

Attachment 2 - Children's Continuous Desk Guide for ACS

Continuous Coverage Coding Desk Aid (for ACS)

Individual Categorical Codes		
Age Category	Indv. Cat Code With Services	Indv. Cat Code No Services
Under 1	11 or 12**	51
Age 1-5	11 or 12**	46
Age 6-18*	11 or 12**	47
* Children who aged out of Foster Care between the ages of 18 and 21, are categorized as Former Foster Care and should maintain coverage until age 26. ** 11 = Blind, 12 = Disabled		

CNS Code:	
Opening/Undercare code:	3Y2

Office	
Responsibility Area	CC
Center:	578

Extension Date Rationale and Examples			
Date Remanded	MA Start Date	Discharged	New End Date
12months Cont Cov from MA start date			
10/15/2025	10/1/2025	11/28/2025	9/30/2026
12months Cont Cov from MA start date, MINIMUM of 4 months.			
2/26/2025	2/1/2025	11/28/2025	1/31/2026*
	* Less than 4 months from discharge		NEW - 3/31/2026
12months Cont Cov from MA start date, remanded over 1 year ago			
7/2/2023	7/1/2023	12/5/2025	06/30/2026**
	** MA is required to be recertified annually, use month only.		
Former Foster Care (discharged youth between ages 18-21)			
6/28/2022	6/1/2022	02/10/2026 (18yo)	01/31/2027***
	*** FC Youth discharged between ages 18-21 are considered Former Foster Care. FFC youth are eligible until age 26 and should be identified by a Chafee indicator of "7".		