

90–180-day civil commitment bed

Frequently asked questions

I thought these community beds were the same as the state hospital beds?

- While these beds are intended to provide care for individuals on 90–180-day civil commitment orders, they are not the same as a state hospital bed. There are three (3) facility types

Who is responsible for developing a discharge plan?

- The discharge planning tasks are done by a variety of individuals. Some of the contracted facilities have designated discharge planners, some use on site social workers. Each facility is expected to create a robust discharge plan to ensure the best possible outcome and success of each individual as they transition back into their community.

What Treatment is provided in each facility?

- Each site is encouraged to use a person centered, recovery focused program(s) to ensure a successful transition from inpatient care to the individuals home community. HCA has provided a Toolkit that covers information on evidence based and best and promising practices.

Filing a Cost Report

- Providers have 5-6 months from their FY END date to file Cost Report with CMS and to then forward to HCA. They will send the cost report to HCA MCR Admin HCAMCRAdmin@hca.wa.gov.

Voluntary Stays

- Voluntary stays after an ITA stay are not covered under the 90–180-day civil commitment program. Voluntary stays are covered by the individual's insurer.

Is HCA defined as a Carrier?

- HCA is not a carrier; [WAC 284-170-431](#) does not apply. Review definitions in [WAC 284-170-130 \(14\)](#).

Requesting authorization for inpatient stays outside this program

- Medical Assistance Customer Service Center (MACSC) 800-562-3022 Medicaid Eligibility Determination Services (MEDS) 800-562-3022 or visit [HCA's Medicaid information page](#).