

## **DEPARTMENT of SOCIAL SERVICES**

### **Notice of Intent to Amend the Acquired Brain Injury Waiver**

In accordance with the provisions of 42 C.F.R. 441.304(f), notice is hereby given that the Commissioner of the Department of Social Services intends to amend the Acquired Brain Injury Waiver.

The Department received approval from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to operate a second Acquired Brain Injury Waiver (ABI Waiver II) effective 12/1/14. At the time the Department submitted the second waiver for approval, it made clear its intention to close intake on the existing waiver upon approval of Waiver II.

This change will have no impact on current recipients of services under the Acquired Brain Injury Waiver. Services will be maintained for all current recipients, as well as for applicants who have been assigned a vacancy on the waiver. The current individual cost cap of 200% of the assigned institutional level of care will be retained for these individuals.

All written comments, questions, and concerns regarding this amendment may be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice to the Department of Social Services, Alternate Care Unit, 55 Farmington Ave, Hartford, Connecticut, 06105. Attention: Kathy Bruni, Manager; email [kathy.a.bruni@ct.gov](mailto:kathy.a.bruni@ct.gov).