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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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May 9, 2017

Michael Heifetz, Medicaid Director
Division of Medicaid Services
Department of Health Services
1 West Wilson Street, Room 350
Madison, WI 53702

ATTN: Al Matano, SPA Coordinator

RE: Transmittal Number (TN) 15-009

Dear Mr. Heifetz:

Enclosed for your records is an approved copy of the following State Plan Amendment (SPA):

Non-Institutional Rate Methodologies

Effective Date: July 1, 2015

Approval date: May 9, 2017

If you have any questions, please have a member of your staff contact Mai Le-Yuen at (312) 353-2853 or by email at mai.le-yuen@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/ Alan Freund, Acting ARA

Ruth A. Hughes
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER:
15-009

2. STATE
Wisconsin

FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION

3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE
SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)

TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
07/01/2015

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

☐ NEW STATE PLAN ☐ AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN ☒ AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:

42 CFR 430.10 and section 1902(a)(30)(A) of the Social
Security Act

7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT:

a. FFY 2015 \$0K
b. FFY 2016 \$0K

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:

Attachment 4.19-B, pages 16.h. and 16.h-1. to 16.h-7.

and 16.h-9 to 16.h-15

9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION
OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):

New

10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:

Non-institutional rate methodologies

11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One):

☒ GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT
☐ COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
☐ NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

☐ OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:

13. TYPED NAME:

Kevin E. Moore

14. TITLE:

State Medicaid Director

15. DATE SUBMITTED:

6/16/15

06/25/2015

16. RETURN TO:

Kevin E. Moore
State Medicaid Director
Division of Health Care Access and Accountability
1 W. Wilson St.
P.O. Box 309
Madison, WI 53701-0309

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17. DATE RECEIVED:

June 25, 2015

18. DATE APPROVED:

May 9, 2017

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL:

July 1, 2015

20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:

/s/

21. TYPED NAME:

Alan Freund

22. TITLE:

Acting Associate Regional Administrator

23. REMARKS:

31. Ambulatory Surgery Centers

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for ambulatory surgery centers. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of ambulatory surgery center services.

The agency's fee schedule rates were set as of July 1, 2015 and are effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the Wisconsin ForwardHealth website:

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These rates were last updated on July 1, 2008.

For each covered service, the Department shall pay the lesser of a provider's usual and customary charge or the maximum fee established by the Department.

32. Audiology Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for audiology services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of audiology services.

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33. Chiropractic Services

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34. Family Planning Clinics

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For each covered service, the Department shall pay the lesser of a provider's usual and customary charge or the maximum fee established by the Department. Providers participating in the federal 340B Drug Discount Program (340B Program) are required to bill no more than the actual acquisition cost for drugs purchased under the 340B program.

35. Laboratory and X-Ray Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for laboratory and x-ray services. As required by section 1903(i)(7), payments for clinical diagnostic laboratory services are limited, on a per test basis, to no more than the amount paid by Medicare for those services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of laboratory and x-ray services.

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36. Mental Health and AODA Counseling Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for mental health and AODA counseling services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of mental health and AODA counseling services.

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37. Nurse Practitioner – Family and Pediatric Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for family and pediatric nurse practitioner services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of family and pediatric nurse practitioner services.

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38. Other Nurse Practitioner and Clinical Nurse Specialist Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for other nurse practitioner and clinical nurse specialist services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of other nurse practitioner and clinical nurse specialist services.

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39. Occupational Therapy Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for occupational therapy services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of occupational therapy services.

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40. Optometrist/Optician Services

The Department establishes maximum allowable fees for optometrist/optician services. Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of optometrist/optician services.

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41. Personal Care Services

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42. Physical Therapy Services

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43. Podiatry Services

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44. Speech Therapy

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45. Transportation – Emergency Ambulance

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