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| **Launch of CFSS: Updates and Transition Information**  CFSS LAUNCH UPDATES  DHS has provided updates regarding the launch of the Community First Services and Supports (CFSS) program. Here are the key points you need to know:  **Transition from PCA to CFSS**   * **Assessments completed prior to October 1st**: Existing and newly eligible members, who had assessments completed **before** October 1st, will open to and remain on Personal Care Assistance (PCA) until their next reassessment. * **Assessments Completed on and after October 1st**: Existing PCA members who had assessments completed on or after October 1st will have a transition period of 3 months to transfer from PCA to CFSS. Members who are newly eligible for services after October 1st will go directly on to CFSS.   **CFSS Consultation Service Provider Update**   * **DHS Clarification**: On October 2, 2024, DHS informed all Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) that despite DHS’s Provider List showing many Consultation Providers, only five are currently enrolled with DHS and available in MnCHOICES. * **IMPORTANT:** DHS’s list of Consultation Providers found [here](https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/people-with-disabilities/services/home-community/programs-and-services/cfss-consultation-services.jsp) includes providers that are enrolled with DHS and those not yet enrolled. Please refer to column titled *Enrolled?*  Providers marked ***YES*** are enrolled with DHS and can be used for this service. Those marked ***NO*** are not enrolled with DHS and should not be used. Always retrieve provider information from DHS’s website to ensure you’re accessing current information. |