

State of Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services

This Notice supersedes the January 15, 2026 Notice and includes the addition of a waiting list to the waiver, the elimination of the PCS checklist, and updated the point in time served. The comment period has been extended one week to accommodate these updates.

Request for Comments

The Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS) is amending the following Kansas Medicaid 1915(c) Waiver: Technology Assisted (TA).

The proposed amendment covers the following:

- I. Waiver Administration:
 - A. Clarified independent assessing entity's role
 - B. Updated language
- II. Selection of Entrants to the waiver:
 - A. Implementation and management of a waitlist.
- III. PCS service:
 - A. Removed PCS Checklist
 - B. Removed virtual delivery of service for PCS
- IV. Updated Legally Responsible Individuals language
- V. Updated Point in Time Served
- VI. Updated Unduplicated Count
- VII. The State has increased rates approved by the Legislature.
- VIII. Cleaned up language in the Service Plan Development process

The proposed effective date for the Technology Assisted waiver amendment is May 1, 2026.

The Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services is seeking public comments from January 15, 2026 through February 21, 2026 on the proposed amendment.

The proposed amendment is posted on the KDADS website at www.kdads.ks.gov (under the Long-Term Services & Supports page and then Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Programs) or may be requested:

By e-mail:

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services
kdads.hcbs-ks@ks.gov

By standard mail:

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services
Attn: HCBS Programs
503 S. Kansas Avenue
Topeka, KS 66603

Draft copies of the proposed amendment may also be found at Local Health Departments (LHD).

Comments may be made in any one of the following ways:

Online (KDADS website):

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