

Common Features of MCO Operation in Dane County

- In all models Dane County is responsible for operating the ADRC.
- In all models the MCO/District is required to have a governing board that reflects the ethnic and economic diversity of the geographic region. At least ¼ of its members shall be representative of the client groups served by the program. The size of the board is not prescribed in statute.
- In all models the county is liable for paying its local contribution. After a five year buy-down the county will continue to contribute 22% of Community Aids to the State of Wisconsin for the Family Care program in this county on an annual basis (approximately \$4m for Dane County).
- In all models the county maintains financial risk associated with court orders and placements to mental health institutes.
- The State will choose a vendor or vendors to provide Family Care in Dane County through a Request For Proposals (RFP) process.
- The State will apply the *Franchise Model* (established service delivery requirements and prescribed business processes and methods, etc) to all MCOs operating in Wisconsin.
- When Family Care rolls out in Dane County, a self-directed model of care (IRIS) will be a program option for consumers.
- When Family Care rolls out in Dane County, the traditional adult waiver programs terminate when transition is complete.
- After the first 3 years of Family Care implementation, there will be no waiting lists for the program.