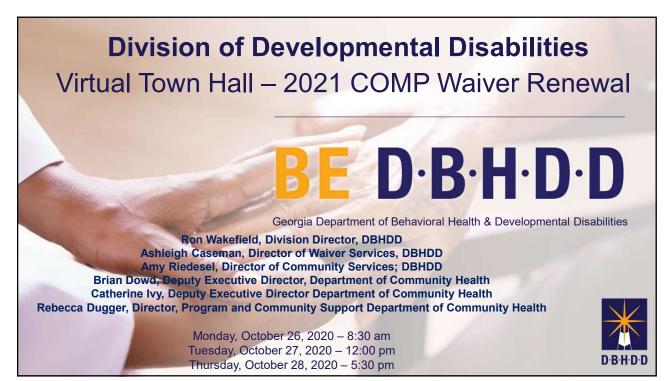
	BE D·B·H·D·D
	BE COMPASSIONATE
	BE PREPARED
	BE RESPECTFUL
	BE PROFESSIONAL
	BE CARING
	BE EXCEPTIONAL
	BE INSPIRED
D·B·H·D·D	BE ENGAGED
Π.Β.Π . Π . Π	BE ACCOUNTABLE
	BE INFORMED
Georgia Department of Behavioral Health	BE FLEXIBLE
& Developmental	BE HOPEFUL
Disabilities	BE CONNECTED
	BE DBHDD



DBHDD MISSION



3

The mission of DBHDD:
 Leading an accountable and effective continuum of care to support Georgians with behavioral health challenges, and intellectual and developmental disabilities in a dynamic health care environment.

DCH MISSION

Georgia Department of Community Health

> The mission of the Georgia Department of Community Health is to provide access to affordable, quality health care to Georgians through effective planning, purchasing, and oversight.

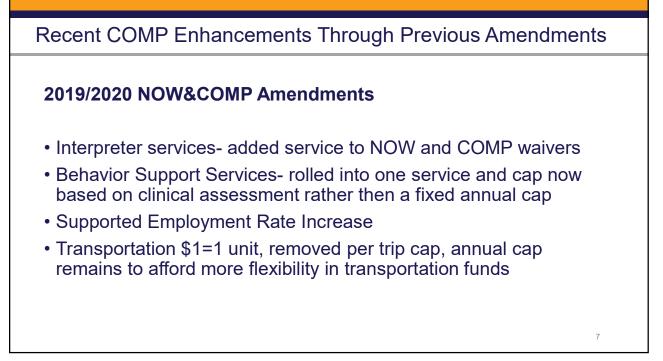
Today's Discussion

- Discuss the two Medicaid waiver programs designed for individuals with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities New Options Waiver (NOW) and Comprehensive Supports Waiver (COMP)
- Discuss upcoming COMP Waiver program renewal
 - Services that will continue
 - New services
 - Adjustments to existing services

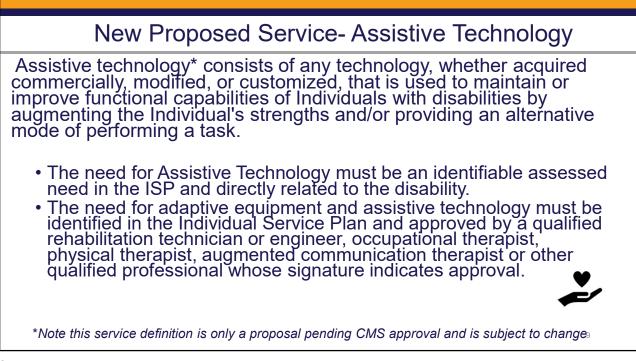
DBHDD&DCH looking for YOUR feedback!

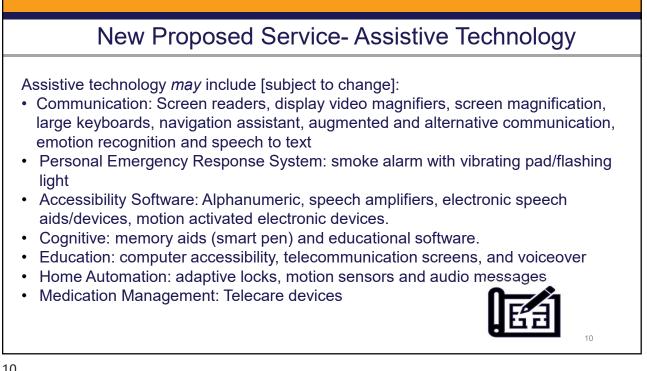
What is working well and what are areas for improvements in preparation for the federal application to renew the COMP waiver program by Spring 2021.



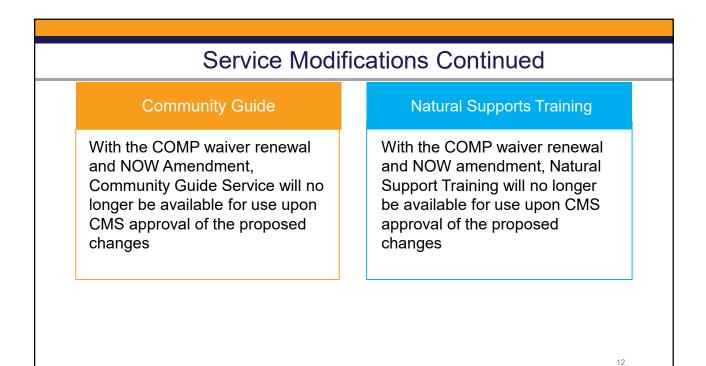


2021 COMP R	ENEWAL- Tele	ehealth Propos	ed Changes
Telehealth Option for Adult Speech & Language Therapy (some exceptions)	Telehealth Option for Adult Occupational Therapy	Telehealth Option for Adult Physical Therapy	Telehealth Option for Nutrition Services
Telehealth Option for Behavior Support Services (some exceptions)	Telehealth Option for Interpreter Services	Telehealth Option for Supported Employment Services (some exceptions)	Note: These are proposed changes by DBHDD&DCH that require approval by CMS





Service Modifications		
Community Living Support Services	Additional Staffing Services* & Nursing Services in CLS Settings	
 Community Living Support services are individually tailored supportive tasks that facilitate an individual's independence and promote integration into the community. 	 Modifications to Additional Staffing in CLS setting- proposing daily limits of up to 6 hours daily of Additional Staffing services in CLS Settings. 	
 Community Living Support services is available for individuals who spend periods of time throughout the day with unpaid unsupervised supports and services. 	 Modifications to Skilled Nursing Services- proposing daily limits of up to 16 hours daily in CLS Settings. 	



Service Modifications Continued- Participant Directed

PD Supported Employment

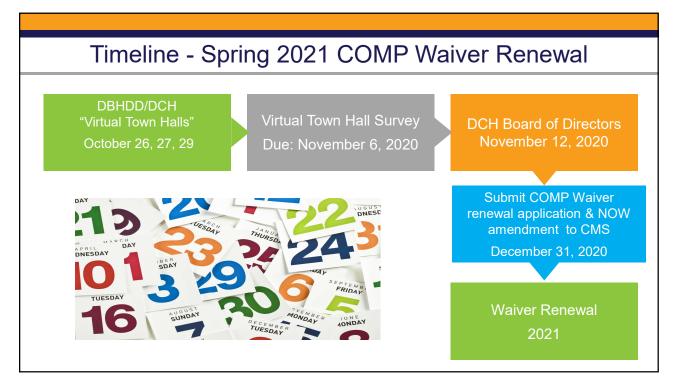
With the COMP waiver renewal and the NOW amendment, Supported Employment remains a service available to individuals, but individuals will no longer be able to PD this service.

PD Behavioral Support Services

With the COMP waiver renewal and NOW amendment, individuals will no longer be able to self-direct this service.

This service must be provided by licensed and certified staff

13



We Value Your Feedback!

Describe what is working well in the NOW&COMP waiver services for you as an individual receiving services, family member, advocate or provider.

Describe opportunities for improvement in NOW&COMP waiver services or other factors DBHDD/DCH should consider in the COMP waiver renewal process.

Public Survey Opportunity

https://www.surveymonkey. com/r/DD_Virtual_Town_Hal I_2020

15

COMPLETE THE SURVEY BY 11/6/2020

