

METHODS USED IN ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

7/11/06 EYEGLASSES/CONTACT LENSES: For non-EPSDT recipients twenty-one years of age and older, contact lenses will be provided for limited conditions, and require prior authorization. Prosthetic eyes and services related to measuring, fitting and dispensing are reimbursed.

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of eyeglasses and contact lenses. The agency's fee schedule rate was set as of March, 2009, and is effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the agency website.

Service limitations for EPSDT recipients are listed in the EPSDT section.

Individual payments for these services are based on a fee schedule determined by the state agency and will not exceed the upper limits established through application of the parameters at 42 CFR 447.304.

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Effective January 1, 2010, eyeglass frames for adult recipients twenty-one years of age and older are limited to one pair every two years and lenses for adult recipients twenty-one years of age and older are limited to one pair every 365 days. A second pair of eyeglass frames and lenses may be provided during that period, after prior authorization.

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