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Subject: Applying for PHC and DAHS Pending STAR+PLUS Enrollment

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This memorandum applies to the Primary Home Care (PHC) and Title XIX Day Activity and Health Services (DAHS) programs.

The Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS) will no longer enroll individuals in DAHS when they are listed in TIERS as a candidate for STAR+PLUS enrollment. Since there are no immediate or expedited criteria for DAHS enrollment, individuals seeking these services will be available upon enrollment into the STAR+PLUS program. DAHS facility initiated referrals which take place for individuals pending STAR+PLUS enrollment will not be reimbursed by DADS.

Mandatory Star+Plus individuals who are not yet enrolled with an MCO will be referred to the Enrollment Broker. Individuals who are already enrolled with an MCO and request PHC or DAHS from DADS, must be advised to contact their MCO.

DADS will enroll individuals into PHC who meet the PHC immediate or expedited criteria as described in section 2310 of the CCAD CM handbook when they are listed in TIERS as a candidate for STAR+PLUS enrollment.