WAC 388-845-2143 What are the limits to specialized evaluation and consultation services? The following limits apply to your receipt of specialized evaluation and consultation:

(1) You must be enrolled on the community protection waiver.

(2) Specialized evaluation and consultation support needs must be identified in your DDA assessment and must be documented in your person-centered service plan.

(3) Specialized evaluation and consultation is limited to services that are:

(a) Consistent with waiver objectives of avoiding institutionalization; and

(b) Not a covered benefit under the medicaid state plan, including mental health treatment.

(4) This service must not replace one-on-one, group, or other treatments to address a mental health condition which are covered by the medicaid state plan.

(5) One-on-one and group skill building that is a component of behavioral health treatment is not covered under specialized evaluation and consultation.

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