

As an Independent Provider, who is my employer? How do I get paid?

Independent Providers are not employed by the Belmont County Board of Developmental Disabilities or the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities. You are considered self-employed. You are responsible for billing and will **bill ODODD directly** (<https://doddportal.dodd.ohio.gov/PRV/billing/BillingServices/Pages/default.aspx>) for any services you provide. No taxes are taken from your pay. You will need to make arrangements to pay taxes (federal, state, local, social security) on any income you receive as an independent provider.