

## ***Foundational Community Supports Transition Assistance Program Participant Agreement***

The Transition Assistance Program (TAP) for Foundational Community Supports (FCS) gives you, the FCS supportive housing enrollee, time-limited funding assistance to cover costs tied to your housing treatment plan. Costs linked to your transition will be paid by your FCS supportive housing provider. Then, your FCS supportive housing provider will be reimbursed by Amerigroup Washington, Inc., the program's third-party administrator. All TAP for FCS approvals depend on available program funding.

TAP for FCS offers move-in assistance by paying first and last month's rent, security deposit, and other costs related to getting or keeping affordable housing. TAP for FCS does not pay ongoing rents. Speak with your provider to explore eligibility for longer-term rental subsidies that may be available to you.

All TAP for FCS disbursements are sent to your FCS supportive housing provider and delivered by the provider to recipients, like a landlord, property manager, local retailer, and others. All items purchased with TAP for FCS funding can only be used for their intended purpose.

It is optional to take part in TAP for FCS. If you decide not to take part in the program, you will not be penalized in any way. Nor will you lose the FCS services that you are eligible to receive as an Apple Health recipient.

### **Eligibility and other considerations:**

- 1) To be eligible for TAP for FCS, you need to:
  - Be actively receiving FCS-eligible Apple Health.
  - Be enrolled in FCS supportive housing services.
  - Identify as having a behavioral health need.

TAP for FCS funds will be paid directly to your landlord or another entity giving you housing-related goods or services. You, or your provider, will not receive compensation from the TAP for FCS fund for taking part in the program. Your provider will deliver all TAP for FCS payments directly to the recipient.

**Note:** If you need to sign documents upon payment, consider joining your FCS provider as they deliver TAP for FCS funding.

- 2) TAP for FCS will not affect any requirement or responsibility regarding personal contribution to the cost of Apple Health services.
- 3) This agreement does not give you the right to request an administrative hearing. If funding is not approved or is terminated, you have the right to follow your provider's grievance process. Ask your FCS provider for more information about this process.
- 4) Receiving TAP for FCS funds will not affect your right to request an administrative hearing related to Apple Health programs, including FCS services.

**Review, then sign**

I understand that if I am no longer receiving FCS-eligible Apple Health, I am no longer authorized to receive FCS supportive housing services. Or, if I choose not to participate in TAP for FCS, I will not have access to TAP for FCS funding at this time. I understand that TAP for FCS funding assistance is linked to the eligible FCS supportive housing enrollee. Any co-applicant for an apartment does not have rights to TAP for FCS funding unless they are also eligible to participate in the program.

If moving into a rental unit with TAP for FCS, I understand that my FCS provider will deliver all TAP for FCS payments to the rightful recipient. I, the FCS supportive housing enrollee, am responsible for the entire cost of my housing unless I am approved to receive longer-term rental assistance by another entity. When exiting a unit where TAP for FCS covered deposit costs (security or otherwise), any deposits returned to you, the FCS enrollee, must be used to cover deposit costs for your next rental housing opportunity.

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Enrollee name (print)

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Enrollee signature

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Date

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Legal guardian/Durable Power of Attorney or client representative

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Date

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FCS provider program staff signature

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Date

**Note:** This document should be kept in an enrollee’s file.