



# 2021

## 1915(c) WAIVER

AMENDMENT #2

STANDARDS

---

**Tuesday, March 8, 2022 @ 1:00 PM**

---



# 2021

## 1915(c) WAIVER

AMENDMENT #2

STANDARDS

# AGENDA

- 01 WELCOME & UPDATES
- 02 CHANGES TO WAIVER
- 03 CHANGES TO STANDARDS
- 04 CHANGES TO A&R
- 05 Q&A

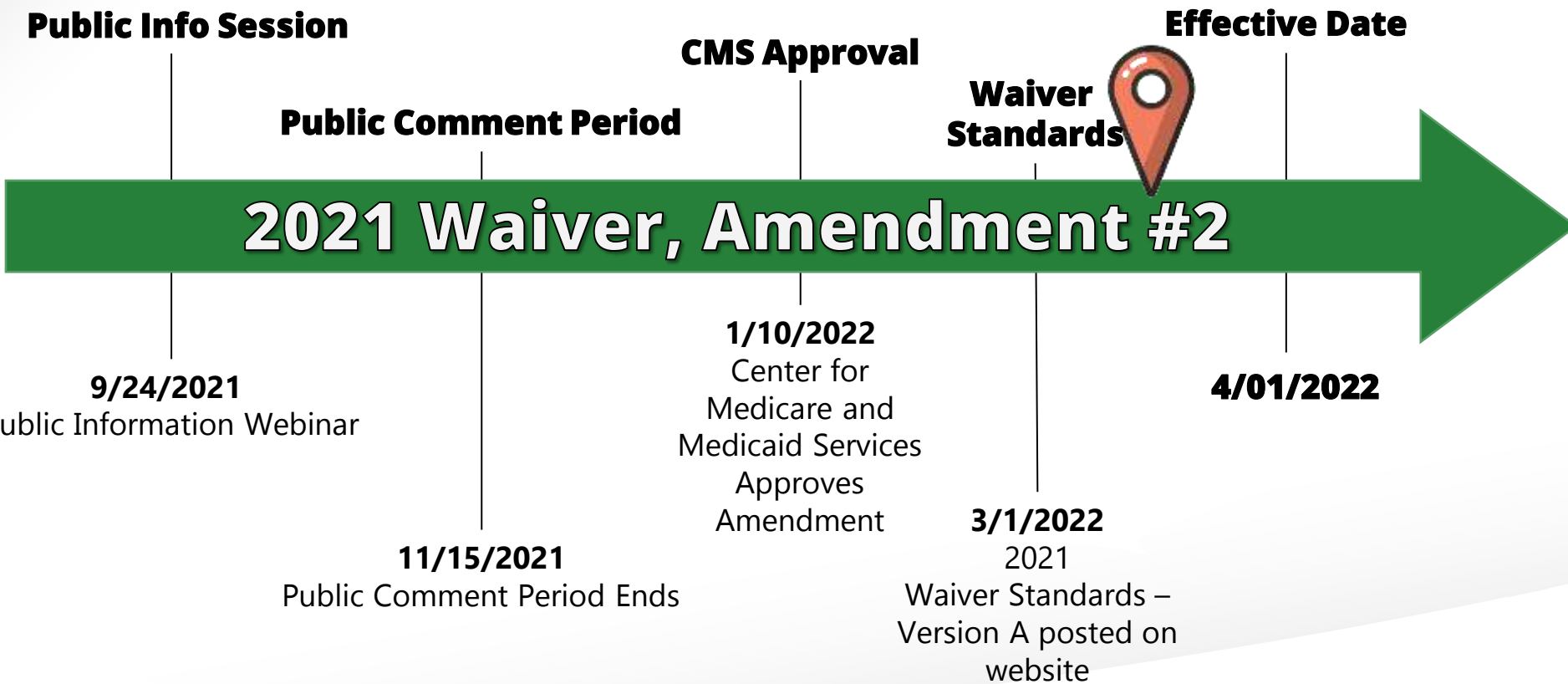
**01**

# **WELCOME & UPDATES**

# UPDATES

- Waiver Amendment #2 (not #1)
- Don't forget - please submit your claims by March 25, 2022
- Coming soon –
  - Waiver Amendment #3
    - Public Comment period  
3/1/22 to 4/15/2022
  - ARPA Provider Engagement

# Timeline



**02**

# **CHANGES TO WAIVER**

# PAB in the Hospital

## Waiver Amendment #2

- CARES Act Section 3715\_HCBS provision in acute care hospital
- PAB service definition revised to include supports provided to a participant while receiving acute-care hospital services
- PAB services may be available to foster communication, provide intensive personal care, and/or promote behavioral stabilization to support successful transitions and to maintain their functional abilities

# WHY THE AMENDMENT FOR PAB?

This change will help support participants while they receive acute-care services in the hospital to aid in their transition back to the community or maintain their functional abilities.



# Vehicle Modification

## Waiver Amendment #2

- Remove sub-limit of \$6,000 for shipping costs
- Allows for an Exceptions Review to be requested if the cost exceeds \$36,000

# WHY THE AMENDMENT FOR VEHICLE MODIFICATION?

Increased costs in:



- Shipping
- Conversion
  - Limited vehicle supply
  - New models are hybrid & electric

**03**

# **CHANGES TO STANDARDS**

# Changes of Standards

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Summary of Change</b>
<b>HCBS Final Rule</b>	Providers who do not demonstrate compliance will be required to complete a Corrective Action Plan and may be subject to sanctions
<b>CLS Individual</b>	Removed the limitation for use of CLS-Individual at work
<b>PAB</b>	PAB retainers may be authorized during hospitalization
<b>Respite</b>	Clarified that Respite may include general supervision, during overnight hours when the worker is required to be present and responsive to participant needs

# Changes of Standards (cont.)

Topic	Summary of Change
<b>T&amp;C RN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Case Managers can authorize 2 hours for Nursing Assessment annually and additional Nursing Assessments may be authorized for significant changes in the Participant's condition</li><li>• Providers must use Provider Nurse Delegation Packet when completing Nursing Assessment and delegation plan must be updated and signed annually</li></ul>

AMENDMENT # 2

**04**

# **CHANGES TO APPENDICES & RESOURCES**



**2021**  
1915(c) WAIVER

AMENDMENT #2

STANDARDS

# Changes to Appendices & Resources

Appendix	Summary of Change
<b>4 – Participant Safeguards</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Added Provider Nurse Delegation Packet</li></ul>
<b>7 – General Staff Qualification Requirements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Added sample letters &amp; forms</li><li>• Streamlining staff validation process</li></ul>
<b>8 – Monitoring Provider Agencies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Added sample letters</li><li>• Updated Provider Monitoring Tool</li></ul>
<b>10 – Discovery &amp; Career Planning Resources</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Added sample discovery and career planning profiles 1,2,3</li></ul>

**05**

**Q&A**



**2021**  
1915(c) WAIVER

AMENDMENT #2

STANDARDS





**2021**  
**1915(c) WAIVER**

**AMENDMENT #2**

**STANDARDS**

# QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Additional Questions?

Please email –

[doh.dddcrb@doh.hawaii.gov](mailto:doh.dddcrb@doh.hawaii.gov)



Visit our Website

<https://health.hawaii.gov/ddd>