PROPOSED CHANGES IN METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENT RATES

STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTHCARE AND FAMILY SERVICES

The Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) is proposing changes in the methods and standards for setting payment rates for providers of mental health services. The proposed changes are effective for dates of service July 1, 2022 and after.

The Department proposes increasing the Medicaid reimbursement rates for certain mental health services as follows:

Service	Staff Level	Unit	On-Site Rate	Off-Site Rate
IATP, LPHA Review	LPHA	15 min	\$31.81	N/A
Crisis Stabilization	MHP	15 min	\$25.00	\$25.00
Therapy/Counseling	MHP	15 min	\$27.32	\$30.26
Therapy/Counseling	QMHP	15 min	\$34.84	\$38.00
Therapy/Counseling	LPHA	15 min	\$31.81	\$35.60
Community Support	RSA	15 min	\$30.05	\$32.47
Community Support	MHP	15 min	\$33.32	\$36.26
Community Support	QMHP	15 min	\$34.84	\$38.00
Case Management	RSA	15 min	\$30.05	\$32.47
Case Management	MHP	15 min	\$33.32	\$36.26
Case Management	QMHP	15 min	\$34.84	\$38.00
Assertive Community Treatment	Multidisciplinary Team	15 min	\$49.98	\$54.78

The proposed fee schedule for mental health services effective July 1, 2022 is provided as an attachment to this notice. The Department estimates this proposed change in reimbursement rates will result in an annual increase in Medicaid liability of \$130.4 million for services provided through fee-for-service or through managed care organizations.

The Department also proposes introducing access payments for providers of team-based mental health services. Mental health providers of assertive community treatment shall receive an access payment of equivalent to \$6,000 annually for each Medicaid customer who receives at least 300 units of assertive community treatment services in a calendar year. Mental health providers of team-based community support services shall receive an access payment equivalent to \$4,200 annually for each Medicaid customer who receives at least 200 units of team-based community support services in a calendar year. The Department estimates this proposed change will result in an annual increase in Medicaid liability of \$2.67 million for services provided through fee-for-service.

These proposed changes are subject to approval by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and may be modified or revised during the approval process.

Any interested party may submit questions or comments concerning these proposed changes in reimbursement methods and standards. All questions or comments must be submitted in writing within thirty (30) days of the publication date of this notice and addressed to:

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This notice may be viewed at the DHS local offices (except Cook County). In Cook County, the notice and clarification may be reviewed at the Office of the Director, Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services, 401 South Clinton Street, 1st Floor, Chicago, Illinois. Comments received regarding this notice shall be published on the HFS web site at https://www.illinois.gov/hfs/info/legal/PublicNotices/Pages/default.aspx

This notice is being provided in accordance with federal requirements found at 42 CFR 447.205.

DRAFT Fee Schedule for Providers of Community-Based Behavioral Health Services Effective: 7/1/2022

	Proc Code	Modifiers			State Max	
Service Name		1	2	Units	On-Site	Off-Site
Group A - billable by BHC, CMHC, IPs						
Assessment and Treatment Planning						
Integrated Assessment and Treatment Planning (IATP)	H2000	HN		1/4 hr	\$ 26.32	\$ 29.26
Integrated Assessment and Treatment Planning (IATP)	H2000	НО		1/4 hr	\$ 27.84	\$ 31.00
IATP: LPHA Review	H2000	SC		1/4 hr	\$ 31.81	N/A
IATP: Review and Update	H2000	HN	SF	1/4 hr	\$ 26.32	\$ 29.26
IATP: Review and Update	H2000	НО	SF	1/4 hr	\$ 27.84	\$ 31.00
IATP: Clinical Assessment Tool under LPHA direction	H2000	52	31	1/4 hr	\$ 26.32	\$ 29.26
IATP: Clinical Assessment Tool performed by an LPHA	H2000	TF		1/4 hr	\$ 27.84	\$ 31.00
IATP: Psychological Assessment	H2000	AH		1/4 hr	\$ 27.84	\$ 31.00
IATP: Psychological Assessment	H2000	HP		1/4 hr	\$ 34.54	\$ 38.80
IATP: LOCUS Assessment	H2000	HN	HE	1/4 hr	\$ 26.32	\$ 29.26
Crisis Services	112000	TIIN	TIL	1/4 111	\$ 20.32	7 29.20
Crisis Intervention	H2011	HN		1/4 hr	\$ 39.98	\$ 45.27
Therapy/Counseling Services	112011	TIIN		1/4 111	ŷ 33.38	γ - -3.27
Therapy/Counseling Services Therapy/Counseling - Individual	H0004	HN		1/4 hr	\$ 27.32	\$ 30.26
Therapy/Counseling - Individual Therapy/Counseling - Individual	H0004 H0004	HO				\$ 30.26
			TI	1/4 hr	\$ 34.84	· ·
Therapy/Counseling - Brief Intervention Therapy/Counseling - Group	H0004	TF	TL	1/4 hr	\$ 31.81	\$ 35.60
	H0004	HN	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 4.58	\$ 5.31
Therapy/Counseling - Group	H0004	НО	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 6.62	\$ 7.67
Therapy/Counseling - Family	H0004	HN	HR	1/4 hr	\$ 27.32	\$ 30.26
Therapy/Counseling - Family	H0004	НО	HR	1/4 hr	\$ 34.84	\$ 38.00
Group B - billable by BHC and CMHC						
General Medicaid Rehabilitation Option Services					4	
Community Support - Individual	H2015	НМ		1/4 hr	\$ 30.05	\$ 32.47
Community Support - Individual	H2015	HN		1/4 hr	\$ 33.32	\$ 36.26
Community Support - Individual	H2015	НО		1/4 hr	\$ 34.84	\$ 38.00
Community Support - Group	H2015	НМ	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 3.77	\$ 4.37
Community Support - Group	H2015	HN	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 4.58	\$ 5.31
Community Support - Group	H2015	НО	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 6.62	\$ 7.67
Medication Administration	T1502	TE		Event	\$ 22.02	\$ 25.54
Medication Administration	T1502	SA		Event	\$ 27.89	\$ 32.37
Medication Monitoring	H2010	52		1/4 hr	\$ 22.04	\$ 22.04
Medication Monitoring	H2010	SA		1/4 hr	\$ 26.54	\$ 26.54
Medication Monitoring	H2010	AF		1/4 hr	\$ 36.89	\$ 36.89
Medication Training - Individual	H0034	52		1/4 hr	\$ 23.32	\$ 26.26
Medication Training - Individual	H0034	SA		1/4 hr	\$ 26.54	\$ 30.80
Medication Training - Group	H0034	52	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 6.11	\$ 7.10
Medication Training - Group	H0034	SA	HQ	1/4 hr	\$ 8.85	\$ 10.27
Targeted Case Management Services						T
Case Management - Client-Centered Consultation	T1016	НМ	HS	1/4 hr	\$ 30.05	\$ 32.47
Case Management - Client-Centered Consultation	T1016	HN	HS	1/4 hr	\$ 33.32	\$ 36.26
Case Management - Mental Health	T1016	НМ		1/4 hr	\$ 30.05	\$ 32.47
Case Management - Mental Health	T1016	HN		1/4 hr	\$ 33.32	\$ 36.26
Case Management - Transition Linkage and Aftercare	T1016	HN	TS	1/4 hr	\$ 33.32	\$ 36.26
Case Management - Transition Linkage and Aftercare	T1016	НО	TS	1/4 hr	\$ 34.84	\$ 38.00
Crisis Services				1		ı
Crisis Intervention - Team	H2011	HN	HT	1/4 hr	N/A	\$52.57
Crisis Stabilization	T1019	HN		1/4 hr	\$25.00	\$25.00
Mobile Crisis Response	S9484	HN		Event	\$202.09	\$274.60
Mobile Crisis Response - Team	S9484	HN	HT	Event	N/A	\$327.92

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Intensive Services Requiring Program Certification							
Community Support Team	H2016	*		1/4 hr	\$34.84	\$38.00	
Violence Prevention Community Support Team - Individual	H0037	*		1/4 hr	\$34.84	\$38.00	
Violence Prevention Community Support Team - Group	H0037	HQ	*	1/4 hr	\$4.86	\$5.64	
Mental Health Intensive Outpatient - Adult Program	S9480	НО	НВ	1 hr	\$17.62	\$17.62	
Mental Health Intensive Outpatient - Child Program	S9480	НО	HA	1 hr	\$70.00	N/A	
Behavioral Health Screening Services							
Developmental Screening	96110	TF		Event	\$ 17.14	\$ 17.14	
Developmental Testing	96112	TF		Event	\$ 17.14	\$ 17.14	
Mental Health Risk Assessment	96127	TF		Event	\$ 15.57	\$ 15.57	
Prenatal Care At-Risk Assessment	H1000	TF		Event	\$ 15.57	\$ 15.57	
Family Support Program (FSP) Services							
FSP Application Assistance	G9012	HN	SE	1/4 hr	\$ 19.60	\$ 19.60	
FSP Clinical Case Participation	T1016	HN	SE	1/4 hr	\$ 20.19	\$ 20.19	
FSP Family Support Services	T1999	SE		Event			
FSP Therapeutic Support Services	H0046	SE		Event			
Group C - billable by CMHC only							
Telehealth Services							
Telepsychiatry: Originating Site	Q3014	HN		Event	\$ 25.00	N/A	
Intensive Services Requiring Program Certification							
Assertive Community Treatment - Individual	H0039	*		1/4 hr	\$49.98	\$ 54.78	
Assertive Community Treatment - Group	H0039	HQ	*	1/4 hr	\$9.99	\$ 11.59	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Individual	H2017	НМ		1/4 hr	\$15.05	N/A	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Individual	H2017	HN		1/4 hr	\$18.32	N/A	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Individual	H2017	НО		1/4 hr	\$19.84	N/A	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Group	H2017	НМ	HQ	1/4 hr	\$3.77	N/A	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Group	H2017	HN	HQ	1/4 hr	\$4.58	N/A	
Psychosocial Rehabilitation - Group	H2017	НО	HQ	1/4 hr	\$6.62	N/A	

^{*}CST, VP-CST, and ACT services must be billed with an additional modifier indicating the highest level of practitioner level delivering the unit(s) of service from the acceptable list of modifiers. See the Handbook for Providers of Community-Based Behavioral Services for more information.