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To: Medicaid Certified Nursing Facilities

From: Barbara Skeen, Director, Division of Rate Setting and Provider Reimbursement, Office of Accountability and Management Reporting

Re: Nursing Facility Per Diem Rates – July 1, 2024 – September 30, 2024

On October 27, 2023, the Office of Accountability and Management Reporting sent a letter to each nursing facility informing the facility of its per diem rate effective October 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024. The established rates were in effect for a 9-month period through June 30, 2024, instead of the usual 6-month period, due to the anticipated implementation of the new rate methodology on July 1, 2024.

Due to some unforeseen delays with the development of the new rate methodology, the implementation date has been moved from July 1, 2024, to October 1, 2024. As a result, the nursing facility rates that have been in effect since October 1, 2023, will continue to be in effect through September 30, 2024. Rates using the new methodology will be effective beginning October 1, 2024.

Additional information about the new methodology and training will be forthcoming.

