

**Maryland Medicaid Advisory Committee Monthly Waiver Reports
January 2022**

WAIVER AMENDMENTS	PURPOSE	COMMENTS
Appendix K (All waivers)	<p>This standalone appendix may be utilized by the state during emergency situations to request amendment to its approved waiver. It includes actions that states can take under the existing Section 1915(c) home and community-based waiver authority in order to respond to an emergency.</p> <p>All waivers have an approved Appendix K based on needs created during the COVID-19 pandemic.</p>	12/17/21 - CMS approved the additive Appendix K to account for one-time rate increases in accordance with the eFMAP authorized through the American Rescue Plan Act.

1915(c) WAIVER NAME	EXPIRATION DATE	RENEWAL DUE DATE	RENEWAL STATUS
Brain Injury	06/30/2021	04/01/2021	Approved Effective July 1, 2021
Home & Community Based Options	06/30/2021	04/01/2021	CMS approved a temporary extension to 03/31/22 to account for other contractual considerations.
Medical Day Care Services	06/30/2021	04/01/2021	OLTSS has requested a 2 nd temporary extension to 3/31/21 to allow sufficient time to answer further questions CMS has about specific waiver details.

1915(c) WAIVER NAME	372 Due Date	372 SUBMITTED	372 APPROVED BY CMS
Family Supports, Community Supports, Model Waiver for Fragile Children, Community Pathways, Waiver for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder, Brain Injury, Home & Community Based Options, and Medical Day Care Services	12/31/2021	All eight 372 reports were submitted to CMS by 12/29/21.	OLTSS awaiting approval.

1915(c) WAIVER NAME	EBR Due	EBR SUBMITTED
Model Waiver for Fragile Children	10/01/2021	<p>Evidence based report was submitted to CMS on September 28, 2021.</p> <p>15-day call is delayed and will be scheduled based on CMS readiness.</p>
Community Pathways	10/01/2021	<p>Evidence based report was submitted to CMS on September 28, 2021.</p> <p>15-day call is delayed and will be scheduled based on CMS readiness.</p>

As of 1/12/22, 104 of the 111 Adult Medical Day Care waiver providers are open. The 7 that have remained closed or non-responsive are being contacted by the Office of Health Care Quality for further information.