

North Dakota Medicaid Waivers

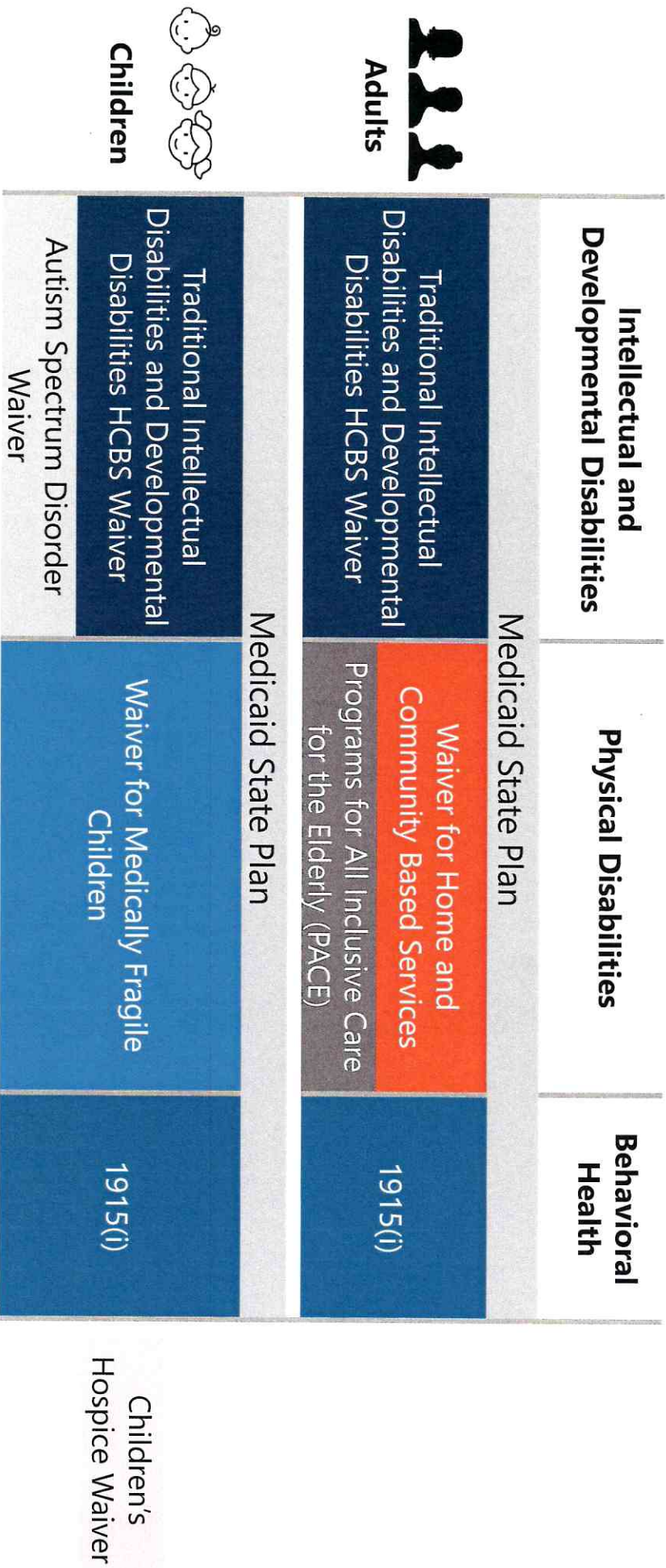
1915(c) Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waivers

- Autism Spectrum Disorder Waiver
- Children's Hospice Waiver
- Waiver for Medically Fragile Children
- Waiver for Home and Community Based Services
- Traditional Intellectual Disabilities and Developmental Disabilities HCBS Waiver

• 1915(c) waivers have two components of eligibility:

- Functional Need
 - Assessments are used to measure an individual's needs. The assessment helps shape the care plan in addition to verifying eligibility.
- Financial
 - For waivers, only the income of the individual applying for the waiver's income is used to determine financial eligibility.
 - Allows coverage of disabled individuals at incomes higher than those that would traditionally qualify for Medicaid.

HCBS Programs and Populations



Money Follows the Person



Medicaid Children Waiver Service Comparison

Developmental Disabilities

- Residential Habilitation
- Extended Home Health Care
- Behavioral Consultation
- Environmental Modifications
 - \$40K for 5 years
- Equipment And Supplies
 - \$5K per year
- Family Care Option
- In-home Supports
 - 300 hours per month
- Infant Development
- Respite
 - 600 hours per year

Medically Fragile

- Program cap of \$25,300.00 to be used towards all waiver services except Case Management per fiscal year
- Case Management
- Institutional Respite
- Dietary Supplements
- Environmental Modifications
- Equipment & Supplies
- Individual and Family Counseling
- Transportation Services

Autism

- Respite
 - 40 hours per month
- Service Management
 - 16 hours per month
- Assistive Technology
 - \$5K duration of waiver
- Community Connector
- Remote Monitoring

Serving Children with Disabilities

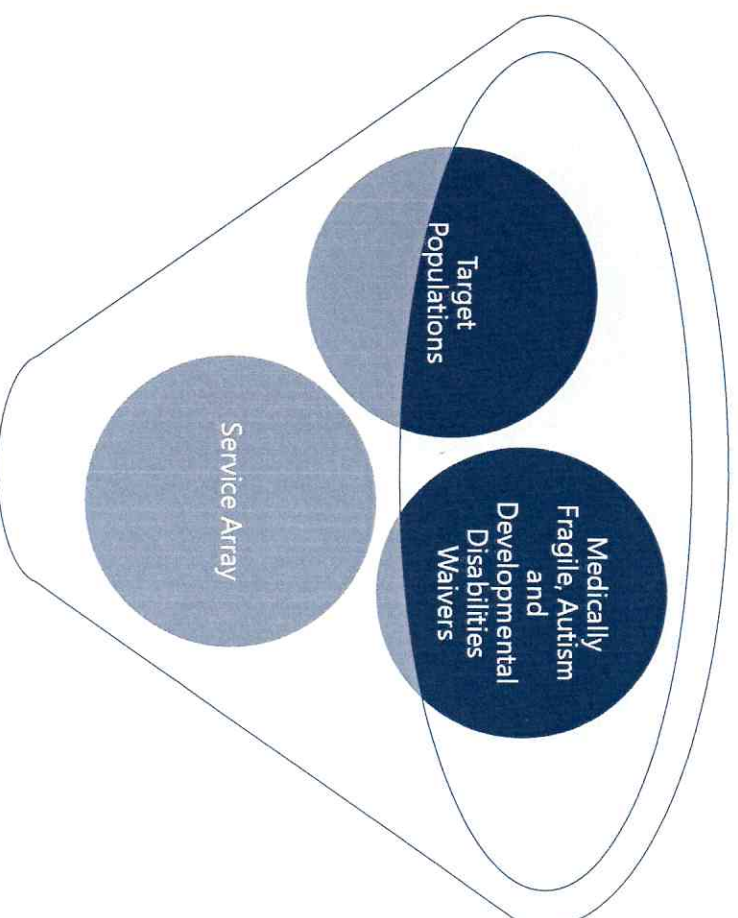
2021 SB 2256: Legislative Management Study of Developmental Disability Services and Autism Spectrum Disorder Waiver and Voucher Programs

2022 North Dakota Developmental Disabilities Study Recommended Children's Cross Disability Waiver to provide individual and family supports.

2023 SB 2276: Established Cross Disability Advisory Council
Cross Disability Advisory Council met monthly from December 2023 – May 2024 to provide input regarding design of new cross disability waiver.

2024 Cross Disability Advisory Council compiled detailed recommendations in design of a potential new cross-disability children's waiver.

2025



Cross Disability Children's Waiver helps children and families gain independence, self-determination, social capital, economic sufficiency, and community inclusion.

