Personal care services for adult Vermonters.

Eligibility:

- Vermont resident
- Adult 18 years or older
- Medicaid Eligible
- Have a permanent and severe disability
- Need attendant services for at least two activities of daily living
- Be capable of directing his or her attendant care services

Services:

- Attendant Services (personal care)
- Payroll Services (through ARIS)

Application Process:

- 1. Complete and send application to the Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living (DAIL).
- 2. DAIL staff contacts the individual and completes a phone screening and verifies Medicaid coverage.
- 3. If no Medicaid coverage, the individual is instructed to apply for Community Medicaid through the Department for Children and Families or Choices for Care (CFC).
- 4. A DAIL nurse assessor completes an assessment with the applicant. This includes a recommendation for number of hours based on the assessment and needs identified by the applicant.
- 5. An award letter is sent to the applicant.
- 6. The individual and their employees enroll with ARIS for all payroll functions.
- 7. Employees can begin work when all ARIS employer and employee forms are complete and the employee's background check comes back clear.
- 8. An annual assessment and review is completed.

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