Integrating Behavioral Health and Housing Supports: CCBHC and Medicaid Housing-Related Services Crosswalk

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Overview

Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHCs) are designed to deliver comprehensive, community-based mental health and substance use services, with a strong emphasis on care coordination, accessibility, and engagement beyond the clinic walls. As the affordable housing crisis has deepened, many behavioral health agencies have expanded their efforts to include housing and homelessness support.

The 2023 CCBHC Certification Criteria encourages partnerships with agencies that offer housing and homelessness services when those service participants have behavioral health needs.¹ The criteria also require CCBHCs to offer care coordination services in a variety of settings where people with behavioral health needs are found. Still, financing and infrastructure for these services often fall short of demand, limiting their scalability and sustainability.

States that have adopted CCBHCs as part of their Medicaid State Plan and those that offer housing-related services (HRS) through Medicaid present a unique opportunity for alignment. By integrating these two Medicaid-funded strategies, states can build more sustainable, cross-sector approaches to supportive housing for individuals with behavioral health needs.

This document provides a crosswalk of current state-level activity related to CCBHC implementation and Medicaid coverage of HRS. It outlines where each state stands in advancing these initiatives, identifying overlaps and gaps. Blank fields indicate states that either do not offer HRS through Medicaid or have not made significant progress in implementing CCBHCs within their Medicaid programs.

This crosswalk is intended to inform planning, foster collaboration, and highlight opportunities for more coordinated behavioral health and housing systems across the country.

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Summary of State Activity

State	Housing Program Name	Medicaid Authority	Target Population Includes Behavioral Health (BH)	Housing Program Status	Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) Status	Overlap
Alabama						
Alaska					Awarded 2024 state planning grant	
Arizona	Housing and Health Opportunities (H2O)	1115 waiver	Yes	Operating Waiver approved (Oct. 14, 2022) H2O — Solari Community Support Network	No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Arkansas	Arkansas Health and Opportunity for Me (ARHOME)	1115 waiver			No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
California	Cal AIM	1115 waiver and 1915(b) State Plan Amendment (SPA)	Not specified	Operating Waiver approved with Jan. 1, 2022, start date	 Received planning grant in 2016 Challenges in establishing Medicaid due to the county-based BH system 	

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Colorado					Awarded state planning grant in 2024	
Connecticut	Connecticut Housing Engagement and Support Services (CHESS) Initiative	1915(i) SPA	Not specified	Operating Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)-approved SPA	 Received planning grant in 2016 Awarded 2024 state planning grant 	
Delaware					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
District of Columbia	Housing Supportive Services (Department of Human Services)	1915(i) SPA	Not Specified	Operating SPA approved March 25, 2022	No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Florida	Housing Assistance Waiver Pilot program expanding to additional U.S. Department of Health and Human Services regions.	1115 waiver amendment	SMI	Operating New waiver amendment approved Jan. 31, 2025	CCBHC SPA	

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Georgia					SPA approved; will go live on July 1, 2026	
Hawaii	Medicaid Community Integration Services (CIS)	1115 waiver	Yes	Operating New waiver approved Jan. 8, 2025	Awarded state planning grant	
Idaho					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Illinois	Healthcare Transformation	1115 waiver	Yes	State planning post-waiver approval Waiver approved July 2, 2024	CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	
Indiana					CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	
Iowa					CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	

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Kansas					 Implemented CCBHC through an SPA. CCBHC Demonstration State 2024 	
Kentucky	1915(i) RISE Initiative	1915(i)	Yes	Planning post-CMS approval SPA approved March 27, 2025	CCBHC Demonstration State 2021	
Louisiana	Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) Initiative	State plan services	People with serious mental illness (SMI) are a priority population.	Operating <u>State PSH Website</u>	Awarded state planning grant in 2024	
Maine					CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	

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Maryland	Assistance in Community Integration Pilot (ACIS)	1115 waiver	Not specified	Operating Waiver approved Jan. 17, 2025	Awarded state planning grant in 2024	
	Community Supports Program for Homeless Individuals	1115 waiver	One of many priority populations	Operating Waiver approved Jan. 15, 2025	No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Michigan	Community support services, including housing assistance	1915(i) SPA	Yes	Operating CMS approved 1915(i) SPA approved Sept. 27, 2019	Joined the demonstration in 2021	State with both housing benefit and CCBHC in Medicaid
Minnesota	Housing Stabilization Services	1915(i) SPA	Not specified	Terminated, as of Aug. 1, 2025	 Joined the demonstration in 2017 Approved SPA in 2020 	

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Mississippi					Awarded state planning grant in 2024	
Missouri					 Joined the demonstration in 2017 Approved SPA in 2019 Currently statewide coverage 	
Montana	Healing and Ending Addiction Through Recovery and Treatment Demonstration (HEART) waiver, including tenancy support services	1115 waiver	Yes	State planning post-CMS approval Waiver amendment, including tenancy support services, approved Feb. 26, 2024	Received planning grant in 2023	
Nebraska					No stated plans for CCBHC in Medicaid	

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Nevada	Housing Supports and Services	1915(b)	Yes, one of the priority populations	State planning post-CMS approval. Managed care currently operates only in Clark and Washoe Counties, but has begun expanding to rural counties in 2025.	 Joined the CCBHC Demonstration in 2017 Approved SPA in 2019 Left the CCBHC Demonstration in 2023 	
New Hampshire	Housing Stabilization Services	1915(i) SPA	Not specified	State planning post CMS approval	CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	
New Jersey	NJ FamilyCare Housing Supports Program — Camden Coalition	1115 waiver	Not specified	State planning post-CMS approval Waiver approved on Oct. 02, 2012.	 Joined the CCBHC Demonstration in 2017 Developing SPA for CCBHC 	

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New Mexico	Linkages Supportive Housing Programs	1115 waiver	Yes	 Operating The program is called <u>Linkages</u>. New waivers expand slots to 450 a year. 	 Received planning grant in 2023 CCBHC demonstration state 2024 	
New York	New York Medicaid Redesign, including Social Care Networks, which offers health-related social needs services	1115 waiver	Not specified	State planning post-CMS approval Social Care Networks	Joined the demonstration in 2017	
North Carolina	Healthy Opportunities Pilot	1115 waiver	Yes	Operating Healthy Opportunities Pilot Most recent waiver approved Dec. 10, 2024	Received planning grant in 2023	

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North Dakota	Housing Support Services	1915(i) SPA	Yes	Operating The state has an approved 1915(i) SPA	Awarded state planning grant in 2024	
Ohio					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Oklahoma					 Joined the CCBHC Demonstration in 2017 Approved SPA in 2019 Currently statewide coverage 	
Oregon	Health-related Social Needs Services Including Housing- Related Services	1115 waiver	Yes	Operating Waiver approved Sept. 28, 2022	 Joined the demonstration in 2017 Submitted CCBHC SPA in early May 2025 	State with both housing benefit and CCBHC in Medicaid

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Pennsylvania	Tenancy Support Services	1115 waiver	Yes	State Planning post-CMS approval Waiver approved Dec. 26, 2024	 Joined the demonstration in 2017 Left the demonstration in 2019 Built the Integrated Community Wellness Center (ICWC) program 	
Rhode Island	Home Stabilization Services	1115 waiver	Yes	Operating Demonstration waiver expired June 30, 2025	CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	
South Carolina					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
South Dakota					Awarded state planning grant in 2024	

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Tennessee					Applied for 2024 state planning grant	
Texas	Adult Mental Health	1915(i) SPA	People with SMI	Operating CMS approved SPA on August 13, 2025	Implemented the CCBHC-like program in 2019 through directed payment in Medicaid	It could be an interesting place to look at the interplay between CCBHCs and housing
Utah	Housing Related Services and Supports	1115 waiver	Not specified	Operating Waiver amendment approved Jan. 1, 2025, through June 30, 2027	Awarded state planning grant in 2024	

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Vermont	Supportive Housing Assistance Pilot Program	1115 waiver	Not specified	Operating The state's 1115 waiver was approved. Vermont Medicaid Permanent Supportive Housing Assistance Program (PSHA)	CCBHC Demonstration State 2024	
Virginia					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	
Washington	Foundational Community Supports for Supportive Housing and Supportive Employment Services.	1115 waiver	Not specified	Operating Waiver approved June 30, 2023	Awarded state planning grant in 2024	

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West Virginia	Behavioral Health Continuum of Care	1115 waiver	Yes	State planning post-CMS approval Waiver approved Dec. 11, 2024	SPA for the CCBHC Rehab option was approved	
Wisconsin	Housing Support Services	1915(i) SPA	Medicaid beneficiaries who are in families with children under age 18	 Operating The state has been approved to offer the benefit. Housing Supports Services 	No planning grantsNo stated plans for CCBHC	
Wyoming					No stated plans for CCBHCs in Medicaid	