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- Online learning module for HCBS waiver case managers
- Resource guide for stand-alone training

<http://www.hcbsassurances.org>

----- CMS is pleased to make two new resources available to connect the work of HCBS waiver case managers to quality provisions of federal assurances.

Online Training: An approximately 90-minute tutorial intended for case managers and their supervisors on HCBS waiver basics and federal assurances. The training includes a narrative curriculum, case studies with video vignettes, knowledge checks and reflective exercise to apply general knowledge to specific requirements of individual HCS waivers and states.

Resource Guide for Trainers: In addition to access by individuals to the online learning module, the Resource Guide supports states and/or case management provider agencies who wish to conduct in-person training programs. The Guide provides instructions, power point slides, tips and other resources to facilitate in-person training. Train-the-Trainer materials are available through the website listed above.

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