



**State of Alaska • Department of Health and Social Services • Senior and Disabilities Services
Home and Community-Based Services**

Adults with Physical and Developmental Disabilities • Alaskans Living Independently
Children with Complex Medical Conditions • Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
Personal Care Services

**Analysis of Census Areas to Determine Eligibility for
Exceptions to Conflict-Free Care Coordination Requirements**

Census Area/Borough	Eligible for Exception?		Criteria Met for Exception
	No	Yes	
Aleutians East		X	4
Aleutians West		X	1
Anchorage	X		
Bethel		X	1, 2
Bristol Bay		X	4
Denali		X	3
Dillingham		X	3
Fairbanks North Star	X		
Haines	X		
Hoonah/Angoon	X		
Juneau	X		
Kenai	X		
Ketchikan Gateway	X		
Kodiak Island	X		
Kusilivak (formerly Wade Hampton)		X	1, 2
Lake and Peninsula	X		
Mat-Su	X		
Nome		X	1, 2
North Slope		X	3
Northwest Arctic		X	1, 2
Petersburg	X		
Prince of Wales-Hyder	X		
Sitka		X	1
Skagway		X	1, 2
Southeast Fairbanks	X		
Valdez/Cordova	X		
Wrangell		X	1, 2
Yakutat		X	3
Yukon-Koyukuk		X	1, 2
TOTAL	14	15	

Criteria Key

1	Number of Conflict-Free care coordinators could not meet the capacity ¹ for the number of recipients in the census area
2	Number of Conflict-Free care coordinators certified by waiver type could not meet the capacity for the number of recipients in the census area
3	Only one conflict-free agency or care coordinator in the census area, eliminating the opportunity for recipient choice of provider
4	There are no current individuals in service or providers serving the census area

The Division conducted a data analysis² to determine which non-urban census areas would be allowed to have exceptions to conflict-free care coordination requirements. In the analysis the Division contemplated data on numbers of recipients, numbers of care coordinators, and types of waivers served by care coordinators. The determinations were made according to the criteria above.

Exceptions to conflict free care coordination will be granted for the three year period July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2019.

Agencies certified as of April 8, 2016 to provide both home and community-based services and care coordination in the eligible census areas may apply for an exception to conflict-free care coordination requirements for this period, using the Conflict of Interest Exception Application.

The granting of an exception in a census area does not prohibit a conflict-free care coordinator from serving recipients in eligible census areas.

All new providers of home and community-based services in all census areas of the state are required to be conflict-free.

¹ for the purposes of this analysis, Capacity is defined as 25 individual recipients to one care coordinator

² data drawn from DS3, April 8, 2016.



CFCC Exceptions Map

April 2016 - April 2019

- Eligible for exception to CFCC
- Ineligible for exception to CFCC

