

Quality of Life Surveys

The Money Follows the Person Demonstration Grant requires reporting about the quality of a person's life prior to transitioning (while they are still in an inpatient setting) and again while the person is living in the community. This is accomplished by completing three Quality of Life Surveys at different snapshots in time.

The first survey is administered by the Regional Transition Coordinator **before** the participant moves to the community. Another survey will be administered at approximately 11 months after moving and at 24 months after moving.

See the following section entitled "Quality of Life Survey" for an overview, training manual, interview guidelines, the survey, confidentiality pledge, and how to determine if a proxy is needed.

The RTC who completes the Quality of Life Survey must review the training manual, sign the confidentiality pledge, and return it to the State Transition Coordinator. The original copy of the Quality of Life survey must be returned via mail to ensure strict confidentiality. There is no need to keep a copy of this survey. Mail the completed, original Quality of Life Survey to:

MFP-SLTC
PO Box 4210
Helena, MT 59601

In some circumstances, an agency can bill the MFP program \$100/survey. See "How to Get Paid for a Quality of Life Survey" for more information.