

HCBS COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

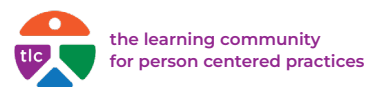


SESSION TOPIC: HCBS Requirement #1
Access to Community

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HCBS QUALITY REQUIREMENT #1: ACCESS TO COMMUNITY

What does Access to Community mean?

This means that people with disabilities have the same opportunity to be an active and included member of their neighborhood and community as someone without disabilities. People should have opportunities to:

- Find competitive employment working alongside people without disabilities.
- Participate in local activities.
- Have services provided in the community just like people without disabilities.

How are you doing?

Does the provider support the person to spend time in places where other people living in your community go? (examples: stores, restaurants, bank, places of worship)

Yes No

Does the provider support the person to do what they want in their community? (examples: go to a gym, visit the library, take a class)

Yes No

Do individuals receive services in the same places as people without disabilities?

Yes No

Does the provider support the person to do as much as they want in the community?

Yes No

If answered “no,” what changes could be made so that people have more chances to be part of the community?

