

Benefits and Personal Care

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Access to Personal Care Services

1. Filling out and turning in an application for Medicaid. Apply online:

https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/community-services-offices/how-apply-services

- 2. A financial review to determine your financial eligibility. If no DDA case manager call 1-800-974-4428
- **3.** A personal care needs assessment to determine your functional eligibility.

Activities of Daily Living

Bathing
Bed Mobility
Dressing
Eating
Locomotion

Toilet Use Transfer Personal Hygiene Med Management Body Care



Instrumental Activities of Daily Living

Meal preparation
Housework
Essential shopping
Wood supply
Travel to medical appointments
Telephone use

What is not covered with Personal Care?

- Childcare
- Yard work
- Skilled nursing services
- Services provided over the phone
- Services to assist other non-eligible household members
- Pet Care
- Managing Finances

What happens now that eligibility is determined?

Select a provider:

- Contracted Homecare Agencies
- Individual Provider



Be sure to sign and return your plan to your case manager!



Questions!

Contact your DDA Case Manager No Case Manager? Call 1-800-974-4428

Thank you for your time

