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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services
233 North Michigan Ave., Suite 600
Chicago, Illinois 60601



Financial Management Group

May 27, 2022

Kathleen M. Brennan, Deputy Commissioner
Department of Social Services
Office of the Deputy Commissioner
55 Farmington Avenue Hartford, CT 06105-3730

RE: Connecticut State Plan Amendment (SPA) Transmittal Number 22-0006

Dear Deputy Commissioner Brennan:

We have reviewed the proposed Connecticut State Plan Amendment (SPA) to Attachment 4.19-B submitted under TN-22-0006, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on March 30th, 2022. This plan makes updates to the radiology and laboratory fee schedules.

Based upon the information provided by the State, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of January 1st, 2022. We are enclosing the approved CMS-179 and a copy of the new state plan page.

If you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please contact Jerica Bennett at 1-410-786-1167 or jerica.bennett@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**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER 2 2 — 0 0 0 6 2. STATE CT

3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT XIX XXI

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

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
January 1, 2022

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
Social Security Act Section 1905(a)(3) and 42 CFR 440.30

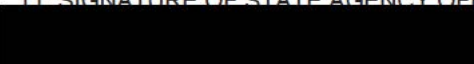
6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
a. FFY 2022 \$ 20,138
b. FFY 2023 \$ 22,613

7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT
Addendum Page 11 to Attachment 4.19-B Page 1

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (if Applicable)
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9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT
This SPA amends Attachment 4.19-B to incorporate January 2022 federal Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS) billing code updates to the the Independent Radiology and Independent Laboratory fee schedules in order to remain compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)
 GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:
 COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
 NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL

12. TYPED NAME
Deidre S. Gifford, MD, MPH
13. TITLE
Commissioner
14. DATE SUBMITTED
March 30, 2022

15. RETURN TO
State of Connecticut
Department of Social Services
55 Farmington Avenue – 9th floor
Hartford, CT 06105
Attention: Ginny Mahoney

FOR CMS USE ONLY
16. DATE RECEIVED 03/30/22 17. DATE APPROVED May 27, 2022

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED
18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL 01/01/22 APPROVING OFFICIAL 
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL Todd McMillion 21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL Director, Division of Reimbursement Review

22. REMARKS

**STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
State Connecticut**

(3) Other Laboratory and X-ray Services –

- **Laboratory Services:** Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of laboratory services. The agency’s fee schedule rates were set as of January 1, 2022 and are effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program website: <https://www.ctdssmap.com>. From this web page, go to “Provider,” then to “Provider Fee Schedule Download.” The Department reviews Medicare rate changes annually to ensure compliance with federal requirements.

- **X-ray Services provided by independent radiology centers:** Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of x-ray services provided by independent radiology centers. The agency’s fee schedule rates were set as of January 1, 2022. All rates are published on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program website: <https://www.ctdssmap.com>. From this web page, go to “Provider,” then to “Provider Fee Schedule Download.” Select the “Independent Radiology” fee schedule, which displays global fees, including both the technical and professional components of each fee.

TN # 22-0006
Supersedes
TN # 21-0022

Approval Date May 27, 2022

Effective Date 01-01-2022