



Apply for healthcare:

- online at Benefits.Ohio.Gov,
- by phone at (800) 324-8680, or
- in-person at your County Department of Job and Family Services.

Find your local office at
JFS.Ohio.Gov/County.

Call the Medicaid Consumer Hotline at (800) 324-8680 for help completing an application or other questions.

Additional information is available at
Medicaid.Ohio.Gov.

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Department of
Medicaid

Department of Developmental Disabilities Waiver Services

Some Medicaid waivers allow people with disabilities and chronic conditions to receive care in their homes and communities rather than in long-term care facilities, hospitals or intermediate care facilities. These waivers also allow people to have more control over their care and remain active in their community.

Three waivers are available through the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities to provide supports and help individuals engage in community life.

- The Self-Empowered Life Funding (SELF) Waiver lets individuals direct where and how they receive services.
- The Level One Waiver provides minimal paid support to add to the natural supports from family, school or work individuals have in a community setting of their choice.
- The Individual Options Waiver is a more comprehensive waiver that allows individuals with more specific needs to live in community settings of their choice with supports instead of living in an institution.

For more information on the SELF, Level One and Individual Options Waivers, please contact your county board of developmental disabilities.

Contact information is available at DODD.Ohio.Gov/CountyBoards