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# Global Commitment Register

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## **Electronic Visit Verification DAIL Home Based Services**

### **Policy Summary:**

The Vermont Medicaid program requires the use of electronic visit verification (EVV) for the delivery of additional home-based services administered by the Department of Aging and Independent Living. This change applies to additional consumer or surrogate-directed, agency-managed, and self-managed home-based personal care services that require EVV data collection. EVV systems must be used to verify data at the time of an in-home visit.

Programs include:

- Developmental Waiver Services
- Family Managed Respite
- Adult Family Care Respite

EVV systems must verify:

- Type of service performed.
- Date of service.
- Time the service starts and ends.
- Location of service delivery (typically using caller-ID or Global Positioning System (GPS)).
- Individual providing the service.
- Individual receiving the service.

The EVV requirement applies to all Medicaid State Plan and Global Commitment 1115 Waiver authorized services that provide in-home assistance with activities of daily living and instrumental activities of daily living. This includes personal care, and personal assistance, as defined in 42 CFR §440.167. EVV is not required for live-in caregivers, or for services delivered outside of the home.

Designated Agencies, Specialized Service Agencies, and ARIS Solutions will be required to gather EVV data for additional in-scope program services effective June 15, 2024. DAIL staff continue to work closely with the agencies and providers to assure readiness to collect and report EVV data for these programs. A claims monitoring and payment recoupment process is under development and will be noticed separately.

### **Effective Date:**

June 15, 2024

**Authority/Legal Basis:**

[Global Commitment to Health Waiver](#)

[Sec. 12006 of the 21st Century CURES Act](#)

**Population Affected:**

Developmental Services program participants

**Fiscal Impact:**

This change is expected to be budget neutral.

**Public Comment Period:**

The public comment period ended June 21, 2024. No comments were received.

**Additional Information:**

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