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New Federal  
HCBS Settings and Person-Centered Planning Rule  
Consumer and Family Call-In Forums

TennCare will be hosting conference calls for consumers and families to call in and learn about the new federal HCBS and Person-Centered Planning rule. This includes the Assessment and Transition Plan requirements and process. The schedule for those calls is:

- Tuesday August 12, 2014 from 9:00am-11:00am Central Time/10:00am – 12:00pm Eastern Time
- Thursday August 14, 2014 from 1:00pm – 3:00pm Central Time/2:00pm – 4:00pm Eastern Time

The call in number is: **1-877-820-7831, passcode: 963040**

The presenter will explain the new rules and the requirement for all states to assess their HCBS programs and services. The presentation will also include an explanation of the Transition Plan process and the importance of public input on the Transition Plan. Information on where to find the draft documents and how to submit comments will be provided on the call.

Materials for the calls will be made available for providers to share with consumers and families. These materials will be posted to the TennCare website by Monday August 11, 2014. We ask providers and all service/support coordinators to help families understand these new rules and encourage them to provide input into Tennessee's plan and process.