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TITLE 403 MEDICAID HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED WAIVER SERVICES
(HCBS) FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

CHAPTER 3 PARTICIPANT SELF-DIRECTION

001. SELF-DIRECTION. A participant may self-direct the following services:

- 1) Adult Companion Service;
- 2) Assistive Technology;
- 3) Consultative Assessment Service;
- 4) Environmental Modification Assessment;
- 5) Habilitative Community Inclusion;
- 6) Home Modification;
- 7) Homemaker Service;
- 8) In-Home Residential Habilitation;
- 9) Prevocational Services;
- 10) Respite;
- 11) Supported Employment – Follow Along;
- 12) Supported Employment – Individual;
- 13) Transitional Services; and
- 14) Transportation Services.

001.02 SELF-DIRECTION RESPONSIBILITIES. A participant who self-directs services must:

- 1) Participate in service planning meetings;
- 2) Express wants, desires, and needs to the Individual Support Planning team, and to providers during service provision;
- 3) Identify services to be self-directed;
- 4) Interview, hire, train, schedule, supervise, and dismiss independent providers and participate in this process when using agency providers;
- 5) Select qualified and eligible service providers;
- 6) Sign an appointment of the Department as agent form when using independent providers, permitting the Department to manage the employment taxes and applicable withholdings on behalf of the participant; and
- 7) Be able to manage providers and self-direct services in a manner necessary for the participant's health, safety or welfare.