

Current Services Landscape				
LTSS Program Guidelines	Healthcare for Workers with Disabilities	Developmental Disabilities Administration	Home and Community Services	Long-Term Services and Supports Trust
Must first be determined to have a qualifying disability*	✓	✓	* If under age 65	
Income and resources cannot exceed set limits to get services		✓	✓	
Must be employed to get services	✓			
Must pay a premium from wages to get services	✓			✓
Provides access to Apple Health medical coverage	✓	✓	✓	
Must pay a 'co-pay' if income exceeds set limits		✓	✓	
Must need assistance with activities of daily living		✓	✓	✓
Must be at least 18 years old to get services			✓	✓
Provides benefits in old age, when no longer working		✓	✓	✓
Provides benefits regardless of financial resources or income	✓			✓

Washington also has a **Developmental Disabilities Endowment Trust Fund** that allows individuals with developmental disabilities, or their families, to set aside funds for future use without affecting their eligibility for government services and benefits, such as Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Medicaid.

Program fact sheets:

Healthcare for workers with disabilities allows people with disabilities who are working to purchase Apple Health medical coverage by paying a monthly premium that is based on their income. <https://www.hca.wa.gov/assets/free-or-low-cost/22-333.pdf>

Developmental Disabilities Administration offers programs aimed to help individuals with developmental disabilities and their families get services and supports based on need and choice. DDA offers a range of safe, high-quality community, employment and residential services and supports.

- **Community First Choice** <https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/DDA/Community%20First%20Choice.pdf>
- **Individual and Family Services Waiver:**
<https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/DDA/Individual%20and%20Family%20Services%20Waiver.pdf>
- **Basic Plus Waiver:** <https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/DDA/Basic%20Plus%20Waiver.pdf>
- **Core Waiver:** <https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/DDA/Core%20Waiver.pdf>

Home and Community Services purpose is to promote, plan, develop and provide long-term care services responsive to the needs of persons with disabilities and the elderly with priority attention to low-income individuals and families.

- **Community First Choice:**
<https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/HCS/2019%20Fact%20Sheet%20Community%20First%20Choice.docx>
- **COPEs Waiver:**
<https://fortress.wa.gov/dshs/adsaapps/about/factsheets/HCS/2019%20Fact%20Sheet%20Community%20Options%20Program%20Entry%20System%20-%20COPEs.docx>