



Everybody Wins! States and Assistive Technology Providers Partnering to Support More Individuals, Both Aging and Those With I/DD and ND

## **MapHabit and MO-DD**

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## Improving lives THROUGH supports and services THAT FOSTER Self-determination.

#### How We Started and Where We Are Going Holly Reiff, Provider Relations Director, MO DMH-Division of DD

# Technology in Missouri

- Assistive Technology had long been part of the 1915c Home and Community Based Waivers for ID/DD in MO
  - Was not being fully utilized
  - New emerging technologies were showing that support without in-person staff was available
  - 2012 Remote Supports are added as service options
- Education and possibilities about how technology can support individuals good life were not being fully explored.

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Missouri becomes a Technology 1<sup>st</sup> State



- In 2012 remote supports were added as a service option
- 2019 Missouri began the Technology 1<sup>st</sup> Initiative to support Missourian's access to technology supports that:
  - Improve quality of life
  - Increase independence and privacy
  - Increase safety and health
  - Support the direct care professional shortage

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- Missouri set a goal to reach 1600 individuals supported technology by 2021
- We did not reach this goal 😕
- Why were we not successful?
  - No driver to keep and measure the progress of the goal
  - No formalized education
    - Support Coordinators
    - Families/Individuals
    - State Support Staff

## MISSOURI DIVISION OF Missouri's Organizational Efficiency

- 2020
  - Facing the challenges of a growing and changing system of government and other needs
  - Noticing gaps in services and supports
  - Noticing areas that could be improved to better services to all Missour citizens
- Provider Relations re-designed how to support current and future providers

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# Missouri's Organizational Disabilities

- Provider Relations Teams
  - Provider Rate and Enrollment
    - On-board new companies wishing to contract with the of DD

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- Support rate and rate changes
- Vender Service Coordination
  - Technical Assistance
  - Contract support and review
- Universal Design and Assistive Technology
  - Increase capacity and utilization of UD services
  - Support the Technology 1<sup>st</sup> and Housing Initiatives





- With the beginning of the UDAT team we saw great leaps of improvement
  - Increased Utilization of remote support by 200 + services
  - Increased Provider capacity including new technology options
  - Partnerships that support education
    - SHIFT
    - MO-AT

# Future UDAT Goals

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- Technology Ambassadors
- Growth of waivers to include virtual delivery options
  - Offering "just the right amount of support, only when the support is needed"
  - Expansion of service options
- Universal Design
  - Combining and educating on how services work together to achieve outcomes

# Technology Concerns

- Surveillance
  - Reviewed by executive leadership team
  - Outlined in Contract with DD providers
- Restrictive Supports
  - Due Process
    - Due Process Subject Matter Experts receive additional training on Enabling/Assistive Technology
    - Consultations with accredited Enabling Technology Information Specialists
  - Provider Education and support

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The MapHabit Founders



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## Matt's Inspiration







## **MapHabit Milestones**





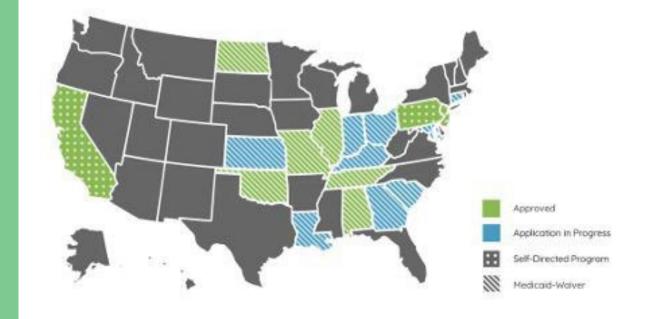




MapHabit Medicaid Waiver Coverage

**1,500** ENROLLED across 25 States

#### MapHabit Is Fully Reimbursed In 9 States (And Growing)





Our Research **Peer-Reviewed Studies** 

84 Net Promoter Score

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**Conditions studied:** Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, Traumatic Brain Injuries & Alzheimer's Disease & Related Dementias



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Improved Quality of Life



Decreased Caregiver Burden

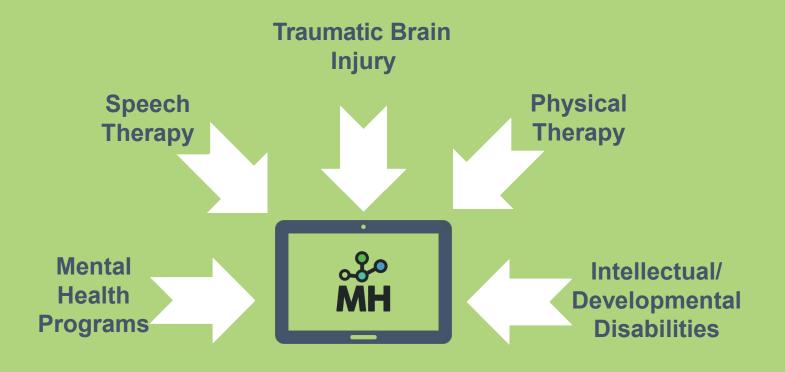


Improved Independence

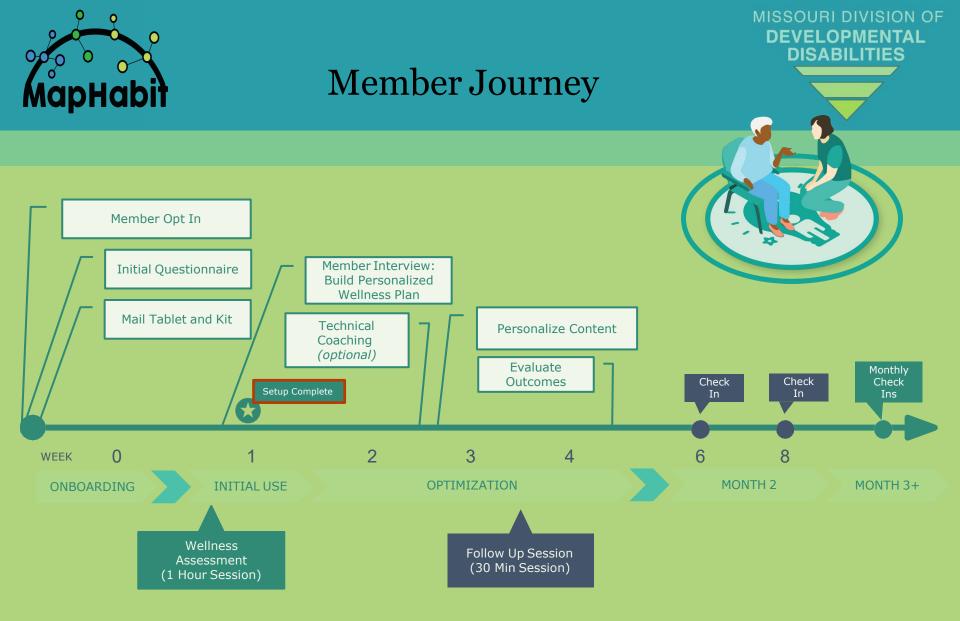


## MapHabit Platform Plasticity











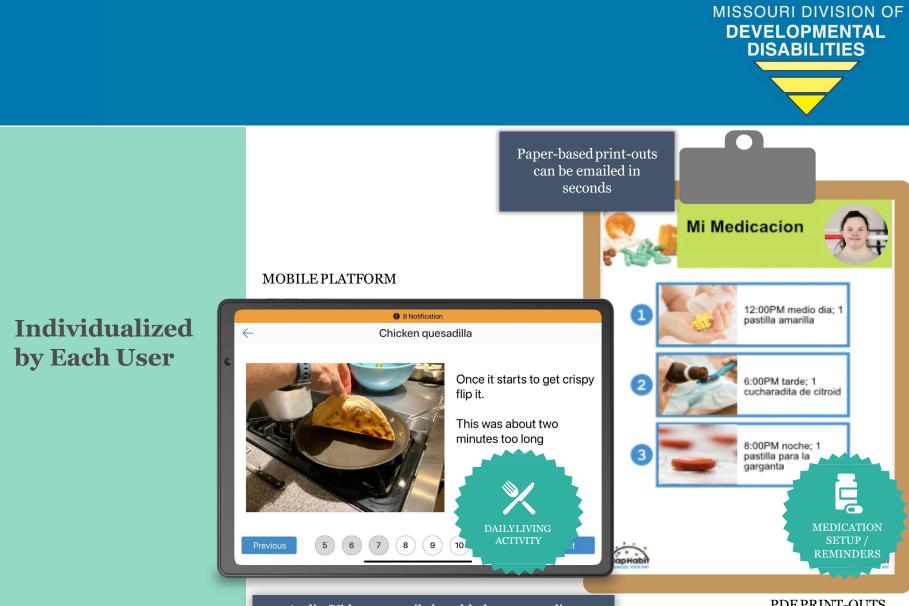
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MapHabit allows caregivers to help, not to do.



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Audio/Video can easily be added to personalize step-by-step maps and cue individuals

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# How This Led to MO Waiver



- Visual supports = Gold Standard in I/DD and ND Support
  - Usage falls off 8-10-13 years of age, negatively impacting progress toward independence
- MapHabit created to support those with Alzheimer's and Dementia
  - applicable support for I/DD and ND Support?
    - LuMind Study
- How do we get it into the hands of those who need it, who do not have expendable income to direct purchase, specifically individuals with I/DD, ND and TBI and their circles of support?
  - Waivers
  - Grants
  - VocRehab

- Schools
- Partnerships
- Peer Providers







- Communication
  - How it changed, evolved
    - DD learning tech language
    - Tech learning DD and Medicaid language
- Tech in the community, how can it fit in the waiver terminology and definitions
  - Technology can eliminate barriers and increase accessibility to supports (ie. Visual supports portability and accessibility)
- Analytics vs Surveilance
  - Supported Self-Direction vs Restriction







- Timing
  - Gap from selection to UR approval to onboarding
- Definitions and process variations from state to state
- Communication/Fears
  - Knocking down barriers
    - No need for pre-evaluation or proof of ability to use



# Going Forward



- CMS support of consistency
  - Enabling technology
- How do we support definitions that support greater technology adoption, but protect from technology overstep
  - Support, not isolate





# Questions?

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## APPENDIX



