

Media Advisory



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Public Notice: Provider rate increase effective, January 1, 2020

(Salem, Ore.) — The Department of Human Services, Office of Developmental Disabilities Services is announcing rate changes (increases) for Medicaid-Enrolled Direct Nursing Service Providers.

The Department of Human Services, in conjunction with the Oregon Health Authority, is updating the Medicaid fee-for-service rates for all provider types of Direct Nursing Services providers. Hourly rate adjustments billed by unit rates will apply to:

- Self-Employed Registered Nurse services
- Self-Employed Licensed Practical Nurse services
- Agency Registered Nurse services
- Agency Licensed Practical Nurse services

Rates will be retroactive to January 1, 2020. To see specific rate changes and for further claim instructions, please refer to the following:

<https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Pages/Announcements.aspx>

<https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Announcements/Fee-for-service%20rates%20for%20DHS-OHA%20private%20duty%20nursing%20services%20effective%20January%201,%202020.pdf>

Providers with questions may contact the following:

- Rate and policy questions: Ken Ralph, 503-580-0321 or ken.j.ralph@dhsoha.state.or.us.
- Authorization and claims questions: Chris Munn, 971-701-5299 or christopher.m.munn@dhsoha.state.or.us.

About ODDS: The Oregon Department of Human Services' Office of Developmental Disabilities Services provides leadership to support persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities to live as full participants in their communities.

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