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## Federal law requires use of EVV system for personal care and home health services

As announced in the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) Bulletin [BT201750](#), dated July 25, 2017, the *21st Century Cures Act* directs state Medicaid programs to require providers of personal care services and home health services to use an electronic visit verification (EVV) system to document services rendered. Use of an EVV system to document personal care services must be implemented by January 1, 2019.

Affected providers may use an EVV system of their choice; however, providers are responsible for ensuring that the system selected complies with federal requirements, including documentation of the following information:

- Type of service performed
- Individual receiving the service
- Date of service (DOS)
- Location of service delivery
- Individual providing the service
- Time the service begins and ends



The IHCP is in the process of developing a federally compliant EVV system for providers that will interface with the State's Medicaid management information system (MMIS). DXC Technology will design the EVV system for implementation effective January 1, 2019. The system will offer aggregator functionality to accept data from other EVV systems that providers may already be using or will opt to use in the future.

Watch for future IHCP publications about EVV system implementation and the availability of related reference materials and trainings on EVV applications.

### QUESTIONS?

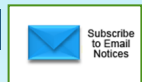
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