



# Choices Home Care Attendant

Available through MyCare Waiver

Choices home care attendant service (CHCAS) is a service designed to provide supportive services specific to the needs of an individual. Individuals direct and manage their own care by hiring, training, and supervising their own home care attendants.

**Specification:** CHCAS can only be provided by an Ohio Department of Aging (ODA)-certified provider. If you are enrolled as an ODA-enrolled provider, you can provide this service under the MyCare Waiver as part of the Ohio Department of Medicaid’s (ODM) self-direction option.



## Services Offered

Medication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Reminders only</li></ul>		
Body Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Bathing</li><li>Dressing</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mobility and transferring</li><li>Grooming</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Toileting</li><li>Eating</li></ul>
Home Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meal preparation</li><li>House cleaning</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Laundry</li><li>Home maintenance</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Chores</li></ul>
Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Correspondence</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Paying bills</li></ul>	
Community Access	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Transportation</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Running errands</li></ul>	



## Requirements

Eligibility	<p>To provide self-directed Choice Home Care Attendant Service for the MyCare waiver, <b>you must:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Be an ODA-certified participant-directed provider (see <a href="#">ODA website</a> for details on applying)</li><li>Complete initial training that the individual determines the provider needs</li><li>On an annual basis following certification, complete eight units of training that the individual determines the provider needs</li></ul>
Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>
Documentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Clinical records per <a href="#">Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5160-44-27 (K)(1)</a></li><li>CHCAS providers on the MyCare waiver only must maintain their own task lists and do not submit them to Financial Management Services (FMS) per <a href="#">OAC 173-39-02.4 (B)(5)</a></li></ul>
Oversight	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Participate in regular structural compliance review per <a href="#">OAC 173-39-04</a></li></ul>



## Relevant Ohio Administrative Codes

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ODM choices home care attendant - <a href="#">OAC Rule 173-39-02.4</a></li><li>Self-direction, and self-directed caregivers - <a href="#">OAC 5160-45-03.2</a></li><li>ODA provider certification – <a href="#">OAC 173-39-02</a></li><li>Incident management — <a href="#">OAC 5160-44-05</a></li></ul>
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