



Important Message about Consumer-Directed Attendant Support Services (CDASS)

Hello CDASS Employer,

Starting July 1, 2025, CDASS members will transition to Community First Choice (CFC) on the date of their scheduled Continued Stay Review. CDASS available through CFC is identical to CDASS available through Home and Community-Based Services waivers, with a few key differences:

- Family members working as attendants will no longer be limited to providing 40 hours of CDASS care to their member per week,
- No attendant is allowed to work more than 16 hours a day, and
- Attendants who have a legal responsibility to care for the CDASS member will be called a “legally responsible person.” These individuals:
 - Are the parent or guardian of a minor child or the member’s spouse, and
 - Are not allowed to provide more than 260 hours of homemaker services per year, or 5 hours per week, for the member they are responsible for.
 - Members cannot have more than two LRPs providing homemaker services. You will be asked by PPL to assign these two LRPs.

You are receiving this letter because you are the CDASS employer (member or their Authorized Representative) and at least one of your attendants is a legally responsible person (LRP).

At the time of your Continued Stay Review, your legally responsible attendant(s) will see a new CDASS rate in PPL’s online portal and EVV systems. The new rate will be called “LRP HMK.” **Your LRPs must start selecting this rate each time they clock in for work when they will be providing homemaker services.**

The LRP HMK rate is set to \$17.00 per hour or your local minimum wage. If you want to set a higher rate amount, you must:

1. Complete the attached Legally Responsible Person Attendant Attestation form, and
2. Send it to PPL by _____. The form has the information for where to send it.

You need to return the form by _____, so the new rate is applied at the start of your certification period. This gives PPL enough time to process the change and update it.

If you have any questions or concerns about the information in this message, please contact PPL's customer service at 888-752-8250.

Thank you,

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