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| **Extending PCA Authorization Beyond 6 Months****CFSS Updates** Can the Care Coordinator extend/approve PCA by more than 6 months if the person does not have an approved service delivery plan?* **Yes**, the Care Coordinator can extend the service agreement in Bridgeview past the current 6-month authorization if needed. Details are in the updated [CFSS Guidance](https://carecoordination.bluecrossmn.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/CFSS-Guidance-3.13.2025.pdf) on the Care Coordination page of the website.

* Extensions can be approved when there are valid reasons such as:
	+ issues with consultation services
	+ provider enrollment delays
* Lack of action to develop a service delivery plan or choose a consultation services provider is not a valid reason for extension

**DTR for Early Transition to CFSS**Does the Care Coordinator need to send a DTR to someone who ended their 6-month PCA service early to transition to CFSS?* **No**, a DTR is not needed.

**Approving/Denying Service Delivery Plan**Must the Care Coordinator approve or deny the service delivery plan within 30 days of receiving it from the consultation services provider?* **Yes**, the Care Coordinator must approve or deny the service delivery plan within 30 days of receiving it.
* If the plan does not meet CFSS requirements, the Care Coordinator can:
	+ Work with the person to update the plan.
	+ Refer the person back to the consultation services provider for adjustments.
		- If the plan is denied, a DTR must be sent.
	+ If the provider is actively working on changes, the support plan cannot be approved until completed.
	+ DTR may be required if the plan is denied.

**Including Assessed Needs in CFSS Plan**Do assessed needs need to be included in the CFSS service delivery plan, including non-CFSS needs and dependencies?* **Yes**, if it impacts CFSS services or supports.
* Only needs impacting CFSS services and supports must be included.

**The CFSS Guidance document on the Care Coordination website has been updated with the following:*** Members that require an extension of PCA longer than 6-months
* Revisions to the CFSS Support Plan
* 45-day temporary start of CFSS
* 45-day temporary increase of CFSS

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