

Montana MFP Methodology for Payment of Failed Transitions

A transition is unsuccessful if The Regional Transition Coordinator begins transition activities based on the date of the approval letter from the MFP program, receipt of the "Regional Transition Coordinator Acceptance Form", and receipt of "Informed Consent" (signed by the participant or guardian) and the participant does **not** move to the community for a minimum of one day. Unsuccessful transitions are those that fail to make it to moving day. Reasons for failure could include withdrawal from MFP, Medicaid/waiver ineligibility, hospitalization, decline, and death.

Payment through MFP for an unsuccessful transition will consider factors such as duties performed under the service definition and amount of time spent on the transition prior to move. Payment for an unsuccessful transition will be approved and paid by the MFP Program after consideration of the completion of the following duties:

- 1) Overview of MFP
Signed Informed Consent
In person meeting(s)
Eligibility verification (time in institution, Medicaid, waiver)
Administration of the Quality of Life Survey
Payment received up to: \$1000
- 2) Completion of the above items plus:
Assessment (includes risk assessment and 24/7 backup)
Transition Cost Plan
Payment received up to: \$2000
- 3) Completion of the above items plus:
Identification and Coordination of necessary services/providers
Payment received up to: \$3000
- 4) Completion of the above items plus:
Housing coordination
Payment received up to: \$4000
- 5) Completion of the above items plus:
Person Centered Planning
Moving preparation and actual moving day coordination
Payment received up to: \$5000

An amount up to \$5000 could be paid subject to the approval and authorization of the MFP program based on the components identified above.