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To: Individuals and families in HCBS Waiver Services, providers and case management

companies

From: Kelly Mitchell, Director, Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services and Holly Wimsatt,

Director, Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services

**Re:** Waiver redesign update and feedback sessions

**Date:** August 5, 2022

The Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services <u>recently announced</u> pilot project opportunities to explore promising practices and service delivery approaches to enhance homeand community-based waiver services for individuals with intellectual/developmental disabilities. These opportunities will further support and inform DDRS in waiver redesign efforts.

DDRS has scheduled an additional online feedback session on **Aug. 16,2022**, for individuals and families to join to learn more about waiver redesign activities, what efforts have been made, and what ideas from the <u>Initial Concept Paper</u> have been identified for upcoming changes over the course of the next two years. This online meeting will also have time allotted for additional input from individuals and families for their ideas and thoughts about potential pilot projects that would help meet their needs. In addition, DDRS staff will share highlights of <u>The Path Forward</u> – a summary document outlining priority areas for identified upcoming waiver changes.

## Additional virtual opportunity for feedback

Aug. 16, 2022, – 4 -5:30 p.m. EST - Microsoft Live

Please direct any questions and/or feedback to Cathy Robinson at <a href="mailto:Cathy.Robinson@fssa.in.gov">Cathy.Robinson@fssa.in.gov</a>

