

As of January 1, 2021, providers delivering certain in-home services to participants in five of Kentucky's six 1915(c) Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) waivers are required to use electronic visit verification or EVV. The affected waivers are:

- Acquired Brain Injury (ABI)
- Acquired Brain Injury Long Term Care (ABI LTC)
- Home and Community Based (HCB)
- Michelle P. Waiver (MPW)
- Supports for Community Living (SCL)

EVV is an application used to collect information about in-home service delivery including the type, location, date, and start and end time of the service, the name of the individual delivering the service, and the name of the individual receiving the service.

A listing of affected services by waiver is below. In August 2023, Netsmart switched from using waiver descriptions for each code to the industry standard short and long descriptions. The listing includes the service, the code, and the industry standard short and long descriptions of each code.

Additional information about EVV is available on the Department for Medicaid Services' (DMS) EVV website at <a href="https://bit.ly/kywaiverEVVinfo">https://bit.ly/kywaiverEVVinfo</a>. DMS encourages affected providers to subscribe to email updates. Subscription information is available at <a href="https://bit.ly/getkywaiverupdates">https://bit.ly/getkywaiverupdates</a>.

ABI services requiring use of EVV					
Service	Service Code(s)	Industry Short Description	Industry Long Description		
Companion – Traditional and PDS**	S5135 S5135 HI	Adult companioncare per 15m	Companion care, adult (e.g., iadl/adl); per 15 minutes		
Personal Care – Traditional and PDS**	97535 97535 HI	Self Care Mngment Training	Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL) and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact, each 15 minutes		
Respite – Traditional* and PDS**	T1005 T1005 HI	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes		



ABI LTC services requiring use of EVV				
Service	Service Code(s)	Industry Short Description	Industry Long Description	
Community Living Supports – Traditional and PDS**	97535 9753 HI	Self Care Mngment Training	Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL) and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact, each 15 minutes	
Community Living Supports – Traditional	589	Home Health - Other Visits	Other Health Home Visits	
Respite – Traditional* and PDS**	T1005	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes	
Respite – Traditional	660	Respite Care	Respite Care – General Classification	



HCB services requiring use of EVV			
Service	Service Code(s)	Industry Short Description	Industry Long Description
Attendant Care – Traditional and PDS**	S5108 S5108 HI	Homecare train pt 15 min	Home care training to home care client, per 15 minutes
Attendant Care – Traditional	580	Home Health Other Visits	Home Health Other Visits General Classification
Non-Specialized Respite - PDS	T1005 HI	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes
Specialized Respite – Level I*	T1005	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes
Specialized Respite – Level I*	662	Respite Care - Hourly Charge - Aide/Homemaker/Companion	Respite Care - Hourly Charge -Aide/Homemaker/Companion
Specialized Respite – Level II*	T1005 U1	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes
Specialized Respite – Level II*	660	Respite Care	Respite Care - General Classification



MPW services requiring use of EVV			
Service	Service Code(s)	Industry Short Description	Industry Long Description
Attendant Care – Traditional and PDS**	S5125 S5125 HI	Attendant care service /15m	Attendant care services; per 15 minutes
Attendant Care – Traditional	580	Home Health Other Visits	Home Health Other Visits General Classification
Community Living Supports – Traditional and PDS**	97535 97535 HI	Self Care Mngment Training	Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL) and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact, each 15 minutes
Community Living Supports – Traditional	589	Home Health - Other Visits	Other Health Home Visits
Homemaker – Traditional and PDS**	S5130 S5130 HI	Homaker service nos per 15m	Homemaker service, nos; per 15 minutes
Homemaker – Traditional	582	Home Health Other Visits - Hour	Home Health Other Visits Hourly Charge
Personal Care – Traditional and PDS**	T1019 T1019 HI	Personal care ser per 15 min	Personal care services, per 15 minutes, not for an inpatient or resident of a hospital, nursing facility, icf/mr or imd, part of the individualized plan of treatment (code may not be used to identify services



			provided by home health aide or certified nurse assistant)
Personal Care – Traditional	581	Home Health Other Visits - Visit	Home Health Other Visits Visit Charge
Respite – Traditional* and PDS**	T1005 T1005 – HI	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes
Respite –Traditional*	660	Respite Care	Respite Care - General Classification



SCL services requiring use of EVV			
Service	Service Code(s)	Industry Short Description	Industry Long Description
Personal Assistance – Traditional and PDS**	T1019 T1019 U2 T1019 HI T1019 HI U2	Personal care ser per 15 min	Personal care services, per 15 minutes, not for an inpatient or resident of a hospital, nursing facility, icf/mr or imd, part of the individualized plan of treatment (code may not be used to identify services provided by home health aide or certified nurse assistant)
Respite – Traditional* and PDS**	T1005 T1005 U2 T1005 HI T1005 HI U2	Respite care service 15 min	Respite care services, up to 15 minutes

<sup>\*</sup>Use of EVV is not required for Respite and Specialized Respite provided in congregate settings such as an adult day health care or residential facility.

<sup>\*\*</sup>PDS services use the service code with the HI modifier.