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Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (ICF/IID)



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St. Augustine Center for Living

**ICF/IIDs are community residences
that prepare individuals for transition
into more independent settings.**

"Placement Authorization within 90 days"

Right to Placement

Authorization

The Agency for Persons with Disabilities is required to ensure that all individuals *requesting* ICF/IID placement are authorized for admission to an ICF/IID **within 90 days** (Policy Directive #00-06). Individuals who meet ICF/IID eligibility criteria have the right to be placed in an ICF/IID **while remaining on the** state Home and Community-Based Waiver **wait list**.

Having trouble arranging your placement?

Call 850-877-4816

Frequently Asked Questions



Outside view of a 6 person ICF/IID Facility.

What is an ICF/IID?

ICF/IID's provide active treatment, ongoing evaluation, planning, 24-hour supervision, coordination, and integration of health or rehabilitative services for the mentally retarded

or persons with related conditions. These services occur in a protected residential setting in order to help each individual function at his/her greatest ability. Day program activities are provided by ICF/IIDs on or offsite.

What is Active Treatment? Active treatment is a major component of an ICF/IID program. It means aggressive, consistent implementation of a program of specialized and generic training, treatment, and health services. Active treatment does not include services to maintain generally independent clients who are able to function with little supervision or in the absence of a continuous active treatment program. ICF/IIDs also provide daily free-time to participants.

How are Service Needs Determined in an ICF/IID?



6 person ICF/IID facility.

An interdisciplinary team, including the family and resident, determines each individual resident's needs. The team is a group of professionals, paraprofessionals and non-

professionals who possess the knowledge, skill, and expertise necessary to accurately identify the comprehensive array of the individual's needs and design appropriate services and specialized programs responsive to those needs. Specialists include physicians, psychologists, dieticians, pharmacists, social workers, nurses, and others. The team ensures the ICF/IID meets the needs of your loved one.

How Many Individuals Reside in Each

Type of ICF/IID? ICF/IIDs range in size from 6 to 120 people. There are four types of ICF/IIDs: 1) The most common type are 6 person facilities which are

similar to group homes. 2) Cluster facilities have 8 person units and private rooms. 3) 64 person facilities have four separate units with 16 beds each and they specialize in medical care. 4) Other ICF/IIDs are variations of the prior three facilities ranging in size from 12-110 people and often featuring a campus environment.

What are the Eligibility Criteria for ICF/IID Placement?

An individual must be diagnosed as developmentally disabled (having a disorder or syndrome attributable to mental retardation, cerebral palsy, autism, spina bifida, or Prader-Willi syndrome) and in need of 24 hour supervision, coordination, and integration of health or rehabilitative services.

How is the Cost of Care in an ICF/IID

Funded? The vast majority of individuals residing in ICF/IIDs are funded through the Florida Medicaid program along with personal contributions based on income.

How are ICF/IIDs Regulated?

ICF/IIDs are regulated under chapters 400 and 408



Outside view of a 64 person ICF/IID facility.

Florida Statutes. Each ICF/IID facility is licensed by AHCA and each person's active treatment program must be integrated, coordinated and monitored by a qualified mental retardation professional.