

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State of VIRGINIA

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATE-
OTHER TYPES OF CARE

18.5 Supplement payments for services provided by physicians affiliated with publicly-funded medical schools in the Tidewater area.

a. In addition to payments for physician services specified elsewhere in the State Plan, DMAS provides supplemental payments to physicians affiliated with publicly funded medical schools in the Tidewater area for furnished services provided on or after October 1, 2012. A physician affiliated with a publicly-funded medical school is a physician who is employed by a publicly-funded medical school that is a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia, who provides clinical services through the faculty practice plan affiliated with the publicly funded medical school, and has entered into contractual agreements for the assignment of payments in accordance with 42 CFR 447.10.

b. Effective October 1, 2012, the supplemental payment amount shall be the difference between the Medicaid payments otherwise made for physician services and 135% of Medicare rates. The methodology for determining the Medicare Equivalent of the Average Commercial Rate is described in Supplement 6, Attachment 4.19-B.

c. Supplemental payments shall be made quarterly, no later than 90 days after the end of the quarter.

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