

## **Second Public Notice for Transition Plan**

Information about the Public Notice and comment time period were published to the WVDHHR, Bureau for Medical Services Public Notice page

<http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/Public%20Notices/Pages/default.aspx>.

The URL for the public notice was: <http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/Public%20Notices/Pages/WV-Home-and-Community-Based-Services-State-wide-Transition-Plan-Available-for-Public-Comment-until-July-13,-2016.-.aspx>. The public notice language is below

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Under the provisions of Title 42, Section 431.408, Code of Federal Regulations, public notice is hereby given to the submission of public comment for the WV Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) State-wide Transition Plan (STP) for Integrated Settings which includes the Aged and Disabled (ADW), the Intellectual/Developmental Disability (IDDW) and Traumatic Brain Injury (TBIW) Waivers, effective June 13, 2016. The development and implementation of a HCBS State-wide Transition Plan is a requirement from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid, the federal agency within the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

Based upon the State's assessment of the HBCS settings of the WV ADW and TBIW, services are rendered into people who reside in private home dwellings located in the community and receive services in their homes or in the local public community. These waiver programs do not provide services to people in residential or non-residential settings that include congregate living facilities, institutional settings or on the grounds of institutions. This information was obtained through a survey of all certified ADW and TBIW providers. IDDW providers have also been surveyed and it has been determined that some people served by this program through residential or non-residential settings may be receiving services in congregate living facilities or in settings that may be institutional in nature. The State Transition Plan can be located for viewing at:

<http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/Pages/default.aspx>

A public hearing regarding the contents of this notification will be held on Wednesday, June 22, 2016 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the WV Bureau of Senior Services, 3rd floor Charleston Town Center, Charleston, WV.

Written comments will be received by the HCBS Unit, WVDHHR Bureau for Medical Services, 350 Capitol Street, Room 251, Charleston, WV 25301 or by email at: [wvwaivertransitions@wv.gov](mailto:wvwaivertransitions@wv.gov) until 5 pm on July 13, 2016.

The public notice is available for review at:

<http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/Public%20Notices/Pages/default.aspx>. After the 30-day public comment

period has closed and the comments are reviewed, the comments will be posted at:  
<http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/Programs/WaiverPrograms/Pages/default.aspx>.

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WV Waiver State-wide and Individual Transition Plan

Contact BMS at 304-558-1700

The above Public Notice was also placed in Charleston Gazette-Mail, Statewide newspaper, on April 13, 2016. A copy of the actual newspaper clipping is on file in the Bureau for Medical Services