

TO: Local District Commissioners, Medicaid Directors

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SUBJECT: Medicaid Regional Rates for Calculating Transfer Penalty Periods for 2014

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The purpose of this General Information System (GIS) message is to inform local departments of social services of the year 2014 Medicaid regional rates which must be used to determine a transfer penalty period for coverage of nursing facility services. This is in accordance with 96 ADM-8, "OBRA '93 Provisions on Transfers and Trusts" and 06 OMM/ADM-5, "Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 - Long-Term Care Medicaid Eligibility Changes." These rates are based on average private pay nursing home costs in each of the seven regions in the State.

<p>Central \$8,645</p> <p>Broome Jefferson Oswego Cayuga Lewis St. Lawrence Chenango Madison Tioga Cortland Oneida Tompkins Herkimer Onondaga</p>	<p>Northern Metropolitan \$11,135</p> <p>Dutchess Ulster Orange Westchester Putnam Rockland Sullivan</p>
<p>Northeastern \$9,212</p> <p>Albany Fulton Saratoga Clinton Greene Schenectady Columbia Hamilton Schoharie Delaware Montgomery Warren Essex Otsego Washington Franklin Rensselaer</p>	<p>New York City \$11,423</p> <p>Bronx Queens Kings (Brooklyn) Richmond (Staten Island) New York (Manhattan)</p> <p>Long Island \$12,112</p> <p>Nassau Suffolk</p>
<p>Western \$8,971</p> <p>Allegany Niagara Cattaraugus Orleans Chautauqua Wyoming Erie Genesee</p>	<p>Rochester \$10,073</p> <p>Chemung Seneca Livingston Steuben Monroe Wayne Ontario Yates Schuyler</p>

Reminder: Districts must use the rate for the region in which the facility is located.