

# Information Memorandum Transmittal Aging and People with Disabilities



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**Topic:** Long Term Care

**Due date:**

**Subject:** Medicaid Home Delivered Meals Standards and Responsibilities Update

**Applies to (check all that apply):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees                             | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging: Type B     | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services                                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs                     | <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Intensive In Home Services           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD program managers                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Support Service Brokerage Directors           | <input type="checkbox"/> Other ( <i>please specify</i> ):                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Residential Services          |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs                        |   |

**Message:**

The [Medicaid Home Delivered Meals Standards and Responsibilities](#) document has been updated to reflect a change in verifying receipt of HDMs in the Older Americans Act (OAA) program. Currently, a Case Manager (CM) is able to reference the OAA screen in Oregon ACCESS to determine if a consumer is already receiving home delivered meals. Starting October 1, 2020, this information will no longer be updated in this screen, as AAAs will begin to enter all OAA services into a new system called GetCare.

The following change is made in the document, which is applicable if the individual is at least 60 years of age and it is unknown if the individual is receiving HDMs through OAA:

Ask the consumer if they currently receive home-delivered meals. If the consumer desires to continue receiving HDMs, the CM will need to assure the payment for the meal will be covered with Medicaid funding. This information must be narrated and identified in the assessment/service planning process.

The revised [Medicaid HDM Standards and Responsibilities](#) document outlines this process in full and is posted on the Case Management Tools website.

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