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In reply, please refer to:

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Dear I/DD Waiver Participant/Parent/Guardian,

Recently, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) approved an amendment to the I/DD Waiver. Individual Supports Budgets for adult participants were part of the approved amendment. Enclosed is a brochure that explains what Individual Supports Budgets are.

Individual Supports Budgets will help adult participants who are in the I/DD Waiver to make choices about the services they need. They will help to make sure that the resources DDD has are provided based on what people need so it is fair to everyone.

We hope this brochure will help answer questions about the Individual Supports Budget, and how it will be used to plan for your services at your ISP meeting. They will not start for everyone at the same time, so the brochure also explains when you can expect planning based on your budget to start.

We know this is a lot of information to read about and understand. DDD will have trainings for participants and families. You can also ask your Case Manager if you have questions.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Jennifer La'a

Case Management Branch Chief