

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN OREGON



The mission of the Oregon Department of Human Services is to make it possible for people to lead lives that are independent, healthy and safe.

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SENIORS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES DIVISION (SPD)

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CONTRIBUTION TO MISSION

Help seniors and people with disabilities of all ages achieve well-being through opportunities for community living, employment, family support and services that promote independence, choice and dignity.

KEY PROGRAM AREAS

Medicaid and Non-Medicaid Long-Term Care Services for Seniors and People with Physical Disabilities

Medicaid and Non-Medicaid Long-Term Care Services for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities

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PROGRAM SERVICES

- * Financial eligibility and case management
- * Older Americans Act programs
- * In-home care services
- * Nursing and community-based care services
- * Protective services

- * Comprehensive services
- * Support services
- * Protective services
- * Case management

- * Licensing and quality of care
- * Federal resource and financial eligibility
- * Developmental disability services
- * Senior and disability services
- * Division administration

WHO IS SERVED

- * Seniors
- * Adults with physical disabilities

- * Adults and children with developmental disabilities

HOW SERVICES ARE PROVIDED

- * DHS and AAA offices
- * Private providers

- * Community developmental disability programs, brokerages, private providers and state-operated programs

HOW OUTCOMES ARE MEASURED

- * Percentage of Oregon seniors living outside institutional care settings
- * Re-abuse of seniors and people with disabilities
- * Access to information, referrals and assistance for seniors and people with disabilities
- * Percentage of new Medicaid long-term care clients diverted from nursing facility settings

- * Percentage of people with developmental disabilities living in community settings of five or fewer people
- * Percentage of clients with developmental disabilities working in integrated employment
- * Percentage of eligible adults receiving adult support services

- * Customer satisfaction
- * Ratio of Oregonians getting food stamp assistance to the number of Oregonians living in poverty
- * Percentage of accurate financial eligibility determinations

POLICY FOUNDATION

- * ORS 101, 124, 410, 441, 443
- * OAR 411, 461

- * ORS 124, 417, 418, 426, 427, 430
- * OAR 309, 411

- * ORS 179, 409, 410, 678
- * OAR 407, 410, 461
- * Fed 20 CFR 405.101