

**METHODS USED IN ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES**

Reimbursement for adult (age 21 and over) heart, liver, and lung and pediatric (age 20 and under) lung transplant services will be paid the actual billed charges up to a global maximum rate established by the Agency. These payments will be made to physicians and facilities that have met specified guidelines and are established as designated transplant centers as appointed by the Secretary of the Agency. The global maximum reimbursement for transplant surgery services is an all-inclusive payment that encompasses the date of transplantation and extends through 365 days post facility discharge of transplant related care. The Agency’s fee schedule rate was set as of February 22, 2010, and is effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the Agency and Fiscal Agent web site at the following link:

[http://portal.flmmis.com/FLPublic/Provider\\_ProviderSupport/tabId/39/Default.aspx](http://portal.flmmis.com/FLPublic/Provider_ProviderSupport/tabId/39/Default.aspx)

Only one provider may bill for the transplant phase.

Global maximum rates for transplantation surgery are as follows:

| Adult Heart |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| Facility    | Physician |
| \$135,000   | \$27,000  |

| Adult Liver |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| Facility    | Physician |
| \$95,600    | \$27,000  |

| Adult Lung |           |
|------------|-----------|
| Facility   | Physician |
| \$205,000  | \$33,000  |

| Pediatric Lung |           |
|----------------|-----------|
| Facility       | Physician |
| \$280,000      | \$40,800  |

| Adult and Pediatric Intestinal/Multi-visceral |           |
|---|-----------|
| Facility                                      | Physician |
| \$450,000                                     | \$50,000  |