

**WAC 110-15-0285 Receipt of WCCC benefits pending the outcome of an administrative hearing.** (1) A consumer may receive WCCC benefits pending the outcome of a hearing if he or she requests the hearing:

(a) On or before the effective date of an action; or

(b) No more than ten days after DSHS sends the consumer a notice of adverse action.

As used in this section, "adverse action" means an action to reduce or terminate a consumer's WCCC benefits.

(2) If a consumer loses a hearing, any WCCC benefit that a consumer uses between the date of the adverse action and the date of the hearing decision is an overpayment to the consumer.

(3) A consumer may not receive WCCC benefits pending the outcome of a hearing if he or she requests payment to a provider who is not eligible under WAC 170-290-0125.

(4) A consumer may receive WCCC benefits for another eligible provider, pending the outcome of the hearing.

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