#### **Other Resources**



### Brain Injury Association of Kentucky

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## Acquired Brain Injury Long Term Care Medicaid Waiver Program Covered Services

- Monthly support coordination
- Community Living Supports
- Respite Care Service
- Adult Day Health Care
- Adult Day Training
- Supported Employment
- Behavior Programming
- Psychological Rehab
- Group Counseling
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- Specialized medical equipment and supplies
- Environmental modifications
- Nursing Supports
- Family Training
- Physical Therapy
- Substance Abuse Counseling
- Supervised Residential Care

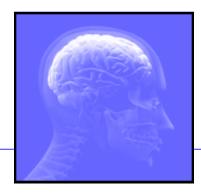


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# Acquired Brain Injury Long Term Care Medicaid Waiver Program



A Community-Based Program providing Long-Term Support for Persons with Acquired Brain Injury

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Acquired Brain Injury Long Term Care (ABI LTC) Medicaid Waiver Program

#### **Community Living**

The ABI Long Term Care (ABI LTC) waiver provides an alternative to institutional care for individuals that have reached a plateau in their rehabilitation level and require maintenance services to avoid institutionalization and to live safely in their community.

#### **The Purpose**

The ABI Long Term Care waiver completes the continuum of care by complementing Kentucky's Acute Brain Injury Waiver program, which focuses on intensive rehabilitation services to persons with acquired brain injury. The ABI LTC waiver program also provides the option for consumer-directed services (CDO).

#### What is an Acquired Brain Injury?

The definition of Acquired Brain Injury is a structural injury to the brain which is <u>not</u> hereditary, congenital or degenerative.

Acquired Brain Injury **includes:** central nervous system injury from physical traumas, from anoxia or hypoxic episodes, allergic conditions, toxic substances, and other acute medical/ clinical incidents.

#### Who is Eligible?

Kentucky residents who:

- ◆ Are 18 years of age or older;
- Meet nursing facility level of care;
- Have a primary diagnosis of an acquired brain injury which necessitates supervision, rehabilitative services and long term supports; and
- Are Medicaid eligible.



#### **Waiver Exclusions**

- A stroke treatable in a nursing facility providing routine rehabilitation services;
- A spinal cord injury for which there is no known or obvious injury to the intra-cranial central nervous system;
- Progressive dementia or another condition related to mental impairment that is of a chronic degenerative nature, including senile dementia, organic brain disorder, Alzheimer's Disease, alcoholism or another addiction:
- A depression or a psychiatric disorder in which there is no known or obvious central nervous system damage;
- A birth defect;
- Intellectual disability without an etiology to an acquired brain injury;
- A condition which causes an individual to pose a level of danger or an aggression which is unable to be managed and treated in a community.