Cooperative Arrangements with the Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Agency and the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities

The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) has subrecipient relationships with the Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Agency (OOD) and the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD): OOD and DODD are the sub-recipient of funds providing or assisting ODM in providing statewide access for eligible individuals who are covered by the Medicaid program as set forth in Title XIX of the Social Security Act or the State Children’s Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) Medicaid expansion as set forth in Title XXI of the Social Security Act for:

1) Improving competitive integrated employment outcomes for individuals with developmental disabilities;
2) Providing vocational rehabilitation counseling and employment services to working-age adults with developmental disabilities to assist with the transition to competitive, integrated employment;
3) Outlining a collaborative framework for coordinating state and local services and resources; and
4) Providing basic guidance for coordinating plans, policies, and procedures developed to facilitate the prioritization of competitive integrated community employment of individuals with developmental disabilities.

The relationship provides for statewide access to medically necessary covered services comparable in amount, scope and duration, with the exception of PASRR, in accordance with federal compliance requirements including statewidenss, recipient free choice of provider, comparability of services and reasonable promptness.

The relationship is formalized by an Interagency Agreement to implement the provisions of 42 CFR 431, Subpart M, and to authorize the transfer of federal funds between ODM and OOD and DODD for those Medicaid administrative services under CFDA 93.767 and CFDA 93.778.