

Post Screening Notice

Under the new post screening notice rule effective July 20, 2021, <u>59G-4.193</u> Statewide Medicaid Managed Care Long-term Care Waiver Program Prioritization and Enrollment, scores of 1 or 2 are defined as "low priority" scores, and scores of 3 or above are "high priority" scores.

All individuals, regardless of priority rank, receive a post-screening notice which includes:

- Contact information for the Aging & Disability Resource Centers (ADRC);
- Instructions for requesting an administrative fair hearing;
- Instructions for requesting a copy of the completed screening tool, which includes the priority score; and
- Instructions for requesting a rescreening. The individual, or their authorized representative, may request a rescreening due to a significant change in condition.

The rule also specifies that notice to persons with a "high priority rank" will include notification of waitlist placement, **and persons with a "low priority ranking" will be notified that they are not eligible for waitlist placement.**

The <u>notice</u> now being used does not include written instructions for requesting a copy of the completed screening tool. However, the notice includes a link to a central <u>website</u> where individuals can learn more about the screening process, including how to request a copy of their <u>screening results</u> or a <u>fair hearing</u>.

Suggested next steps if you or someone you know did <u>NOT</u> get written notice after screening or rescreening and/or have questions or concerns:

Contact the Florida Health Justice Project

<u>https://www.floridahealthstories.org/share-your-story</u>, your local Aging Resource and Development Center (ADRC), or your <u>local legal services program</u>.