Long-Term Services and Supports Trust Foundational Principles

Foundational principles that will drive the work of the LTSS Trust include:

- Respect the dignity and autonomy of beneficiaries in determining how and from whom they receive care
- Be customer focused
- Provide a seamless, quality user experience
- Be accessible to all Washingtonians both online and through a strong community presence
- Promote development of a long-term services and supports workforce and provider network to meet increased demand with high-quality, culturally competent services
- Ensure beneficiaries have a broad range of services and supports from which to choose
- Ensure outreach and policies are consistent with values of diversity, equity and inclusion
- Focus on solutions that are not rooted in tradition but are tailored to delivering new program benefits and meeting needs of current and future participants
- Respond to changing conditions, needs, and opportunities
- Be strong stewards of worker contributions by maintaining the financial stability and sustainability of the Trust
- Protect beneficiaries and the Trust Fund from program fraud
- Raise awareness of the benefit among all Washingtonians
- Provide accurate data to decision makers

Foundational Principles Approval

The Commission approved the LTSS Trust Foundational Principles by majority vote on September 30, 2020.

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