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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 7500 Security Boulevard, Mail Stop S3-14-28 Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850



## **Financial Management Group**

September 2, 2025

Heather Petermann, Director Department of Social Services Division of Medical Services 700 Governors Drive Pierre, SD 571501-2291

RE: TN 25-0011

Dear Director Petermann

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has reviewed the proposed South Dakota state plan amendment (SPA) to Attachment 4.19-A SD 25-0011, which was submitted to CMS on June 13, 2025. This plan amendment updates the supplemental payment amounts for inpatient and nursing facilities.

We reviewed your SPA submission for compliance with statutory requirements, including in sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), 1903 as it relates to the identification of an adequate source for the non-federal share of expenditures under the plan, as required by 1902(a)(2), of the Social Security Act and the applicable implementing Federal regulations.

Based upon the information provided by the state, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of June 1, 2025. 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 Sudev Varma at 301-448-3916 or via email at sudev.varma@cms.hhs.gov

Sincerely,

Rory Howe Director Financial Management Group

**Enclosures** 

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES	1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER 2. STATE 2 5 — 0 0 1 1 SD	
	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  June 1, 2025	
5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION	6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)	
42 CFR 447.201	a FFY 2025 \$ 822,472 b. FFY 2026 \$ 0	
7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT Attachment 4.19-A, Page 14 Attachment 4.19-D, Page 17b	8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable) Attachment 4.19-A, Page 14 TN# 24-0010 Attachment 4.19-D, Page 17b TN# 24-0010	
9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT		
Updates the supplemental payment amounts for inpatient and nurs	ing facility providers.	
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:	
	5. RETURN TO PEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES PIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES	
	00 GOVERNORS DRIVE	
13. TITLE Director	IERRE, SD 57501-2291	
14. DATE SUBMITTED June 13, 2025		
FOR CMS USE ONLY		
	7. DATE APPROVED September 2, 2025	
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED		
18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL 1 June 1, 2025	9. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL	
_	TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL     irector of the Financial Management Group	
22. REMARKS		

The Department of Social Services (DSS) supports ensuring access and proper coordination of care. The department will make supplemental payments to further these goals to the following private providers in the following amounts:

Provider	Amount
Abbot House Inc	\$13,954
Aurora Plains Academy	\$7,662
Avera	\$214,803
Bennett County	\$15,326
Black Hills Surgical	\$14,917
Mobridge Regional	\$7,834
Monument Health	\$764,271
Lutheran Social Services	\$4,586
Our Home	\$28,802
Rushmore Ambulatory Surgery	\$11,254
Sanford	\$234,594
Sioux Falls Children's Home	\$38,413

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The payment will be made to the provider through the MMIS system. Payments will be made directly to the qualifying provider through a supplemental payment mechanism and will appear on their remittance advice. Each provider will receive written notification at the time of payment of the payment amount from the Division of Medical Services.

Payments made in error will be recovered via a supplemental recovery mechanism and will appear on the provider's remittance advice. The agency will notify the provider in writing explaining the error prior to the recovery. The Federal share of payments made in excess will be returned to CMS in accordance with 42 CFR Part 433, Subpart F.

The maximum aggregate payment to all qualifying providers shall not exceed the available upper payment limit in accordance with 42 CFR 447.272.

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Avera	\$16,367
Bennett County	\$529
Legacy	\$22,630
Monument Health	\$4,069
Sanford	\$16,334

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