

Notice of Non-Discrimination

NH Department of Health and Human Services complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate based on race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex (including sex characteristics and intersex traits), pregnancy or related conditions, sexual orientation, gender identity and sex stereotypes. NH DHHS does not exclude people or treat them less favorably because of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.

Language and Communication Access at DHHS

NH Department of Health and Human Services is committed to providing language and communication access services that are accessible and inclusive to all, including individuals who are Deaf or have a hearing loss, are blind or have low vision, or people who have limited English proficiency (LEP). If you need help understanding or accessing our programs, services or written materials, we have services available to enable your full participation. We recognize that effective communication is essential. It is our goal to ensure effective communication and access to all Department programs, services, or activities.

Under federal and state laws, you have the right to receive language and communication access services at no cost to you. **Please tell us** if your primary language is not English, or if you have a need for an accommodation for communication. DHHS will provide a qualified interpreter, written translations and/or auxiliary aids and services **at no cost** to you.

If you believe that NH DHHS has failed to provide effective language and communication access to you, you can file a [Concern Form](#) with the Communication Access team.

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If you believe that NH DHHS has discriminated based on race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a complaint or grievance with the NH DHHS Office of the Ombudsman.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal available online, by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201
1-800-368-1019