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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 23-0017

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#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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### **Financial Management Group**

November 16, 2023

Carole Johnson
Commissioner
Medical Assistance and Health Services
Department of Human Services
CN 12 Quakerbridge Plaza
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0712

RE: Title XIX State Plan Amendment (SPA), Transmittal #23-0017

Dear Commissioner Johnson:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-B of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number 23-0017. This amendment was submitted in order to update the fee schedules for Adult and Pediatric Medical Day Care Services.

Based upon the information provided by New Jersey, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of July 1, 2023. 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 Division of Reimbursement Review (DRR) analyst Debi Benson at (312) 886-0360 or <a href="mailto:Deborah.Benson@cms.hhs.gov">Deborah.Benson@cms.hhs.gov</a>

Sincerely,

Todd McMillion
Director
Division of Reimbursement Review

Enclosures

	1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER 2. STATE
TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF	2 3 <u>0 0 1 7 NJ</u>
STATE PLAN MATERIAL	3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES	SECURITY ACT
TO OFNITER DIRECTOR	0 0 12.2
TO: CENTER DIRECTOR CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES	4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	July 1, 2023
5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION	6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
42 U.S. C. 1396a(a)(30)(A)	a FFY 2023 \$ 2,113 b FFY 2024 \$ 14,795
7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT	8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION
Attachment 4.19-B Page 9	OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
Attachment 4.19-B Page 9.0	same
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9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT	
Adult and Pediatric Medical Day Care Rate Increase	
10. 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	
	15. RETURN TO
11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL	Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner
a	Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services
12. TYPED NAME Sarah Adelman	P.O. Box 712, Mail Code #26
13. TITLE	Trenton, NJ 08625-0712
Commissioner, Department of Human Services	
14. DATE SUBMITTED	
09/21/23	USE ONLY
FOR CMS	17. DATE APPROVED
16. DATE RECEIVED SEPTEMBER 21, 2023	November 16, 2023
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED	
18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL	19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
JULY 1, 2023	
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL	21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
TODD MCMILLION	DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF REIMBURSEMENT REVIEW
22. REMARKS	

# STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT STATE OF NEW JERSEY

#### METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES FOR NON-INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES

#### INDEPENDENT CLINIC SERVICES

Payment for Independent Clinic Services shall be as follows:

## (1) <u>Independent Clinic Services Generally</u>

(a) Reimbursement for covered services shall be made in accordance with a fee schedule. Except where a set fee schedule exists, reimbursement to independent clinics shall be based on the same fees, conditions and definitions, for corresponding services, utilized for the reimbursement of the individual Title XIX practitioners and providers in "private" practice.

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates for services provided in Independent Clinics are the same for both governmental and private providers of these services.

(b) In no event shall the charge to the Title XIX programs exceed the charge by the provider for identical services to other governmental agencies or other groups or individuals in the community.

The effective date of the applicable fee schedule as well as a link to its electronic publication can be found on page 36 of Attachment 4.19-B of the State Plan.

- (c) Payment for Part B co-insurance and deductible shall be paid only to the Title XIX maximum allowable (less any third party payments).
- (2) Adult Day Health Services (ADHS) and Pediatric Day Health Services (PDHS)

Reimbursement for rehabilitation services for Medical Day Care Services (Adult Day Health Services (ADHS) and Pediatric Day Health Services (PDHS) Services) shall be made in accordance with a per diem rate established yearly by the State for each ADHS or PDHS clinic. All adult Medical Day Care providers, regardless of the setting, shall receive a per diem reimbursement rate equal to \$89.55, effective July 1, 2023. A per diem unit of service shall be equal to at least five continuous hours of service for adults or at least six continuous hours of service for children on-site at the clinic.

23-0017 MA (NJ)

TN: <u>23-0017 MA (NJ)</u>
Approval Date: <u>November 16, 2023</u>

SUPERCEDES: TN: 21-0012 MA (NJ) Effective Date: July 1, 2023

# STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT STATE OF NEW JERSEY Methods and Standards for Establishing Payment Rates for Non- Institutional Services INDEPENDENT CLINIC SERVICES

Adult Day Health Services (ADHS) and Pediatric Day Health Services (PDHS) (continued)

Prior to July 14, 2023 Dates of Service, Pediatric Medical Day Care Centers, regardless of the setting, shall receive a per diem reimbursement rate of \$321.07, equal to the reimbursement rate that was in effect beginning July 1, 2009.

Starting with July 14, 2023 Dates of Service, the rate for Pediatric Medical Day care providers offering on-site pediatric medical day care services is 45% of the average prevailing Medicaid fee-for-service per diem rate for all pediatric Skilled Care Nursing Facilities (SCNFs) in the state. These rates will be updated annually to continue to align the fee-for-service reimbursement rates at 45% of the average prevailing Medicaid fee-for-service per diem rate.

The effective date of the applicable fee schedules as well as a link to their electronic publication can be found on page 36 of Attachment 4.19-B of the State Plan.

TN# <u>23-0017</u> Effective Date: <u>July 1, 2023</u>

Supersedes: <u>10-10</u> Approval Date: <u>November 16, 2023</u>