing Services             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attendant Care Services | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transportation                                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medication Oversight    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attendant Call Systems                            |

***All persons who are eligible to receive Home and Community-Based Services under this waiver must first be approved through the Division of Medicaid.***

### Whom do I contact for more information?

For more information about the program, you can contact the Office of the Governor, Division of Medicaid, Bureau of Long Term Care at:

Division of Medicaid - HCBS Division

Walter Sillers Building, Suite 1000

550 High Street

Jackson, Mississippi 39201

Phone: 1-800-421-2408 or 601-359-6141

**Regional Offices - If you have questions about eligibility or if you want to apply for Medicaid, call toll-free 1-800-421-2408 or contact your nearest Regional Office:**

Brandon 601-825-0477  
Brookhaven 601-835-2020  
Canton 601-859-3230  
Clarksdale 662-627-1493  
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