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**STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
Methods and Standards for Establishing Payment Rates for  
Non- Institutional Services  
INDEPENDENT CLINIC SERVICES**

Payment for Independent Clinic Services shall be as follows:

(1) Independent Clinic Services Generally

(a) Reimbursement for covered services in approved independent clinics shall be determined by the Commissioner of the Department of Human Services. Except where a set fee schedule exists, reimbursement to independent clinics shall be based on the same fees, conditions and definitions, for corresponding services, utilized for the reimbursement of the individual Title XIX participating practitioners and providers in "private" practice.

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates for services provided in Independent Clinics are the same for both governmental and private providers of these services, and the fee schedule and any annual/periodic adjustments to the fee schedule are published in the DMAHS Independent Clinic Manual. The Department's rates are set on an as-needed basis, and are effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the Department's fiscal agent website at [www.njmmis.com](http://www.njmmis.com) and the link "Rate Information."

(b) In no event shall the charge to the Title XIX programs exceed the charge by the provider for identical services to other governmental agencies or other groups or individuals in the community.

(c) Payment for Part B co-insurance and deductible shall be paid only to the Title XIX maximum allowable (less any third party payments).

(2) Adult Day Health Services (ADHS) and Pediatric Day Health Services (PDHS)

Reimbursement for rehabilitation services for Medical Day Care Services (Adult Day Health Services (ADHS) and Pediatric Day Health Services (PDHS) Services) shall be made in accordance with a per diem rate established yearly by the State for each ADHS or PDHS clinic. All adult Medical Day Care providers, regardless of the setting, shall receive a per diem reimbursement rate equal to \$78.50, effective July 1, 2009. A per diem unit of service shall be equal to at least five continuous hours of service for adults or at least six continuous hours of service for children on-site at the clinic.

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