## PROVIDER ADVISORY #2023-003 IBUDGET FLORIDA DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES WAIVER ICONNECT PILOT PROGRAM FOR SELECT COHORT OF APD PROVIDERS

## INFORMATIONAL

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In preparation for the next phase of APD iConnect implementation, the Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD) is initiating a pilot program with a small cohort of APD providers. The purpose of this pilot is to ensure the system functions as designed prior to going live. Participants of the pilot program will be selected from the following iBudget Florida Developmental Disabilities waiver service categories:

- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Respiratory Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- Dietician Services
- Specialized Mental Health Counseling
- Residential Nursing
- Consumable Medical Supplies
- Durable Medical Equipment and Supplies
- Personal Emergency Response Systems
- Environmental Accessibility Adaptations
- Transportation

Select solo and agency providers who deliver these services will be invited to participate in the pilot program starting March 2023. Providers who participate will receive training through TRAIN Florida. Training invitations and registration information will be sent to pilot participants in the near future. Participating agency providers will have the opportunity to register all licensed therapeutic staff for this training.

Providers from these categories who are not selected for the pilot will go live in APD iConnect at a later date.