

STATE SUPPORTED LIVING SERVICES (SLS) PROGRAM AND SEP WAIVER FACT SHEET

The State SLS program is a non-Medicaid program that may be able to offer additional supports to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Eligibility to receive State SLS Funds:

- 1) Meet Developmental Disability Determination criteria and complete the determination process
- 2) Reside in Colorado
- 3) Be eighteen (18) years of age or older

Types of State SLS Funds:

Supports for Individuals waiting for HCBS waiver enrollment	AND On-going State-SLS	Additional Services for Individuals Experiencing Temporary Hardship	Additional Services for Supporting Independence in the Community
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistive Technology • Behavioral Services • Day Habilitation Services (Specialized Habilitation, Supported Community Connections) • Dental Services • Home Modifications • Homemaker Services • Mentorship • Non-Medical Transportation • Personal Care • Personalized Emergency Response System (PERS) • Prevocational Services • Professional Services (Includes Hippotherapy, Massage & Movement Therapy) • Respite Services • Specialized Medical Equipment & Supplies • Supported Employment • Vehicle Modifications • Vision Services 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Payment of Utilities: Paying gas/electric bills and/or water/sewer bills. Limit of \$1,000. • Acquiring emergency food. Limit of \$400. • Pest infestation abatement. Limit of \$2000. 	<p>One-time payment or acquisition of needed household items in the event that client is moving into a residence:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pantry items (\$100) • Kitchen supplies (\$200) • Furniture (\$300) • Housing application fees (limit to 5 in a State fiscal year)

Additional Clarification:

- 1) State SLS funding must be the payor of last resort. This means that you must use all supports provided to you through Medicaid, through other public benefits and through community resources, through friends and family before you can use State SLS funds.
- 2) State SLS services cannot duplicate any services that are offered through Medicaid.
- 3) State SLS funding is not guaranteed and availability of funding may change each year.
- 4) Services are dependent on provider availability.

State SLS Services available to individuals enrolled in the following Waivers:

HCBS-BI	HCBS-CMHS	HCBS-EBD
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assistive Technology (No Medication Reminders)• Dental Services• Homemaker Services• Mentorship• Prevocational Services• Professional Services (Includes Hippotherapy, Massage & Movement Therapy)• Supported Employment• Vehicle Modifications• Vision Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assistive Technology No Medication Reminders)• Behavioral Services• Dental Services• Mentorship• Prevocational Services• Professional Services (Includes Hippotherapy, Massage & Movement Therapy)• Specialized Medical Equipment & Supplies• Supported Employment• Vehicle Modifications• Vision Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assistive Technology (No Medication Reminders)• Behavioral Services• Dental Services• Mentorship• Prevocational Services• Professional Services (Includes Hippotherapy, Massage & Movement Therapy)• Supported Employment• Vehicle Modifications• Vision Services

Enrollment:

If you are interested in accessing State SLS funds or if you have additional questions, please contact CCI's Intake Case Manager, Hannah Zorn, at (970) 335-2071 or intake@cci-colorado.org.