Summary of changes to the Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP) Manual 2024-25

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| CHSP Manual chapter | Content change | Manual section and description |
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| **PART A – About the Commonwealth Home Support Programme** |
| **Chapter 1 – Aged Care Reforms** | Updates and new content | **1.4 Principles of the CHSP**Updates to existing content**1.6 Client choice**Updates to existing content**Aged care reforms**Inclusion of Single Assessment System content |
| **Chapter 2: Wellness and reablement** | Updates to existing content | **2.2 Service delivery responsibilities**Updates to existing content**2.4 Time-limited support**Updates to existing content |
| **PART B – Eligibility and Delivery Requirements** |
| **Chapter 4 – Access to the CHSP** | Updates to existing content | **4.1 Entry to aged care services**Updates to existing content |
| **Chapter 5 – CHSP services** | Updates to existing content | **5.1 Community and Home Support****Goods, Equipment and Assistive Technology** – updates to existing content**Home Modifications** – updates to existing content**Meals – Output measure** – update to existing content**Social Support Group – Service type description** –update to existing content**Specialised Support Services – Out of scope activities** – update to existing content**5.3 Assistance with Care and Housing – Hoarding and Squalor** – update to existing content |
| **Chapter 6 – Interaction with other programs** | Updates to existing content | **6.3 Providing services to HCP recipients**Update to existing content**6.5 National Disability Insurance Scheme**Update to existing content |
| **PART C – Administration and Provider Responsibilities** |
| **Chapter 9 – Quality arrangements and client rights** | New content and updates to existing content | **9.3 Support Plan Reviews**Update to existing content**9.7 Client rights – scheduling appointments**Update to existing content**9.8 Service continuity****Providers transitioning out** – new content |
| **Glossary** | Updates to existing content | Updates to existing content across glossary terms |
| **Appendices** | Appendix B | **Embedding wellness and reablement in the CHSP overview**Updates to existing content |

**Please note:** All references to Regional Assessment Services (RAS) and Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT) have been replaced with ‘aged care assessor’ throughout the Manual to align with the Single Assessment System.