



# Waiver Nursing

Available through Ohio Home Care and MyCare Waivers

Nursing services provided by a Registered Nurse (RN) or Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) under the direction of an RN. These services are delivered to individuals in their homes or community settings as part of a Medicaid waiver program.



## Services Offered

Skilled Nursing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Intravenous (IV) insertion, removal or discontinuation</li><li>Intramuscular injections</li><li>IV medication administration</li><li>Subcutaneous injections*</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Programming of a pump used to deliver medications*</li><li>Insertion or initiation of infusion therapies</li><li>Central line dressing changes</li></ul>	<i>*With the exception of routine doses of insulin</i>
Medication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Reminders</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Organizing</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Administering</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>
Community Access	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Escort / Transportation</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Managing transportation</li></ul>	



## Requirements

Eligibility	<p>To provide waiver nursing services, <b>you must:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Be <a href="#">enrolled with the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM)</a> as a waiver nurse; <b>or</b></li><li>Meet the criteria outlined in rule <a href="#">Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 5160-44-22</a> and have a current, unrestricted nursing license.</li></ul>
Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Obtain and maintain any verbal primary care physician orders, such as prescribed medications and urgent actions required</li></ul>
Documentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Clinical records per <a href="#">OAC 5160-44-22</a> (F)(3)</li><li><a href="#">Nurse Toolkit</a></li></ul>
Oversight	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Registered nurse (RN) supervision: may be via telehealth, unless the individual's needs necessitate in-person oversight</li><li>Participate in annual self-direction reviews with employer and provider oversight entity</li></ul>



## Relevant Ohio Administrative Codes

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ODM waiver nursing - <a href="#">OAC Rule 5160-44-22</a></li><li>Self-direction, and self-directed caregivers - <a href="#">OAC 5160-45-03.2</a></li><li>Conditions of participation - <a href="#">OAC 5160-44-31</a></li><li>Incident management - <a href="#">OAC 5160-44-05</a></li></ul>
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