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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
7500 Security Boulevard, Mail Stop S2-26-12
Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850



June 14, 2023

David Baden
Interim Director
Oregon Health Authority
500 Summer Street Northeast, E-15
Salem, OR 97301-1079

Re: Oregon State Plan Amendment (SPA) OR-23-0018

Dear Mr. Baden:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) reviewed the proposed Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) OR-23-0018. This amendment proposes to temporarily extend, without modifications, the 5% rate increase for nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, and residential care facilities for a temporary period of 5/12/23 through 6/30/23.

CMS conducted our review of your submittal according to statutory requirements in Title XIX of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations. This letter is to inform you that Oregon's Medicaid SPA Transmittal Number OR-23-0018 is approved effective May 12, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact Nikki Lemmon at 303-844-2641 or via email at Nicole.Lemmon@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Alissa M.
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M. Deboy -S
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Alissa Mooney DeBoy
On Behalf of Anne Marie Costello, Deputy Director
Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services

Enclosures

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

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER 2 3 — 0 0 1 8 2. STATE OR

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
5/12/23

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
42 CFR 440.155, 40, 1915(k),(i) and (j)

6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
a. FFY 2023 \$ 3,923,350
b. FFY _____ \$ _____

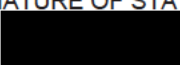
7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT

Section 7.5.B

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
NEW

9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT
This transmittal is being submitted related to COVID-19 emergency disaster relief SPA to extend, without modifications, the 5% rate increase to rates for nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, residential care facilities for a temporary period of 5/12/23 through 6/30/23.

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
 OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL

12. TYPED NAME
Dana Hittle
13. TITLE
Medicaid Director
14. DATE SUBMITTED
6/8/23

15. RETURN TO
Oregon Health Authority
Medical Assistance Programs
500 Summer Street NE E-65
Salem, OR 97301

ATTN: Jesse Anderson, State Plan Manager

FOR CMS USE ONLY

16. DATE RECEIVED
6/8/23

17. DATE APPROVED
June 14, 2023

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL
5/12/23

19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
Alissa M. DeBoy -S
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Date: 2023.06.14 08:34:38 -04'00'

20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
Alissa Mooney DeBoy on Behalf of Anne Marie Costello

21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
Deputy Director, Center for Medicaid and CHIP services

22. REMARKS

State/Territory: OREGON

Section 7 – General Provisions
**7.5.B. Temporary Extension to the Disaster Relief Policies for the COVID-19 National
Emergency**

Effective the day after the end of the PHE until 06/30/2023, the agency temporarily extends the following election(s) of section 7.5 (approved on 11/9/2022 in SPA Number 22-0020) of the state plan:

Section E – Payments

Other:

4. Other payment changes:

Please describe.

All policies and procedures describe in this SPA are time limited to 5/12/2023 through 6/30/23. These temporary rate methods account for the extraordinary expenses these providers have been experiencing in managing the COVID-19 emergency.

Rates for nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, residential care facilities are increased by 5%.