

What to expect regarding the new waiting list rule

If you were on the Waiting List under the old rule, you are now on a Transitional Waiting List until an assessment is completed



We will use a new objective statewide Waiting List Assessment Tool to determine if there is:

- Immediate Need – a situation that creates a risk of substantial harm to an individual, caregiver, or another person if action is not taken within **30 calendar days** to reduce the risk
- Current Need – an unmet need for services, as determined by a county board, if action is not taken within **12 months**; this includes a risk of substantial harm
- Neither an Immediate or Current Need – person will not be placed on the new waiting list



The outcome of the assessment will be made available to you in writing



You will be provided with resources that will assist you in understanding the results of the assessment

In the event you disagree with the outcome of your assessment, you have the right to appeal



You will be provided information on your right to Due Process



If your needs change and you require a new assessment please contact
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The new Waiting List Rule is effective September 1, 2018