Waiver and Medicaid Services Guide
A Guide for Individuals and Families Served by DCBDD

Waiver Services
All waiver services must be provided by a DODD-certified provider and authorized by DCBDD. To search for a provider visit: www.dcbdd.org → Providers → Find a Provider or www.DODD.ohio.gov


Home Health Services (Medicaid State Plan)
All home health services may occur where typical life activities take place and are not intended for respite – primary caregiver must be present during the service.

Home Health Aide and Nursing Services
Up to 14 hours per week; up to 8 hours per day; up to 4-hour sessions w/ a 2-hour break between shifts

Home Health Therapies
As prescribed by physician

Increased Home Health
As prescribed by physician, based on medical necessity, can be provided in excess of 14 hours per week; subject to other guidelines. Separate authorization processes exist for adults and children.

Medicaid State Plan (Card) Services
All services must be provided by a certified Medicaid provider. To search for a provider visit: http://medicaid.ohio.gov/ For Ohioans → Already Covered → Find a Medical Provider → Search Provider Directory

Payer of Last Resort
Medicaid may reimburse after private insurance is exhausted. Check with your provider for details.

Therapies
Provided in a clinic, hospital, or physician’s office. Speech, Occupational, and Physical Therapies: Up to 30 visits per year for each therapy

Other Services
Physician Services, Vision Services, Dental Services, Psychological Services, Prescriptions, Durable Medical Equipment

Medical Transportation
Contact your JFS caseworker for details

Private Duty Nursing
(Authorized by the Ohio Department of DD)

Locally-Funded Services
All services must be provided by a DCBDD Contracted Provider and authorized by a DCBDD SSA.

Local County Funding
Limited local funding available, for non-Medicaid and non-waiver funded supports

Behavior Supports
Assessment, Plans, Training, On-going Support (authorization based on assessed need)

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