



CCSE Bulletin 26-03

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To: CCSE Staff and Leadership

From: Community Care Services State Office

Subject: Reestablish Use of Form H1200-EZ, Application for Assistance – Aged and Disabled

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- Community Care Services Eligibility Handbook (CCSEH) at <https://www.hhs.texas.gov/handbooks/community-care-serviceseligibilityhandbook>

Purpose

This bulletin announces the reestablished use of **Form H1200-EZ, Application for Assistance – Aged and Disabled**, as an application for Community Care Services Eligibility (CCSE) programs.

Policy Update

Effective July 1, 2026, staff may use **Form H1200-EZ** as an application and recertification form for applicable CCSE programs, consistent with Medicaid for the Elderly and People with Disabilities (MEPD) policy.

Form H1200-EZ is an approved alternative to Form H1200 when a streamlined application can be used to complete an eligibility determination.

Background

- Form H1200-EZ remains an approved HHSC Form.
- The Medicaid for the Elderly and People with Disabilities (MEPD) Handbook identifies Form H1200-EZ as an application option.

When to Use Form H1200-EZ

1. A full Form H1200 is not required to complete the eligibility determination; and
2. The streamlined application supports timely and accurate processing.

Staff Requirements

Staff must:

- Determine the appropriate application form based on program requirements.
- Ensure all required information is collected to complete eligibility determination.
- Document the case record according to current policy.

Important Information

- Selection of the application form must support accurate eligibility determination and complete case documentation.

Automation

Automation changes are not required.

Correspondence

Correspondence changes are not required.

Handbook

The CCSEH is currently scheduled to be updated in the September 2026 revision.

Training

Training is not required.