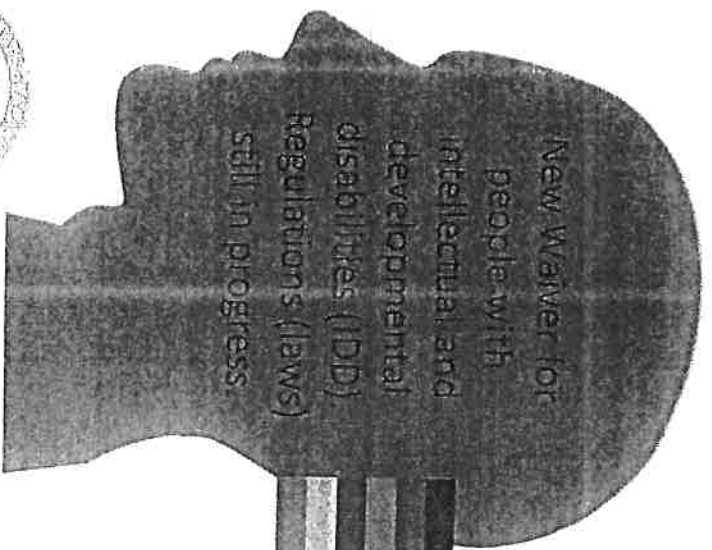


# Individualized Supports Waiver (ISW)



Same eligibility as IDD Waiver

Helps people who use grant funds.  
Grant ends June 2018.

\$17,500/year total available to use

Person can decide how to use services up to total amount.

Care Coordinator a must, but not included in amount

Care Coordinator work will be different than IDD waiver.

Some are getting letters to apply.

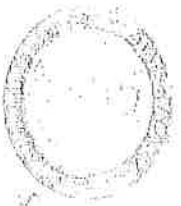
Person can get ISW and stay on registry.

Certain services only

Most services like IDD waiver, except out of home residential.  
Also dollar limit.

Services

- Respite
- In-home supports for ages < 18
- Supported living for ages > 18
- Day Habilitation
- Intensive Active Treatment for Adults
- Chore Services
- Non-Medical Transportation
- Supported employment  
(including pre-employment tasks)



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ALL= Alaskans Living Independently, APDD= Adults with Physical and Developmental Disabilities  
 IDD= Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, CCMC= Children with Complex Medical Conditions

# WAIVER SERVICES

Alaska's four Medicaid waivers support the independence of Alaskans who experience physical or developmental disabilities by providing services in their homes and in the community rather than in an institution such as a nursing home. Each waiver covers a different set of services. Which services are available depend on a person's age and where s/he lives.

Services approved for each waiver are marked with a ✓; FT=full time; ALH=assisted living home.

	ALL	IDD	APDD	CCMC
<b>*** Care coordination:</b> All waivers require a care coordinator. Your care coordinator will work with you to identify which services you need, and make sure that you get them.	***	***	***	***
<b>In-home supports:</b> Up to age 18; help to get, keep or improve self-help and social skills; must live FT with unpaid caregiver.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Family habilitation:</b> Help to get, keep or improve self-help and social skills; live FT in the licensed home of a paid caregiver.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Group home:</b> Help for ages 18+ to get, keep or improve self-help and social skills; live FT in a licensed ALH.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Supported living:</b> Help for ages 18+ to get, keep or improve self-help and social skills; must live FT in your own residence.	✓		✓	✓
<b>Residential Supported Living:</b> Help with activities of daily living for adults who can't live alone & live FT in a licensed ALH.	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Specialized private duty nursing services:</b> Nursing services for ages 21+ by a licensed nurse, specific to your needs.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Day habilitation:</b> Ages 3+; Recreational, other activities outside the home to develop self-help and social skills.	✓		✓	
<b>Adult day services:</b> Group adult day care provided by an organization.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Respite:</b> Occasional breaks for unpaid caregivers.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Supported employment:</b> Training, support, and supervision to get job skills and to help find and keep a job.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Transportation, Escort:</b> Rides to get to community resources and activities. If necessary, help during the ride.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Environmental modifications:</b> Health- and safety-related home modifications to your own residence.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Chore services:</b> Regular cleaning and heavy household chores in your own residence, when no-one else can do the work.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Meals:</b> For 18+; Ready to eat meals delivered to your own residence (other than an ALH) or served in a group setting.	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Specialized medical equipment and supplies:</b> Items that help you communicate, perform daily activities and get out & about.		✓		✓
<b>Nursing oversight:</b> A registered nurse who ensures that care of a medical nature is delivered safely.		✓	✓	✓
<b>Intensive active treatment:</b> Professional treatment/therapy to prevent behavior regression or to address a family, personal, social, mental, behavior, or substance abuse problem.			✓	✓