STRATEGIES TO SUSTAIN A NO WRONG DOOR SYSTEM

MORE PEOPLE ARE ARE CHOOSING HCBS
Home and community-based services (HCBS) comprised 57 percent of FY 2016 Medicaid LTSS expenditures for all populations; more than tripling (3.4 times) from 17 percent in FY 1995.

MOST PEOPLE RECEIVE LTSS THROUGH MEDICAID
Medicaid covers nearly half of all LTSS spending which analysts project will increase from $167 billion in 2016 to $293 billion in 2026.

LTSS DEMAND IS GROWING
Nearly 11 million community residents in the United States need long term services and supports (LTSS), roughly half of them under age 65.

MEDICAID LTSS SPENDING: INSTITUTIONAL VS COMMUNITY
![Bar Chart]

NWD SUPPORTS ACCESS AND CHOICE IN LTSS
NWD promotes HCBS by supporting states’ efforts to develop coordinated systems of access to make it easier for individuals to learn about and access LTSS in their communities.

SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO SUSTAIN NWD
Systems include building partnerships to maximize existing funding including:
- Older Americans Act
- National Family Support Program
- Veteran Directed Care
- Care Transitions Income
- Medicaid
- ADRC Grant
- Charitable Donations
- Consumer Fees and Cost-Sharing
- Grants
- State General Revenue
- Other Federal Funding

On average, none of these sources make up more than 1/4 of a state’s NWD Systems budget.

State NWD systems need sustainable and diverse funding sources in order to keep up with rising LTSS demand.

NWD SYSTEMS OPERATE THROUGH A DIVERSITY OF FUNDING SOURCES

NWD SYSTEMS GAIN TRACTION THROUGH...

KEY FUNCTIONS OF A NO WRONG DOOR SYSTEM
- State Governance and Administration
- Public Outreach and Coordination with Key Referral Sources
- Person-Centered Counseling (PCC)
- Streamlined Eligibility for Public Programs

FULLY FUNCTIONING STATUS
NWD Function Coverage - 2017 LTSS Scorecard
- PCC
- Public Outreach
- Streamlined Access

STATE INFRASTRUCTURE THROUGH LEGISLATION
33 states have documented legislation related to NWD

STATEWIDE COVERAGE
![Line Graph]
Medicaid Administrative Claiming provides a source of funding to sustain the NWD System. Medicaid Administrative Claiming supports efficient and effective administration of the Medicaid program.

Many states are already claiming Medicaid approved activities. They include:

- Conducting Outreach and Consumer Education about Medicaid
- Assisting Individuals to Complete Medicaid Applications
- Facilitating Person-Centered Counseling about Medicaid Options
- Screening for Medicaid Program
- Training about Medicaid
- Program Planning/Interagency Coordination about Medicaid

45 million states currently claiming for NWD/ADRC activities
15 states currently claiming for NWD/ADRC activities per year
12 in the planning phase

Medicaid claiming expansion

15 states are claiming
12 more states are in planning phase

Claiming amounts for most states
$500,000–$2,000,000 per year

45 million

Toolkit

Phase 1 tools:
- Establish Costs and Document Medicaid Time
  - Project Work Plan
  - Presentation for State Level Partner Agencies
  - Presentation for Stakeholders
  - Cost Simulator
  - Code Development Guidance

Phase 2 tools:
- Develop Agreements and Approvals
  - Cost Pool Guidance and Cost Pool Spreadsheet
  - Sample MOU Language

1 Represents knowledge from Administration for Community Living informal communication with state NWD System personnel.

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