Washington State Department of Social and Health Services

Consumer Directed Employer (CDE) Project Talking Points #6 – Work Process Changes



What processes will move from Case Managers to the CDE?

The table below highlights key tasks that are currently completed by DSHS and AAA staff. These tasks will be completed by the CDE after implementation.

Process	DSHS/AAA Regional Staff	Case Managers	CDE	
	Current	Fı	Future	
Manage Background Check	✓		✓	
Requirements				
Training – category assignment	✓		✓	
Training – ongoing compliance	✓		✓	
Authorizing training and travel time	✓		✓	
Assisting Consumer with Multiple IPs	✓		✓	
IP Overpayment processing	✓		✓	
Managing IP Work Week Limits	✓		✓	
Complete the Character, Competency &	✓	Provide input	✓	
Suitability form				
Assigning tasks	✓	CM to CDE	CDE/Client to each IP	
Contracting & Contract Monitoring	✓		CDE hires the IP	
Planned Action Notices (PANs) to IPs	✓		CDE communicates	
for training, or to Clients for denial of			with clients and IPs	
choice of provider				
Authorizing hours	One payment	One payment		
	authorization to each	authorization per		
	IP working with the	client to the CDE		
	client			

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