# TIMEKEEPING AND SPENDING-SUMMARY SYSTEM



Frequently Asked Questions

#### **About Cashé**

As a Minnesota-based company developed specifically for caregiving agencies and support providers, Cashé Software understands the complexities of service authorization and billing models. They offer a robust, software solution for complying with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), and the Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) requirement.

#### **Highlights of the new system:**

- Mobile, tablet, and computer app that can be used for time entry and approvals
- Ability to provide budget expense summaries for participants
- Multi-lingual translation to increase accessibility
- Ongoing, custom software updates to further improve the user experience

Below are responses to common inquiries about our new timekeeping and spending-summary system. Should you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to us: **651-454-2732** 

#### Why did Lifeworks select this new system?

As a provider of self-directed services, Lifeworks wanted to offer a more user-friendly experience for participants that ensured compliance with <u>Electronic Visit Verification</u> – a federal mandate that Minnesota is implementing in the future without a set date. After vetting options to upgrade our portal, it was clear that the new Timekeeping and Spending-System offered through the EVV app, powered by Cashé was the best selection. Along with allowing online time entry and approvals, this state-of-the-art platform combines an intuitive interface with sophisticated features to meet the needs of our participants and government requirements.

### How is the new system different?

Using the new system, employees will enter their own hours and support managers will approve time online.

#### What does the new system look like?

The new system's interface is user-friendly, allowing for convenient time entry and approvals. Lifeworks will provide step-by-step visuals in the near future.

### How do I access the new system?

The new system can be accessed from smartphone, computer, and tablet devices.

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# Are there resources available for employees and support managers who do not have internet or a device to access the new system?

Lifeworks provides a list of programs that offer free and affordable technology resources. In addition, the support manager will have the option of approving time directly on their employee's device by entering a pin number and signing an electronic timesheet.

#### Is an email address required to access the new system?

Yes, the new system requires an email address. If you do not have one – no worries, we can help! Please contact us at <u>cashesupport@lifeworks.org</u> with Cashe Support; they can assist you with creating an email address.

#### How will I learn to use the new system?

To support you during this transition, Lifeworks will provide remote training sessions. Which are independently guided, with step-by-step instructions, which will then be posted on <u>lifeworks</u>. <u>org</u> for easy access and reference. Individualized training sessions will also be available by appointment.

## Who do I contact if I need support?

We are here for you! All you need to do is give us a call at 651-454-2732 and ask to speak with EVV Support or email: cashesupport@lifeworks.org

# Will my Service Coordinator remain the same person?

Yes, your same Service Coordinator will be here to support you.

#### Will the payroll schedule remain the same?

Yes, the payroll schedule will remain the same. There will not be any changes to the pay periods, pay dates, or deadlines.

#### How do I request Paid Time Off (PTO)?

People who participate in programs that offer PTO can continue to complete and submit the request form available on Lifeworks Fiscal Forms' webpage: www.lifeworks.org/fiscal-support/forms

#### Can I still call the main line?

Of course! We are available to take your call Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (with the exception of holidays).