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

State Nebraska

LIMITATIONS - CLINIC SERVICES

## Comprehensive Treatment of Pediatric Feeding Disorders Through Interdisciplinary Treatment.

NMAP covers evaluation and treatment of infants and children who fail to eat and/or drink a sufficient quantity or variety of foods or liquids to meet their nutritional and/or hydration needs.

Comprehensive interdisciplinary treatment means the collaboration of medicine, psychology, nutrition science, speech therapy, occupational therapy, social work, and other appropriate medical and behavioral disciplines in an integrated program.

The service may be provided by hospital affiliated clinics or free-standing clinics.

Day treatment is defined as daily therapy (M-F) from approximately 8:30 am to 5 pm.

Outpatient is defined as therapy 1 to 2 times per week for 1-3 hours per day.

Prior authorization is required of all services before the services are provided.

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METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

<u>Pediatric Feeding Disorder Clinic Intensive Day Treatment</u>: Reimbursement for pediatric feeding disorder clinic intensive day treatment for medically necessary services will be a bundled rate based on the sum of the fee schedule amounts for covered services provided by Medicaid enrolled licensed practitioners. This service is reimbursed via a daily rate.

<u>Pediatric Feeding Disorder Clinic Outpatient Treatment</u>: Reimbursement for Pediatric Feeding Disorder Clinic Outpatient Treatment for medically necessary services will be based on the appropriate fee schedule amount for a physician consultation. This service is reimbursed via an encounter rate.

An encounter means a face-to-face visit between a Medicaid-eligible patient and a physician, psychologist, speech therapist, physical therapist, or dietician during which services are rendered. Encounters with more than one health professional and multiple encounters with the same health professional which take place on the same day and at a single location constitute a single visit.

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, payment for these services is based on state-developed fee schedule rates, which are the same for both governmental and private providers. The agency's rates were set as of July 1, 2010 and are effective for services rendered on or after that date. The fee schedule is subject to annual/periodic adjustment. All rates, including current and prior rates, are published and maintained on the agency's website. Specifically, the fee schedule and any annual/periodic adjustments to the fee schedule are published at <a href="http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/med/provhome.htm">http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/med/provhome.htm</a>.

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