PUBLIC NOTICE

Louisiana Department of Health

Home and Community-Based Services Settings Rule
Statewide Transition Plan

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has issued regulations that define the settings in which it is permissible for states to pay for Medicaid home and community-based services (HCBS). The purpose of these regulations is to ensure that individuals receive Medicaid HCBS in settings that are integrated in and support full access to the greater community.

The Louisiana Department of Health invites you to review and comment on our updated statewide transition plan. Information is listed below for each program office, which provides instruction on how you may access, review, and submit comments. **Comments are due by May 22, 2022.**

Agency specific information:

- Office of Aging and Adult Services (OAAS):

  To access the Statewide Transition Plan, please visit www.dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/page/2030.

  If you would like a hardcopy of the plan to review, you may call the following toll-free number to have one mailed to you: 1-866-758-5035.
You may submit comments electronically to OAAS.
Inquiries@LA.GOV or by mail to:

Office of Aging and Adult Services

c/o Melissa Ledoux

Post Office Box 2031; Bin #14

Baton Rouge, LA 70821-2031

- Office of Behavioral Health (OBH):

To access the Statewide Transition Plan, please visit
https://ldh.la.gov/page/1973

To request a hard copy of the STP, email obh-hcbs@la.gov or
call (225) 342-2540.

You may submit comments electronically to obh-hcbs@la.gov
or by mail to:

Office of Behavioral Health

c/o Missy Graves

P.O. Box 4049, Bin #12

Baton Rouge, LA 70802

- Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities (OCDD):

To access the Statewide Transition Plan, please visit

Each Local Governing Entity (LGE) will have a hard copy
available for review. LGE contact information is located
at: https://ldh.la.gov/page/1991
You may submit comments electronically to OCDD-hcbs@la.gov
or by mail to:

Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities
c/o Rosemary Morales
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