

## Individual and Family Services Waiver

The Individual and Family Services (IFS) Waiver is one of Developmental Disabilities Administration's (DDA) five federal Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) waivers. It helps support individuals by awarding an annual allocation to pay for a variety of services.



HCBS waiver services may only supplement benefits already available through the Medicaid state plan.

### Eligibility Requirements

#### Individuals:

- Must be eligible DDA clients; and
- Live with a family member

#### Services

- Assistive technology
- Behavior health stabilization services
- Community engagement
- Environmental adaptations
- Occupational, speech and physical therapies
- Peer mentoring
- Person-centered plan facilitation
- Positive behavior support and consultation
- Respite
- Risk assessment
- Skilled nursing and nurse delegation
- Specialized clothing
- Specialized medical equipment and supplies
- Specialized psychiatric services
- Staff and family consultation
- Supported parenting services
- Transportation services
- Vehicle modifications
- Wellness education

### Stakeholders

- Self-advocates
- Families of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities
- Parent to parent advocacy group
- The Arc of Washington
- Washington State Developmental Disabilities Council

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### Award Levels

Level	Annual Award
1	\$1,200/year
2	\$1,800/year
3	\$2,400/year
4	\$3,600/year

The Individual and Family Services Waiver Program has the capacity to support 6,500 individuals throughout Washington State.