



Date: January 12, 2022

To: Primary Home Care, Community Attendant Services, Family Care (PHC/CAS/FC) service providers

Subject: Information Letter No. 2022-04
Payment Rates for PHC/CAS/FC Personal Attendant Services
Effective January 1, 2022

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) approved payment rates for PHC/CAS/FC personal attendant services, effective January 1, 2022.

HHSC implements these rates for personal attendant services by increasing the personal attendant base wage to \$8.11, under the 2020-21 General Appropriations Act, House Bill 1, 86th Legislature, Regular Session, 2019 (Article II, HHSC, Rider 45).

The increased PHC/CAS/FC personal attendant base wage ensures HHSC meets the legislative intent of Rider 45. HHSC approved these rates through our regular rate hearing process on November 12, 2021. The approved PHC/CAS/FC personal attendant rates, effective January 1, 2022, can be accessed at:
<https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/long-term-services-supports/primary-home-care-phc>.

Claims Submission

Providers should continue to bill using their normal billing process. Individual providers require no additional action.

Resources

Please contact the HHSC Provider Finance, Long-term Services and Supports Customer Information Team at PFD-LTSS@hhs.texas.gov or (512) 424-6637 if you have questions regarding the rates or this letter.

Sincerely,

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