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Financial Management Group

April 12, 2022

Ms. Stephanie Stephens
State Medicaid/CHIP Director
Health and Human Services Commission
Mail Code: H100
Post Office Box 13247
Austin, Texas 78711

RE: Texas TN 22-0010

Dear Ms. Stephens:

We have reviewed the proposed Texas State Plan Amendment (SPA) to Attachment 4.19-B, TX#22-0010, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on March 29, 2022. The proposed amendment updates the Chemical Dependency Treatment Facility (CDFT) fee schedule.

Based upon the information provided by the State, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of March 1, 2022. We are enclosing the approved CMS-179 and a copy of the new state plan page.

If you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please contact Monica Neiman at: Monica.Neiman@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Todd McMillion

Todd McMillion
Director
Division of Reimbursement Review

Enclosures
TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 2 2 0 0 1 0
2. STATE: T X
3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

TO: CENTER DIRECTOR
CENTERs FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE: March 1, 2022

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
42 C.F.R. § 440.50(a); §1905(a)(5)(A) of the Social Security Act, relating to Physician Services; 42 C.F.R. § 440.60(a); §1905(a)(6) of the Social Security Act, relating to Other Licensed Practitioners.

6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
   a. FFY 2022: $56,037
   b. FFY 2023: $88,456
   c. FFY 2024: $86,935

7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT
   Attachment 4.19-B
   Page 21

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
   Attachment 4.19-B
   Page 21 (TN 19-0038)

9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT
   The proposed amendment updates the Chemical Dependency Treatment Facility (CDFT) fee schedule.

10. GOVERNOR’S REVIEW (Check One)
    [ ] GOVERNOR’S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT
    [ ] COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR’S OFFICE ENCLOSED
    [X] NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL
    OTHER, AS SPECIFIED: Sent to Governor's Office this date. Comments, if any, will be forwarded upon receipt.

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL
    Stephanie Stephens
    Digitally signed by Stephanie Stephens
    Date: 2022.03.29
    09:26:33 -06'00'

12. TYPED NAME
    Stephanie Stephens

13. TITLE
    State Medicaid Director

14. DATE SUBMITTED
    March 29, 2022

15. RETURN TO
    Stephanie Stephens
    State Medicaid Director
    Post Office Box 13247, MC: H-100
    Austin, Texas 78711

16. DATE RECEIVED
    March 29, 2022

17. DATE APPROVED
    April 12, 2022

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL
    March 01, 2022

19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
    Todd McMillion
    Director Division of Reimbursement Review

20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
    Todd McMillion

21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
    Director Division of Reimbursement Review

22. REMARKS

FORM CMS-179 (09/24)
28. **Rehabilitative Chemical Dependency Treatment Facility Services**

Medicaid providers of rehabilitative substance abuse and dependency treatment services are reimbursed based on fee schedules as follows:

(a) Payment for covered rehabilitative substance abuse and dependency treatment services provided by a participating treatment facility is limited to the lesser of the customary charge or the allowable rates per established fee schedule by the single state agency. Room and board costs are excluded from the calculation of these chemical dependency facilities.

(b) The fee schedule established by HHSC is based upon: (1) analysis of the Department of State Health Services Mental Health Block Grant Substance Abuse Services fees; (2) review of Medicaid fees paid by other states; (3) Medicaid fees for similar services; and/or (4) some combination or percentage thereof.

(c) All fee schedules are available through the agency’s website as outlined on Attachment 4.19-B, Page 1.

(d) The agency’s fee schedule was revised with new fees for providers of rehabilitative substance abuse and dependency treatment services effective for services on or after March 1, 2022. The fee schedule was posted on the agency’s website by April 15, 2022.