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June 28, 2022

Tracy Johnson, Medicaid Director
Attn: Amy Winterfeld
Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
1570 Grant Street
Denver, CO 80203-1818

RE: Colorado State Plan Amendment (SPA) Transmittal Number 22-0016

Dear Ms. Johnson:

We have reviewed the proposed Colorado State Plan Amendment (SPA) to Attachment 4.19-B of your state plan, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on March 31, 2022. This plan amendment increases the rate for pediatric personal care services.

Based upon the information provided by the State, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of January 01, 2022. We are enclosing the approved CMS-179 and a copy of the new state plan pages.

If you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please contact LaJoshica (Josh) Smith via 214-767-6453 or lajoshica.smith@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Todd McMillion
Director
Division of Reimbursement Review

Enclosures
TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

TO: CENTER DIRECTOR
CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 22-0016
STATE: CO

PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
XIX

PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2022

FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:
SSA, Section 1905(a)(4)(B) / 42 CFR 440.40, 440.167

FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars):

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Attachment 4.19-B - Methods and Standards for Establishing Payment Rates – Other Types of Care – Effective Dates for Reimbursement Rates for Specified Services, Page 1 of 3 (TN 21-0013)

SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:
Increase the rate for pediatric personal care services to support a $15/hour base wage for direct care workers providing pediatric personal care services. The Department has received federal approval to use American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding to increase direct care worker wages, effective January 1, 2022.

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

SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:

TYPED NAME: Tracy Johnson
TITLE: Medicaid Director
DATE SUBMITTED: 03/31/22

RETURN TO:
Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
1570 Grant Street
Denver, CO 80203-1818
Attn: Amy Winterfeld

DATE RECEIVED: 03/31/22

DATE APPROVED: 6/28/2022

EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL: January 1, 2022

SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL:

TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL: Todd McMillion
TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL: Director, Division of Reimbursement Review

REMARKS:

Instructions on Back
Methods and Standards for Establishing Payment Rates - Other Types of Care

Effective Dates for Reimbursement Rates for Specified Services
Reimbursement rates for the services listed below on this Attachment 4.19-B introduction page are effective for services provided on or after the corresponding effective date. All payment rates can be found on the official website of the Department of Health Care Policy and Financing at https://www.colorado.gov/hCPF/provider-rates-fee-schedule

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