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An At Home Your Way/Moms In Motion/Ability Unlimited Monthly Publication

Answers, Help & Hope



Leveraging our Passion, Talent, and Experience
to lead Families to the Answers, Help, and Hope they need!

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LIVE EVENTS



Save the date for our next live to learn more about Ability Unlimited (AU) and how to secure the devices to support your needs!

Topic: Ability Unlimited (AU) FB Live Event

Time: Feb 17, 2021 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 878 4370 6914

Passcode: 698422

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

FB Live Q & A



Check out our YouTube Channel for more
informative videos



IN THE NEWS



In case you missed it, check out this recent story regarding the appendix K extension as seen on [13 News Now](#).

If these flexibilities have been beneficial to you during this pandemic, if you've had peace of mind knowing you've been able to

keep your family safe, we strongly encourage you to contact your legislators to advocate for the state to extend these flexibilities. We have created a page on our website devoted to this effort that has the information you need to contact your legislators. [Click here](#) to check it out.

Read our latest Special Edition Newsletter on Appendix K

Introducing Signature Capture

Moms In Motion/At Home Your Way is excited to introduce

signature capture! This is a contact-free way to capture the EOR's signature. Here is the process:



An email will be sent to the client with a username and temporary password as shown.

You will be informed that you have a new document to review and sign as shown. Next, simply follow the prompts.

- Please note: This temporary password will only allow you to sign in ONE time.

Follow the prompts to log in using the username and password sent to you.

It will ask you to verify the birthdate of the client as a security measure. Please enter it in the requested format (mm-dd-yyyy).

- Note: This is the client's DOB, not the EOR or the attendant, etc.

A login form with a grey header bar labeled "Login". Below the header, there are two input fields: "Username" and "Password". To the right of the "Password" field is a red button with the text "Login" in white.

Once logged in, you will be presented with the documents pending signature. If there are multiple documents, they will all be there. Click "sign now."

A form with a red header bar that says "Moms In Motion / At Home Your Way". Below the header, there is a text prompt: "Please enter the birthdate of the individual receiving waiver services in the mm-dd-yyyy format. Thank you." followed by an input field and a "Submit" button.



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Documents Pending Signature

| <u>Document</u> | <u>Date Sent</u> | <u>Date Signed</u> | <u>Download</u> |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 5798_TesterTestingsdf_20210104_DMAS99 | 01-04-21 | Sign Now | - |

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Historical Documents

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The document will then pop up for your review

Community-Based Care Recipient Assessment Report

Backup: AmB
Backup Relation: Self
Management Training Conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No Units: Describe.

Agency-Directed Services ☒ Consumer-Directed Services ☐ Assessment Date: 10/06/2020
☐ Initial Visit ☒ Routine Visit ☐ Six-Month Re-assessment

Recipient's Name: 5798 - Tester Testingsdf
Medicaid ID #: 111111111111
PPL ID: 13
Date of Birth: 10/12/2000
Recipient's Current Address: 74 UN rd, 5th square, NY107
Agency Name: Moms In Motion
Provider ID#: 1770406659
Cell Phone: (540) 305-6419 / Home Phone (111) 111-1111
Recipient's SSN: 555-55-5555

Functional Status

| ADLs | Needs no Help | MI Only | Human Help | MI & Human Help | Always Performed by Others | Is Not Performed At All |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Bathing | | | Supervision | Phys. Asst. | X | |
| Dressing | | | | | X | |
| Toileting | | | | X | | |
| Transferring | | | | | X | |
| Eating/feeding | | | | | X | |
| CONTINENCE | Continent | Incontinent Less Than Weekly | Incontinent Self Care | Incontinent Weekly or More | External Device Not Self Care | Incontinent Cath Not Self Care |
| Bowel | | | | X | | |
| Bladder | | | | X | | |
| MOBILITY | Needs No Help | MI Only | Human Help | MI & Human Help | Confined Moves About | Confined Does Not Move About |
| | | | Supervision | Phys. Asst. | X | |
| ORIENTATION | Oriented | Disoriented Some Spheres/Sometimes | Disoriented Some Spheres/All Times | Disoriented All Spheres/Sometimes | Disoriented All Spheres/All Times | Semi-Comatose/Comatose |
| Spheres Effected | | Person, Place, Time | | | | |
| Source of Info: UAI & PCG Interview | | | | | | |

At the bottom of the document will be the place for you to sign.

You can view any documents you have signed before you log out. Once you sign, the document will automatically be uploaded where it needs to go!



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Documents Pending Signature

| Document | Date Sent | Date Signed | Download |
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| 5798_TesterTestingsdf_20210104_DMAS99 | 01-04-21 | 01-04-21 | |

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Historical Documents

| Document | Date Sent | Date Signed | Download |
|---|-----------|-------------|----------|
| 5798_TesterTestingsdf_20210104_Housekeeping | 01-04-21 | 12-31-20 | |

If you have any questions,
please reach out to your service facilitator.

Awareness & Advocacy

February is
American Heart Month



Things you can do to
support [National Donor Day](#) Feb 14

Your Moms Tribe



Moms In Motion & At Home Your Way would like to introduce you to a few members of our amazing team in this "Getting to Know Your Tribe" series.

We value our clients more than anything and know the best way to show that is by choosing the best team to support their needs. We appreciate our team and know that their work is the reason for our success.

Our team members each have their reasons for why they chose Moms In Motion/At Home Your Way and you may find they have some things in common with YOU.

Today, we wanted to introduce you to just one of these phenomenal team members, and give you the opportunity to know who we are!

WE ARE HIRING!

MOMS IN MOTION IS HIRING!

Sales Representative for Eastern VA
Family Resource Specialist
Waiver Service Coordinator for Lexington, VA



Visit www.momsinmotion.net to officially apply



Do you want to:

- Have a positive impact on people's lives?
- See the joy in someone's face when you tell them about a little resource that will make a big difference in their lives?
- Have the chance to help people in your community on a day-to-day basis?

[Apply Today!](#)

Moms In Motion / At Home Your Way is looking for talented individuals to join our team!

Service Facilitators support eligible individuals and their families in properly using consumer-directed services so they can live in their home with assisted supports. We do this by routinely visiting people in their homes (your home will be your base office). Moms In Motion / At Home Your Way has been a leader in this industry for over nine years. We are a value added provider. We help families to administer their consumer-directed services & link them to additional services.

If you can answer "Yes" to these questions we want you to Join our Team of ACES:

- Do I enjoy **ADVOCATING**?
- Am I **COMPASSIONATE**?
- Do I strive for **EXCELLENCE** in everything I do?
- Do I care about person-centered **SERVICE**?

Skills and Qualifications include:

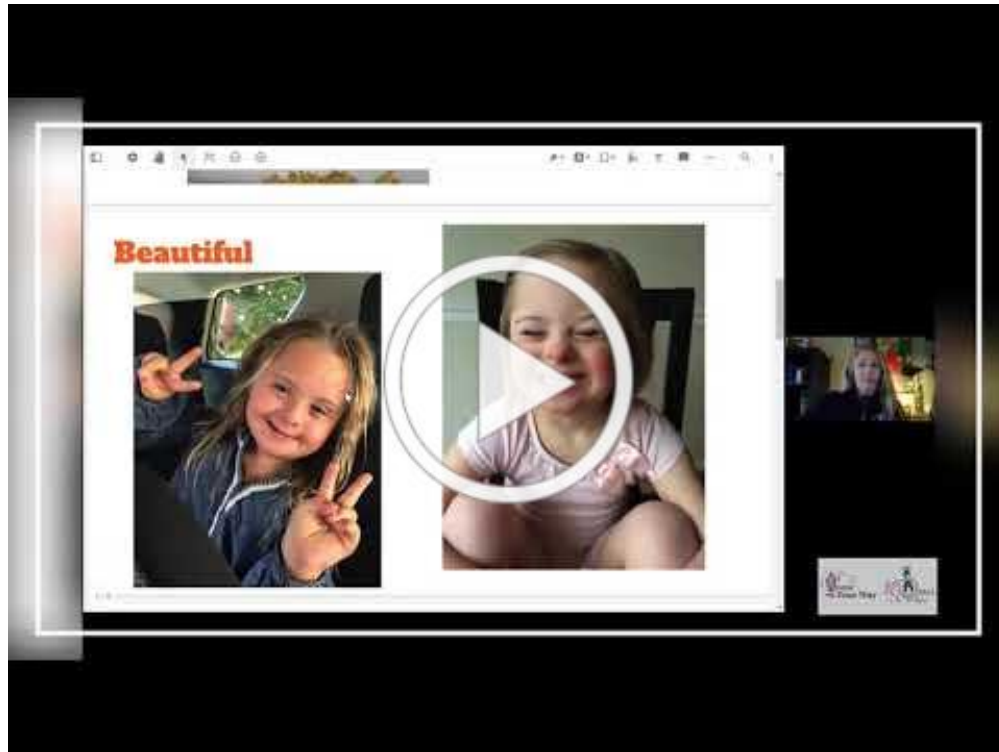
- Associate's Degree or greater in Human Services or related field.
- Ability to work independently.
- Ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing.

*We are currently hiring in Winchester, Page County, Chesapeake, VA Beach, Fairfax County, Buena Vista, Prince George/Hopewell, Roanoke City!

To ensure your **Moms In Motion / At Home Your Way** application is processed correctly, please use the the links on our [Job Opportunities page](#) to apply for the Service Facilitator position in or around your home area.

[Share this with your network, friends and colleagues](#)

Email your questions to: Recruiting@momsinmotion.net



Senior Service Facilitator, Kim Leake shares her "Why"... her motivation and drive that propels her to work each morning and strive for excellence in serving her families.

WAIVERS

Tell Your Services Facilitator

Changes to your MCO, Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program Enrollment, or Medicaid eligibility affects your authorization for Personal Care, Respite, and Companion hours. Moms In Motion needs to know where to send authorization requests to. Your Service Facilitator is often one of the last to know about these types of changes. You must have an authorization in place with the appropriate entity and fiscal agent in order for your attendant to work and get paid. Don't risk a lapse in services.

Helpful links:

- Please join our *public* Facebook [Medicaid Waiver Discussion Group](#)
- [CCC Plus Website](#)



If you receive a balance notice or Explanation of Benefits (EOB) statement:

Moms In Motion's services are covered by DMAS/MCO and considered paid-in-full. No balance billing is permitted by any entity.

Who to Contact if You Move

- Department of Social Services in your current locality advising them of the move
- Your Service(s) Facilitator
- Your MCO
- Your current Community Services Board
- Advise those at HIPP
- All Doctors offices & Pharmacies
- Social Security Administration if you are receiving benefits like SSI (must be done in person)
- SIGN UP FOR USPS INFORMED DELIVERY [here](#)

Developmental Disability Waivers

The State of Virginia currently offers three Developmental Disability (DD) waivers:

- Building Independence (BI)
- Community Living (CL)
- Family and Individual Supports (FIS)

Moms In Motion is able to facilitate services of Companion (when applicable), Personal Care & Respite under the CL & FIS Waivers.

To learn more about the DD Waivers & the services offered through them, please visit our [website](#) for a comprehensive overview.

MONTHLY DISCUSSION WITH YOUR SERVICE FACILITATOR



1. New for this period:

- Discuss new overtime changes for non-live in attendants with your service facilitator

2. At every visit:

- Are you eligible for [HIPP for Kids/HIPP](#)?

- Has there been a change to the the [Employer of Record \(EOR\)](#)?
- Have your level of care needs changed since our last visit?
- Any recent hospitalizations?

Your Moms In Motion Service Facilitator will be happy to assist you with anything mentioned in this section. Ask during your next visit!

MAXIMIZING YOUR BENEFITS

Renewing Your Medicaid

Individuals on the [CCC Plus](#) & both of the [DD Waivers \(CL/FIS\)](#) are required to renew their Medicaid annually. A paper renewal application is usually mailed to the primary residence the month before the individual's renewal month. You will not be required to have another screening.

- When completing the renewal application, only include information regarding the individual requesting Medicaid.
- Write "CCC Plus/Long Term Care" at the top of the form.
- **Section 5: Renewal of coverage in future years (optional)** – to make it easier to determine your eligibility for help paying for health coverage in future years, you can agree to allow the Medicaid or FAMIS programs or the Marketplace to use income data, including information from tax returns. You will not receive a renewal application. Instead, you will receive notification of the outcome of your renewal. *5 years is the maximum number of years allowed .*

You can renew using the following methods:

- **By phone:**
 - Call Cover Virginia at 1-855-242-8282
 - TTY: 1-888-221-1590
- **By mail or in person:** Complete the paper renewal form and return it to your local department of social services.
 - Find your local Social Services office [here](#)

Failure to complete and turn in your Medicaid renewal application could result in lapse of coverage. Call Cover Virginia at 1-855-242-8282 if you have any questions.

ABILITY UNLIMITED

ANGELSENSE



Benefits of this device: live location shared with first responders, SOS call request, emergency detection alert, auto answer speakerphone, and more.

AngelSense

Current Health Status
(including but not limited to):

Wandering
Elopement
Disorientation
Poor impulse control
Difficulties with communication
Sensory concerns

Complete AU's [AT Intake Form](#)
to get your request started
today!



Other Available AngelSense
Wearing Accessories



Undershirt



Belt

Diagnosis codes (including but
not limited to):

Autism
Oppositional Defiant Disorder
Behavioral Disorder, disruptive



Dementia Alzheimer's Disease

We can help! Get the process started today by completing AU's [AT Intake Form](#)

Have questions? We are happy to help!

Call (800) 511-9471 or e-mail info@abilityunlimited.net to get your request started today!

Did you know that you could be eligible for Medicaid funding to cover approved Assistive Technology or Environmental Modifications through your CCC+ or DD Waiver, or if you are on EPSDT? [Ability Unlimited](#) (AU), is an invaluable source of information and assistance for those seeking to utilize these added benefits.

Experienced in the world Medicaid and disabilities, AU provides access to [Assistive Technology and Durable Medical Equipment](#) to people with special needs through Medicaid funding. We help you navigate Medicaid and the approval process, to give our client unlimited possibilities.



"I have had to deal with numerous vendors in trying to get support/devices for my son M.B. He has a rare diagnosis of Williams Syndrome (1 in 20,000) and getting the supplies he needs for trying to live as full a life as possible is not always easy with a rare disorder. I have to say that quite a bit of stress accompanies this process as well. Ability Unlimited has been such a blessing to our family. Once we get the LMN to them they take the ball and run with it. When asking for



supplies I don't have to dig to find the information to prove eligibility as Ability Unlimited sends it without asking. While dealing with OT and PT that take a while to get back to this I get follow up emails from Ability Unlimited that lets me know they haven't forgotten about our son. EVERY TIME they ask if there is anything they can do to help with the process. You can see in the tone of their emails that they love their job and are WANTING to help and are willing to do the work necessary to allow my child to have a successful life. I think that companies that deal with this could take a lesson from you guys!!

M.B."



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Contact Ability Unlimited

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info@abilityunlimited.net

At Home Your Way



Aging In Place

Do you have an aging loved one on the CCC+ Virginia Medicaid Waiver or one of the 3 DD (CL, FIS, BI) Waivers? Did they suffer a stroke? Do they have chronic diseases such as diabetes or CHF? Are they losing their cognitive abilities through Alzheimer's or dementia?

Did you know that their medical and personal care needs are not the only benefits of their waiver, but that they are also eligible for medically necessary AT, EM & DME? Check out the video for details!



Resources for Aging In Place

[Office for Aging Service](#)

[Virginia Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services](#)

[Piedmont Senior Resources Area Agency on Aging](#)

[Peninsula Agency on Aging](#)

Key Roles in a Medicaid Waiver

SERVICE FACILITATOR:

A Consumer-Directed (CD) Services Facilitator (SF) is the DMAS-enrolled provider who is responsible for supporting the individual and family/caregiver by ensuring the development and monitoring of the consumer-directed

services plan of care, providing attendant management training, and completing ongoing review activities as required by DMAS for consumer-directed personal care and respite services.

To learn more about the role & responsibilities of the Service Facilitator, please visit our [website](#) for an overview.

EMPLOYER OF RECORD:

The Employer of Record (EOR) is the person who performs the functions of the employer in the consumer-directed model of service delivery. The EOR may be the individual enrolled in the waiver, or a family member, caregiver, or another person.

To learn more about the role & responsibilities of the EOR, please visit our [website](#) for an overview.

FISCAL AGENT(S):

The Fiscal Employer Agent performs payroll activities on behalf of the EOR. This allows the individual to use waiver funds to hire and pay attendants. The Managed Care Organization (MCO) contracts with the Fiscal Employer Agent to ensure that payment to the attendant is accurate based on approved service authorizations and timesheets that have been approved by the EOR.

The Fiscal Employer Agent keeps payment records and follows all tax rules on the EOR's behalf. The EOR employs the attendant(s).

To learn more about Fiscal Agent and their role & responsibility, please visit our [website](#) for an overview.



To learn more about FA Aces\$, including how to check your authorizations, click [here](#)



To learn more about FA CDCN, including how to check your authorizations, click [here](#)



To learn more about FA PPL, including how to check your authorizations, click [here](#)

ATTENDANT(S):

The attendant is an individual who provides personal care or supports for the waiver individual. The attendant is the individual hired by the Employer of Record (EOR) who provides CD personal assistance, respite services, or companion services to the individual. The attendant provides services that are authorized by DMAS or its designated service authorization agent. The attendant should have the knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform the functions and duties necessary to support the individual who is receiving services.

To learn more about the role and how to become an Attendant, please visit our [website](#) for an overview.

Self Service

[Visit our website for your self-service needs](#)

Moms In Motion is fully aware of how important empowerment is for our clients and their families.

To learn of many numerous resources and tools readily accessible to you, please visit our webpages:



- [What are Waivers?](#)
 - [CCC Plus Waiver](#): learn more about this waiver, the benefits, and how to apply.
 - [CL/FIS \(DD Waivers\)](#): learn more about these waivers, the benefits, and how to apply
 - [Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment \(EPSDT\)](#): a federal benefit for children under 21 that receive Medicaid (this is a program, not a waiver)
 - [Individual and Family Support Program \(IFSP\)](#): an annual grant for those on the DD Waivers Waitlist
- [Self-Advocacy](#): Virginia General Assembly & Tips for Writing to Your Senator and/or Delegates.
- Moms In Motion's informational [CCC+ Self-Help Eligibility Tool](#)
- [Searchable Resource List](#) provided by Moms In Motion.
- Virginia's Health Insurance Premium Program ([HIPP](#)) and [HIPP for Kids](#)

TOOLS YOU CAN USE

INFORMATIONAL TOOLS

- [Why, When, and How Can I Get the IEP Revised?](#) by Wrights Law
- [Ability Center of Virginia](#) Helping children and adults with disabilities lead happy, productive lives.

ListSerts

- Join Yahoo ListServ [VaWaivers](#) to discuss & share news about Va Medicaid Waivers.

Finding a CD Attendant(s)

- Relevant departments of local colleges. (OT, PT, etc)
- Ask your local school/school district for para-professionals.
- [Virginia Employment Commission](#)
- Utilize sites such as:
 - [Craig's List](#)

- [Care.com](#)
- [SitterCity](#)
- [MyChoice4Care](#)
- [Indeed](#)

MEDICAID ADDED BENEFITS

Amazon Prime

Amazon Prime is \$5.99 a month for qualifying customers with an EBT or Medicaid card. Cancel anytime.

[Click here](#) to sign up!



Connect with Us

We're expanding our social reach!
Be sure to connect with us now on [Instagram](#) and [LinkedIn](#)!



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