

Section 28 Rehabilitative and Community Support Services for Children With Cognitive Impairments and Functional Limitations

Definition- Rehabilitative and Community Services (RCS) is for children or youth up to the age of 21 who have a developmental disability that affects their every day functioning

Eligibility

- The person is under the age of 21.
- Meets both general Maine Care medical and financial eligibility requirements.
- Must have a functional assessment administered within one year of the referral.
- Two standard deviations below the average must be documented on specific state requested evaluation assessments.
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Covered Services Could Include

- Home Support
 - Community Support
 - Work Support
 - Employment Specialist Services
 - Career Planning
 - Home Accessibility Adaptations
 - Assistive Technology

Limitations

- Individuals may not receive services if they are in a residential treatment facility or if they are receiving services in an institution.
- Does not cover services for academics, vocational, recreational or custodial in nature.

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