PAYMENT FOR CHIROPRACTIC SERVICES

Payments for chiropractic services use the physicians' fee schedule methodology described in Section D "Physicians," Page 4 of ATTACHMENT 4.19-B.

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of these services. The agency's rates were set in accordance with the methodology described in Section D "Physicians", and are effective for services on or after July 1, 2013. Payments are based on the established fee schedule unless a lower amount is billed. All rates are published on the agency's website at http://health.utah.gov/medicaid/.

The annual Medicaid budget requests include inflation factors for these services based on the Consumer Price Index published by the U.S. Department of Labor Statistics. The actual inflation will be established by the Utah State Legislature based on economic trends and conditions. Consideration will be given to the inflation adjustments given in prior years relative to the Consumer Price Index. Inflation adjustments, as appropriate, will typically occur each July 1.

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