

DDP 0208 DD Comprehensive Waiver Service Definitions

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24. Residential Habilitation

Services designed to assist individuals in acquiring, retaining and improving the self-help, socialization and adaptive skills necessary to reside successfully in home and community-based settings.

Habilitation to be provided where the individual lives: Settings include group homes, congregate and non-congregate living apartments and natural homes.

All facilities covered by Section 1616(e) of the Act comply with State licensing standards that meet the requirements of 45 CFR Part 1397.

Board and room is not a covered service. Individuals served are responsible for paying for board and room through other funding sources such as Supplemental Security Income (SSI).

The plan of care, based upon the results of a formal assessment and identification of needs, provides the general goals and specific objectives toward which training efforts are directed. The plan of care (PSP) for adults or Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP) for Children also specifies the appropriate residential setting in which services will be provided.

Training is provided in basic self-help skills, home and community living skills, leisure and social skills. Support is provided as necessary for the care of the individual. Each training objective is specified in the plan of care and is clearly related to the individual's long term goal and is not simply busywork or diversional in nature.

Specify applicable (if any) limits on the amount, frequency, or duration of this service:

Residential habilitation services are not available to individuals residing in assisted living or adult foster home settings.

The waiver will not cover activities which are otherwise available under section 110 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the IDEA (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.), or EPSDT.