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Contact Information and Resource Access		
Who is Maximus?	Maximus is the vendor selected by the State of Indiana to coordinate Indiana Level of Care Assessment Representative (LCAR) Services.	
	Maximus already contracts with the State for several different program services. You can learn more about Maximus here: <a href="https://maximus.com">https://maximus.com</a> .	
How do I contact Maximus with	Contact by phone: 833.597.2777	
questions about LCAR processes?	Contact by email: INLCAR@maximus.com	
	Additional resources: <a href="https://maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar">https://maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar</a>	
Who should I contact with questions about AssessmentPro or my system account?	For questions associated with online submissions, assistance with logging in, becoming an AssessmentPro Administrator, questions about a pending Level I Screen, or other general questions, contact the Maximus – Indiana Help Desk at: 833.597.2777 or by email:	
	INLCAR@maximus.com.	
Where can I find support materials online about Indiana LCAR processes?	For questions about LCAR processes for Managed Care Entities (MCEs), go to the Maximus – Indiana LCAR Tools & Resources page, which has a growing list of content that will eventually include a broad range of helpful content, including contact information, recent announcements, resources, and relevant state links.  You can find these resources at:  https://maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar.	
I know that the process changes being put into place with the LCAR transition are related to Indiana's PathWays for Aging Program. Where can I learn more about PathWays for Aging?	General information about Indiana PathWays for Aging is available on the Indiana FSSA YouTube site: Information about PathWays for Members (youtube.com).  Details on PathWays for Aging are also available at: https://www.in.gov/pathways/home/.	
What hours is the Maximus – Indiana Help Desk team available?	Help Desk staff are available for phone inquiries from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. EST Monday – Friday. Other support resources are always available for review through the Indiana LCAR Tools and Resources page: https://maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar.	
AssessmentPro – Setup and General System Use Questions		
Who should I contact with questions about AssessmentPro or my system account?	For questions regarding the status of a review, sign into your Maximus AssessmentPro system account and check your Recent Outcomes (two-week history). For difficulties associated with online submissions, assistance with logging in, becoming an AssessmentPro Administrator, questions about a pending Level I Screen, or other general questions, contact the Indiana LCAR Maximus Help Desk at: 833.597.2777 or by email: <a href="mailto:INLCAR@maximus.com">INLCAR@maximus.com</a> .	



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How do I obtain my AssessmentPro username and password?	The MCE will be provided some next steps to set up their AssessmentPro login credentials (username and password) during the LCAR webinar event on April 8, 2024.		
	Contact your facility's AssessmentPro Administrator to determine whether you have a valid AssessmentPro account. Your email address is your username. If you have forgotten your password, click the Forgot Password link on the AssessmentPro login page and follow the instructions. A code will be emailed to you so you can set up a new password.		
	If you are not receiving an email after following these steps, contact the Indiana LCAR Help Desk by phone: 833.597.2777 or email to: <a href="mailto:INLCAR@maximus.com">INLCAR@maximus.com</a> .		
	If you need to register as your facility's first web AssessmentPro Administrator, contact the Indiana LCAR Help Desk for assistance.		
Can my coworkers and I share a username and password on AssessmentPro?	For HIPAA and security purposes, all AssessmentPro users must have their own unique usernames and passwords. Use of another person's username/password is a violation of the AssessmentPro terms of service and can result in termination of system privileges.		
I would like to review a resource file on the Maximus Indiana LCAR Tools and Resources web page, but it has a "lock" icon next to it and doesn't appear to be accessible. How do I access it?	Some training materials on the Maximus Indiana LCAR Tools & Resources page are password protected. If you see a "lock" icon next to a particular item, take the following steps to open it:		
	<ol> <li>Click the link and when prompted, enter your AssessmentPro system Username (your email address), Password</li> </ol>		
	2. Click Log In, which will unlock and open the file		
	<ol> <li>All password protected content will now be available for your review for the duration of your web session without any additional log ins</li> </ol>		
Unders	Understanding LCAR-Related Processes for the MCE		
What role will the MCE play in LCAR Services after the Phase I implementation is complete?	The MCE will play a critical role in Phase I changes to the Level of Care submissions process. This transition will add an MCE role so that Level of Care (LOC) assessments can be completed by the MCE for anyone in the PathWays Waiver.		



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How can I learn more about next steps and available resources for Phase I of the LCAR Services implementation?	To learn more about the Phase I implementation of LCAR Services in the State of Indiana, check on the LCAR Services tools and resources page for transition and webinar announcements, as well as training materials at: <a href="http://www.maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar">http://www.maximusclinicalservices.com/svcs/indiana_lcar</a> .
	You can also contact the LCAR Services Help Desk team:
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What does PASRR require?	The PASRR process requires that all applicants to Medicaid-certified nursing facilities be given a preadmission, preliminary, assessment to determine whether they might have Serious Mental Illness (SMI) or an Intellectual Disability (ID) or Developmental Disability (DD). This is called a "Level I Screen." Individuals with indicators of SMI/ID/DD receive a clinical review to determine if an in-depth evaluation called "Level II" is needed prior to nursing facility (NF) admission. The results of this evaluation also determine the appropriateness of a NF setting and if specialized services are needed relative to the PASRR condition.
	Regulations governing PASRR are found in the Code of Federal Regulations, at 42 CFR 483.100-138.
What is the purpose of the Level I Screen?	The purpose of a Level I Screen, also known as an identification screen, is to look at an individual's clinical characteristics to establish whether or not they may have a known or suspected PASRR condition. A PASRR condition includes a diagnosis of a Serious Mental Health (SMI) condition and/or an Intellectual and/or Developmental Disability (ID/DD).  If a person has a known or suspected PASRR condition, they will receive a comprehensive Level II assessment to determine if their condition qualifies under the PASRR program, the appropriateness of a NF setting for the person, and any services they may need while in the NF.
When is a Level of Care (LOC)	This answer is in two parts: <b>Applicant and Resident</b> .
review required?	Applicant: A LOC review is required for Medicaid recipients seeking admission to a Medicaid Certified NF and Medicaid will be the pay source.
	Everyone receiving a MI/ID Level II, regardless of their pay source.
	<b>Resident</b> : A LOC is required: 1. If the person admitted under Medicare or Private Pay and is converting to Medicaid active and Medicaid will be the primary pay source; 2. If the person has an expiring time-limited stay on an LOC screen and requires continued nursing facility stay; and/or 3. If there is a significant change in status from a previously identified LOC screen. 4. If the resident is a PathWays member, an annual LOC review will be required.
When is a combination ("Combo"),	A combination Level I and LOC review is required when:
Level I and LOC review required?	Medicaid pay source admitting to a Medicaid-certified NF
	MI, ID/DD/RC, or dual Level II referral will be made



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