

Community Supports: Nursing Facility Transition or Diversion Information and Referral Form



This referral form is required for authorization of services

Community Supports (CS) are services that are flexible, wrap-around supports designed to fill medical and socially determined health gaps. The services are provided as a substitute or to avoid utilization of other services such as hospital or skilled nursing facility admissions, discharge delays, or emergency department use.

Community Transition Services/Nursing Facility Transition to a Home and Nursing Facility Transition/Diversion to Assisted Living Facilities, such as Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly (RCFE) and Adult Residential Facilities (ARF), assist members who have been in nursing homes or medical respites for over 60 days in returning to their homes or home-like community setting instead of staying in institutional care. These programs facilitate the transition from nursing facilities to community settings.

Transition/ Diversion Community Supports are accessible to members who fulfill specific criteria. Each option may have its own set of requirements. Please ensure member meets all criteria before submitting this referral form.

CONSENT



Member Consent: *Member Consenting to Community Supports Service:* YES NO

Authorized Representative Name: _____ Relation: _____

Reason Member unable to consent: _____

If NO, please stop and do not continue

MEMBER INFORMATION

Member Name: _____ Medi-Cal # CIN (9 digits/letter): _____

DOB: _____ Phone Number: _____ Preferred Language: _____

Current Living Situation: _____

Address: _____

REFERRER INFORMATION

Referrer Name: _____ Referrer Phone Number: _____

Referrer Email: _____ Agency: _____

Agency Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Referrer Signature: _____ Date: _____

PROGRAM SELECTION

Which Transition or Diversion option(s) should the member receive? (Select one)

Nursing Facility Transition/Diversion to RCFE: Transition Diversion

Nursing Facility Transition to a Home

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA		
Community Supports Criteria:	Yes	No
1. Nursing Facility Transition to RCFE		
1a. Has member resided in a skilled nursing facility for 60 days or more?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1b. Is member willing to live in an RCFE instead of a skilled nursing facility?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
1c. Does member have consistent income to cover such expense? <i>Members are responsible for paying their own living expenses, which includes payment for room and board.</i>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. Diversion from Nursing Facility to RCFE		
2a. Is member currently receiving medically necessary nursing facility level of care services or meet the minimum criteria for nursing facility level of care? <i>Nursing facility level of care criteria can be found in Chapter 7.0 of the Manual of Criteria for Medi-Cal Authorization¹</i>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2b. Does member have the desire and ability to safely remain in the community with appropriate services?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. Nursing Facility Transition to Home		
3a. Has member resided in a skilled nursing facility for 60 days or more?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3b. Is member willing to move back to the community?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3c. Is member able to safely reside in the community with appropriate supports?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3d. Is member currently receiving medically necessary nursing facility level of care services or meet the minimum criteria for nursing facility level of care? <i>Nursing facility level of care criteria can be found in Chapter 7.0 of the Manual of Criteria for Medi-Cal Authorization¹</i>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3e. Does member have a home in the community to move back to?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

If not submitted via Provider Portal, you may fax this form to: (805) 681-3039 or send via the secure link

Secure Link: <https://gateway.cencalhealth.org/form/cs>

For any questions, please call the Community Supports Unit at (805) 562-1698