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**Financial Management Group**

November 28, 2018

Donna Frescatore  
State Medicaid Director  
NYS Department of Health  
One Commerce Plaza  
Suite 1211  
Albany, NY 12210

RE: State Plan Amendment (SPA) 18-0059


Dear Ms.Frescatore :

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-A of your Medicaid State Plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 18-0059. Effective July 1, 2018 this amendment will increase the per diem for children's inpatient psychiatric services by increasing the age adjustment factor.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), 1903(a) and 1923 of the Social Security Act and the implementing Federal regulations at 42 CFR Part 447. This letter is to inform you SPA 18-0059 is approved effective July 1, 2018. We are enclosing the CMS-179 and the approved plan page.

If you have any questions, please contact Charlene Holzbaur at 609-882-4103 Ext. 104.


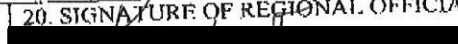
Sincerely,



Kristin Fan  
Director

Enclosures

cc: M. Melendez  
R. Holligan  
R. Weaver  
T. Brady  
C. Holzbaur

<b>TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL</b>  <b>FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION</b>		1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 18-0059	2. STATE New York
		3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)	
TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE July 1, 2018	
5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL. (Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> NEW STATE PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)			
6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION: §1902(a) of the Social Security Act, and 42 CFR 447		7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT: (in thousands) a. FFY 07/01/18-09/30/18 \$ 560.00 b. FFY 10/01/18-09/30/19 \$ 2,240.00	
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: Attachment 4.19-A: Page 117(i)		9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable): Attachment 4.19-A: Page 117(i)	
10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT: Inpatient Psychiatric Services Rate Adjustments (FMAP = 50%)			
11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED <input type="checkbox"/> NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL. <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:</span>			
12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL: 		16. RETURN TO: New York State Department of Health Division of Finance & Rate Setting 99 Washington Ave - One Commerce Plaza Suite 1432 Albany, NY 12210	
13. TYPED NAME: Donna Frescatore			
14. TITLE: Medicaid Director, Department of Health			
15. DATE SUBMITTED:			
17. DATE RECEIVED: SEP 28 2018		18. DATE APPROVED: NOV 28 2018	
FOR REGIONAL OFFICE USE ONLY			
19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL: JUL 01 2018		20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL: 	
21. TYPED NAME: Kristin Fan		22. TITLE: Director, FMG	
23. REMARKS:			

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772	1	Alcohol & Drug Dependence w Rehab or Rehab/Detox Therapy, SOI-1	0.8373
772	2	Alcohol & Drug Dependence w Rehab or Rehab/Detox Therapy, SOI-2	0.8373
772	3	Alcohol & Drug Dependence w Rehab or Rehab/Detox Therapy, SOI-3	0.8373
772	4	Alcohol & Drug Dependence w Rehab or Rehab/Detox Therapy, SOI-4	0.8373
773	1	Opioid Abuse & Dependence, SOI-1	1.0204
773	2	Opioid Abuse & Dependence, SOI-2	1.0204
773	3	Opioid Abuse & Dependence, SOI-3	1.0361
773	4	Opioid Abuse & Dependence, SOI-4	1.0361
774	1	Cocaine Abuse & Dependence, SOI-1	0.9807
774	2	Cocaine Abuse & Dependence, SOI-2	1.0360
774	3	Cocaine Abuse & Dependence, SOI-3	1.0513
774	4	Cocaine Abuse & Dependence, SOI-4	1.0513
775	1	Alcohol Abuse & Dependence, SOI-1	1.0196
775	2	Alcohol Abuse & Dependence, SOI-2	1.0709
775	3	Alcohol Abuse & Dependence, SOI-3	1.0709
775	4	Alcohol Abuse & Dependence, SOI-4	1.0709
776	1	Other Drug Abuse & Dependence, SOI-1	0.9363
776	2	Other Drug Abuse & Dependence, SOI-2	1.0926
776	3	Other Drug Abuse & Dependence, SOI-3	1.0926
776	4	Other Drug Abuse & Dependence, SOI-4	1.0926

- iii. A rural adjustment factor of 1.2309 will be applied to the operating per diem for those hospitals designated as rural hospitals. A rural facility is a general hospital with a service area which has an average population of less than 175 persons per square mile, or a general hospital with a service area which has an average population of less than 200 persons per square mile measured as population density by zip code. For dates of service beginning on or after July 1, 2014, rural designation will be applicable to hospitals located in an upstate region, as defined in subparagraph (l) of this section, and with population densities of 225 persons or fewer per square mile as determined based on the New York State 2010 Vital Statistics table of estimated population, land area, and population density. Accordingly, there are 27 rural facilities that provide inpatient psychiatric services.
- iv. An age adjustment payment factor of [1.0872] 1.3597 will be applied to the per diem operating component for adolescents ages 17 and under. For ages 18 and over, an adjustment payment factor of 1 will be applied.

NOV 28 2018

TN #18-0059

Approval Date JUL 01 2018

Supersedes TN #14-0029

Effective Date