

Information Memorandum Transmittal Aging and People with Disabilities



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Topic: Long Term Care

Due date:

Subject: Medicaid Home Delivered Meals rate increase

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging: Types A and B | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Intensive In Home Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD program managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Support Service Brokerage Directors | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>please specify</i>): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Residential Services | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs | |

Message:

The Medicaid Home Delivered Meal (HDM) reimbursement rate will be increased to \$11.75 per meal. This increase is effective for all Medicaid HDMs delivered beginning 4/1/2020. Future rate increases for this program will be included in the APD budget proposals, starting with the 21-23 biennium.

Issuing "vouchers"

There is no change required in your process for issuing and paying the SDS 0595N.

Pay-in liability (notice of Eligibility and Responsibility)

With this increase to the consumers cost of service, Medicaid Case Managers are asked to please review the pay-in liability with the new pay-in amount, and issue notices (SDS 0541) 05/01/2020 indicating pay-in changes for meals received in April.

Person-Centered service option

Medicaid HDM is a service option to be considered for all eligible consumers. Besides receiving an in-person delivery of a nutritional meal, a HDM can be critical to enable a consumer to maintain independence and to remain in their own home.

Policy for review: [HDM Standards and Responsibilities](#) ; [OAR Chapter 411, Division 040](#)

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