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DDSD COVID-19 Response Memo #12

From: Jason Cornwell, Acting DOH Deputy Secretary  
To: All DDSD Waiver Providers and Stakeholders:



As we grapple with the COVID-19 pandemic, I would like to continue to communicate the most recent response plans that impact recipients of the DD Waiver, Mi Via Waiver, and Medically Fragile Waiver and Stakeholders:

1. Resource Website: <https://nmhealth.org/about/ddsd/diro/ddcv/>
2. Should I be Tested? <https://cv.nmhealth.org/should-i-get-tested/>
3. Test Portal: <https://cvresults.nmhealth.org/>
4. HSD Portal Page: <https://nmmedicaid.portal.conduent.com/static/covid.htm>
5. Attached is a memo providing guidance for Community Direct Support, Customized Community Group Support, and Employment Support services for Mi Via Waiver Retainer Payments. If you have questions regarding this document, please contact Jennifer Rodriguez, Community Programs Bureau Chief at [jennifer.rodriguez@state.m.us](mailto:jennifer.rodriguez@state.m.us)
6. Attached is a memo providing guidance for participant and/or guardian signatures on Home and Community Based Services required forms and documents. If you have questions regarding this document, please contact the following DDSD employees:
  - **DD Waiver:** Marie Velasco, DD Waiver Program Manager at [marie.velasco@state.nm.us](mailto:marie.velasco@state.nm.us)
  - **Mi Via Waiver:** Jennifer Rodriguez, Community Programs Bureau Chief at [jennifer.rodriguez@state.m.us](mailto:jennifer.rodriguez@state.m.us)
  - **Medically Fragile Waiver:** Iris Clevenger, Medically Fragile Waiver Program Manager at [iris.clevenger@state.nm.us](mailto:iris.clevenger@state.nm.us)

Lastly, should stakeholders have specific questions, concerns, and/or scenarios, please contact your Regional Director. The COVID 19 situation is fluid and will evolve; additional guidance will be provided accordingly.