

**WAC 388-845-1710 Are there limits to the skilled nursing services you may receive?** The following limits apply to skilled nursing services you may receive:

(1) Clinical and support needs for skilled nursing services are limited to those identified in your DDA assessment and documented in your person-centered service plan.

(2) Skilled nursing services, except for nurse delegation and nursing evaluations, require prior approval by the DDA regional administrator or designee.

(3) Skilled nursing hours must not exceed the number of hours determined by the nursing care consultant's skilled nursing assessment.

(4) DDA may require a second opinion by a DDA-selected provider.

(5) The dollar amount for aggregate services in your basic plus waiver or the dollar amount of your annual allocation in your IFS waiver limits the amount of skilled nursing services you may receive.

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