Individualized Day Supports Monthly Community of Practice

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IDS Web Page

New Postings:

Final Quarterly Report Template

Rate Methodology

Updates

Waiver Amendment

Rule Revisions

Daily Progress Notes: Essential Information to Capture

- What did the person do, where, for how long?
 List each distinct activity.
- For each activity the person did, who else participated other than the person and IDS DSP?
- Note any scheduling/attendance issues

Daily Progress Notes: Essential Information to Capture

For each distinct activity:

- What worked well?
- What did the person like about the activity, the place and the people s/he interacted with?
- What didn't work well or didn't go as planned?
- What didn't the person like about the activity, the place and the people s/he interacted with?

Daily Progress Notes: Essential Information to Capture

For each distinct activity:

- What specific goal area(s) were addressed by each of the activities the person did?
- Note skills the person used (skills already possessed/mastered) or practiced (skills being developed/learned) during each activity.
- Describe progress on skills being developed/learned and teaching methods used by the DSP on this day; comment on effectiveness of teaching methods used

Daily Progress Notes

- Also follow general provisions
- During Orientation Training:
 - Have staff practice writing daily notes using the list of essential information areas as a guide
 - Have them compare/critique each other's work and identify ways to improve the quality of the notes.

Need Your Input!

- What are your suggestions for how DDA should design upcoming training and technical assistance for all Day Habilitation and Employment Readiness providers?
- Goal is to assist them to implement new strategies to provide people with meaningful, person-centered learning and participation opportunities in the community as part of their service delivery models.

IDS Referral Process

Questions for DDA Staff?

Any current concerns?

Transportation: Expectations

- Use of <u>public</u> transportation is encouraged whenever possible – Helping people learn to use public transportation is key goal of IDS
- People can only use MTM to get to and from IDS service because transportation during IDS service is included in the IDS rate
- Once the IDS service has begun, the provider is responsible for arranging transportation.

Transportation: Expectations

- If safety concerns exist, we will continue to allow people to be dropped off and picked up at facility-based day habilitation programs.
- People may go directly to where they are receiving the IDS service. People are not required to start or end their day in a facilitybased day program.

Transportation: Expectations

- MTM policy is that people can only be approved for one form of transportation (let DDA know if more flexibility would be helpful)
- If MTM is used to take someone directly to an IDS activity, MTM needs to know who is going to meet the person and have a contact number for that person (the IDS DSP) so they can drop the person off at the actual place where the person is going to participate in IDS.

Transportation

- Trainings to Arrange
- How to train people to travel independently using one of the available public transportation options
- 2. How to get people free travel cards and free passage for staff accompanying them

Transportation

- MTM can participate in our September call
- Current concerns or questions related to transportation for IDS participants?

PCR for IDS

- Update on when specific indicators for IDS will be approved and shared with providers
- Questions or concerns?

DSP Conference

- Break-out session for Focus Group of IDS DSPs - to help establish vision for this service and to identify training needs.
- Panel of people receiving IDS with their DSPs, talking about their experiences and showing slides.
- Roundtable for executive leadership, including board members

Training/Supervision of DSPs

- Capitol Hill Supervision Form
- Should providers be required to provide outline/content for IDS-specific orientation training they will use as part of becoming an approved IDS provider?

Training/Supervision of DSPs

- Should DDA and Lisa/Genni develop training that focuses on Community Building
- How DSPs can facilitate and support relationships between IDS participants and members of the wider community?

How's It Going?

Sharing Successes

Any new issues/challenges?

Last IDS Monthly Call

September 19th 10am-Noon

Merged Community of Practice will begin meeting in October