

# **Person-Centered Planning Input Sought on Minnesota's Development of a Compliance and Transition Plan to Comply with New CMS Rules**

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**Training via Video Conference from  
*Aging and Adult Services Division,  
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Minnesota Department of Human Services***

## ***Presenters***

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## ***Description***

The Center for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS) issued new rules governing home and community based services in January 2014. The rules govern characteristics/qualities of all home and community-based settings within which services are provided, as well as person-centered planning requirements. In Minnesota, the rule impacts all home and community-based services (HCBS) waivers, Community First Services and Supports (CFSS), and the new autism early intervention benefit. Please review the PowerPoint posted on [http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/dhs16\\_184789](http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/dhs16_184789) for an overview of these changes prior to these sessions.

All states are required to develop and submit a transition plan to address services which are not currently in compliance with the new rules. Minnesota is in the process of developing a compliance and transition plan and would like input from HCBS lead agencies and other interested individuals. DHS will be hosting an input session via video conference on Thursday, August 28 on person-centered planning. DHS hopes to get valuable input to shape next steps in the planning process. Discussion questions will be emailed to participants prior to the event.

DHS looks forward to your participation in this important discussion as we frame the future of HCBS services in Minnesota.

## ***Target Audience***

- HCBS lead agency staff

- HCBS participants and family members
- Advocates
- HCBS providers

### ***Learning Objectives***

***Goal 1*** Describe person-centered planning requirements in the new CMS rules.

***Goal 2*** Identify changes that will be required to implement the new CMS rules.

### ***Pre-registration is required***

Each person needs to register. Registration closes at 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the session. By registering, you understand that the session will be videotaped with the possibility of your visual and audio likeness being recorded for reproduction and distribution.

### ***Handouts and Resources***

Presentation handouts and resource materials will be distributed to registered participants via email attachment 1-2 days before the scheduled session. Print and bring your own copies to the session. Copies may not be available at the site. Those individuals interested in receiving handouts only, can make this request via the registration survey.

### ***Cancellations***

Video-conferencing sites without any registered participants prior to the registration close date will be cancelled. If you register, but are unable to attend, please cancel your reservation through the web link using your confirmation number prior to the registration close date. This allows others to participate in the training.

### ***Certification***

Certificates for continuing education are NOT available.

### ***Accommodations***

Individuals with a disability who need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this event may indicate "special request" when registering. Please make requests as early as possible.

### ***DVD Ordering***

Copies of the session will NOT be available for ordering.

### ***Times and Locations***

The conference will be offered at the sites and time below. Note: sites that are filled are listed as FULL on the registration system and cannot accept additional people. You must choose another site. Additional sites added after this announcement was published are identified on the registration page.

Start Time: 10:00

Duration: Two hours

<b><i>Building</i></b>	<b><i>Street Address</i></b>	<b><i>City</i></b>
Benton County Human Services Building	531 Dewey Street, Room 306	Foley
Blue Earth County Human Services	410 S 5th Street, River Room	Mankato
Department of Human Services	444 Lafayette Road, Fifth Floor, Room 5137	St. Paul
Fillmore County Courthouse	101 Fillmore Street, Commissioners Board Room	Preston
Goodhue County Government Center	509 West 5th Street	Red Wing
Hennepin County Government Center	1800 Chicago Ave, Room S-202	Minneapolis
Itasca County Resource Center	1209 SE Second Avenue, Room 157	Grand Rapids
Lyon County Southwest Health and Human Services	Courthouse, 607 Main Street West, First Floor	Marshall
Mille Lacs County Community and Veterans Services	525 2nd St SE	Milaca
Nobles County Government Center	315 10th Street, 3rd Floor	Worthington
Olmsted County Community Services	2117 Campus Drive SE, 2nd Floor, Room 233	Rochester
Otter Tail County Government Services Center	550 West Fir Avenue, Small Room	Fergus Falls
Pine County Human Services	130 Oriole Street East, First Floor	Sandstone
Polk County Government Center	612 North Broadway, Room 302	Crookston
Ramsey County Human Services	160 East Kellogg Blvd, Room 3500	St. Paul
Renville County Human Services	410 East DePue, Room 121b	Olivia

Roseau County Social Services	208 Sixth Street SW	Roseau
Scott County Law Enforcement Center	301 Fuller Street South, Room LA203	Shakopee
Steele County Administration Center	630 Florence Avenue, Room 30	Owatonna
Wabasha County SCHA Services Building	411 Hiawatha Drive E	Wabasha
Wadena County Social Services	124 First Street SE, Board Room	Wadena
Watonwan County Human Services	715 Second Avenue South	St. James