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Message:

DMAP will post the attached announcement on the [OHP Provider Announcements](#) page, distribute via eSubscribe, mention in the banner messages of outgoing paper remittance advices to hospice providers, and mention in the Messages panel of the Provider Web Portal at <https://www.or-medicaid.gov>.

- The announcement tells providers about the new Medicaid hospice payment rates effective October 1, 2010. It also includes billing reminders and where to find the new rates on the OHP Web site.
- DMAP also posts these rates on the Hospice Services provider guidelines page at www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/healthplan/guides/hospice/main.html.

If you have any questions about this information, contact:

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To: Hospice Service Providers
From: Donald Ross, Section Manager
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Subject: New Hospice rates effective October 1, 2010



Effective October 1, 2010, DMAP will update the Medicaid payment rates for the Hospice Services program. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) update these rates annually, based on the annual Medicare hospice rates. The new rates apply to care and services provided from October 1, 2010, through September 30, 2011.

The full rate schedule follows. Please note that when submitting claims for hospice services, you must:

1. Bill the usual charge or the rate based on the Cost-Based Statistical Area where care is furnished, whichever is lower, in accordance with Oregon Administrative Rule 410-142-0300(1).
2. Enter Value Code 61 then enter the CBSA code for your geographic location. When you enter this code, add .00 to the end. For example, you would enter CBSA code 38 as 38.00.

The Hospice Services supplemental information will also include this new schedule effective October 1, 2010, and instructions for completing claim forms. You can find this on the OHP Web site at www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/healthplan/guides/hospice/main.html.

Questions?

If you have questions about this information, please contact one of the following:

- Claims and billing questions: DMAP Provider Services, 800-336-6016 or e-mail dmap.providerservices@state.or.us.
- Policy questions: Judith Van Osdol, DMAP Policy Analyst, 503-945-6743 or e-mail judith.vanosdol@state.or.us.

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Hospice Rates

Effective October 1, 2010. Follow CMS guidelines.

When billing for hospice services the provider must bill the usual charge or the rate based upon the geographic location in which the care is furnished, whichever is lower.

Cost-Based Statistical Area (CBSA) per Federal Register		Rates				
		Per diem				Per hour
Area	CBSA* Code	Routine Home Care (Rev 651, T2042)	Inpatient Respite Care (Rev 655, T2044)	General Inpatient Care (Rev 656, T2045)	In-Home Respite Care (Rev 659)	Continuous Home Care (Rev 652, T2043)
Bend Includes Deschutes County	13460	\$166.65	\$176.64	\$734.35	\$173.95	\$40.49
Corvallis Includes Benton County	18700	\$161.97	\$172.63	\$714.98	\$169.05	\$39.35
Eugene-Springfield Includes Lane County	21660	\$162.31	\$172.92	\$716.36	\$169.43	\$39.43
Medford Includes Jackson County	32780	\$152.14	\$164.20	\$674.27	\$158.80	\$36.96
Portland-Beaverton Includes Clackamas, Columbia, Multnomah, Washington & Yamhill Counties	38900	\$167.20	\$177.11	\$736.61	\$174.53	\$40.62
Salem Includes Marion & Polk Counties	41420	\$161.67	\$172.37	\$713.73	\$168.75	\$39.28
All Other Areas	38	\$153.89	\$165.71	\$681.54	\$160.63	\$37.39

* Core-Based Statistical Areas—Providers need to change these codes when submitting claims by inserting ‘.00’ at the end of the code (*i.e.*, 13460 should be inserted as 13460.00).