



Workforce Stabilization Incentive Program Application

The Department of Human Services (DHS) has opened an application to all eligible Medicaid Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) providers to participate in the Workforce Stabilization Provider Incentive Program as detailed in the Arkansas American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Section 9817 HCBS Spending Plan.

The deadline to submit applications is **Friday, March 11, 2022, at 11:59 p.m. CT**. Due to time restrictions related to the ARPA Section 9817 legislation, DHS cannot provide extensions.

Providers that do not apply will **NOT** receive funds from the Workforce Stabilization Provider Incentive Program.

The provider application can be found [here](#).

DHS is holding a Zoom webinar for HCBS providers who bill through the PASSE program. In this webinar, DHS will update you on the guidance that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has given them, as well as how the PASSEs will make pass-through payments for services that fall under the ARPA spending plan.

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Mar 8, 2022 10:00 AM Central Time (US and Canada)
Topic: ARPA PASSE Webinar

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Additional resources about this application are available below.

- [Video explaining the plan and key dates](#)
- [Blank application to review prior to applying online \(PDF\)](#)
- [Downloadable FAQs](#)
- [Workforce Stabilization Provider Incentive Program operations plan](#)
- [Downloadable draft of the current spending plan for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services \(CMS\)](#)
- [Previous Zoom recording from the webinar held on March 2, 2022](#)