

120.1 - The Basic Rule

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(42 CFR 417.416 supplemented with material from the Medicare Managed Care Manual)

The *Medicare cost plan* must ensure that the:

- Basic required services; and
- Any other optional supplemental services;

for which the Medicare enrollee has contracted are:

- Available;
- Accessible; and
- Furnished in a manner that ensures continuity.