



Department
of Health

Office of
Health Insurance
Programs

To: Medicaid Managed Care Plans

From: Office of Health Insurance Programs, Division of Health Plan Contracting and Oversight

Re: REVISED Implementation Date for New York Independent Assessor (NYIA) to Conduct Assessments for Personal Care Services (PCS) and Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Services (CDPAS) on an Expedited Basis

Date: June 17, 2022

This guidance provides notification regarding the implementation date for the New York Independent Assessor (NYIA) to begin **conducting assessments for individuals seeking PCS and/or CDPAS on an expedited basis**. This action has been delayed from July 1, 2022, the new implementation date for NYIA to start **conducting for individuals seeking PCS and/or CDPAS on an expedited basis is October 1, 2022**.

All other information contained in the April 28, 2022 guidance, posted [here](#), remains in effect.

Until October 1, 2022, the plan remains responsible for conducting assessments for individuals seeking PCS and/or CDPAS on an expedited basis per processes already in place.

If you have any questions, please contact independent.assessor@health.ny.gov.