

## Title XIX Skilled Nursing Services

**\*\*Please consult the [Long-Term Care Manual, Chapter 7d, COPES](#) for the most current information related to approving & authorizing skilled nursing services.\*\***

### When to Authorize

Skilled Nursing Skilled Nursing services must be included in the client’s service plan and the skilled tasks must be within the scope of the State’s Nurse Practice Act.

Skilled Nursing services under the waiver differ and are beyond the amount, duration or scope of Medicaid-reimbursed home health services as provided under WAC 182-551-2100 in the State Plan:

- Under the State Plan, skilled nursing is intended for short-term, intermittent treatment of acute conditions or exacerbation of a chronic condition.
- Under the waiver, skilled nursing is used for treatment of chronic, stable, long-term conditions that cannot be delegated, self-directed or provided under State Plan skilled nursing.

### Important Referral & Authorization Information

- Effective 8/1/2024, Skilled Nursing is authorized per quarter hour using service code T1002 for RNs and T1003 for LPNs.
- During the referral & intake process with the provider, the case manager confirms if an RN or LPN will be available to staff their client.
- Once the RN/LPN staffing is confirmed, the case manager opens the authorization using the appropriate service code.

<b>Skilled Nursing Providers</b>		
<i>Provider #</i>	<i>Provider Name</i>	<i>Contact Information</i>
P1# 102088701	<b>Sea Mar Community Health Centers - Home Health</b> 8915 14th Ave S Seattle, WA 98108 *Serves parts of Seattle and King County per nursing availability. No capacity to serve east King County.	Phone: (206) 764-4717 Fax: (206) 764-8072 Intake/Manager: Deb Ned Email: <a href="mailto:Deborahned@seamarchc.org">Deborahned@seamarchc.org</a> <a href="#">Skilled Nursing RN Sea Mar Referral Form</a>  Most nurses are bilingual in English and Spanish.
P1# 200128701	<b>Wesley Homes*</b> 815 S 216th St Des Moines, WA 98198  *Serves clients in these zip codes: 98158, 98168, 98188, 98106, 98126, 98136, 98146, 98178, 98001, 98002, 98092, 98146, 98148, 98166, 98168, 98030, 98031, 98032, 98042, 98038, 98055, 98056, 98057, 98058, 98059*	Phone: (206) 870-1318 Fax: (206) 870-4165 Contact: Tammy Barrier Email: <a href="mailto:tbarrier@wesleyhomes.org">tbarrier@wesleyhomes.org</a>  <a href="#">Skilled Nursing Wesley Homes Referral Form</a>