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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
Home Health Transmittal No. 63
January 4, 2016

TO: Home Health Agency Administrators
FROM: *Susan J. Tucker*
Susan J. Tucker, Executive Director
Office of Health Services
RE: Calendar Year 2016 Home Health Fee Schedule

NOTE: Please ensure that appropriate staff members in your organization are informed of the contents of this transmittal

The intent of this transmittal is to inform home health agency providers that there will be no adjustment to the Medicaid Program's fee schedule for home health services rendered to Medicaid recipients via fee-for-service. The Medicaid rates, which are currently in effect, will remain unchanged on January 1, 2016.

Questions regarding the fee schedule may be addressed to the Division of Nursing Services' staff at 410-767-1448. If you would like to request a copy of the Disposable Medical Supplies/Durable Medical Equipment Approved List of Items, please call the Division of Community Support Services' staff at 410-767-1739 or you may retrieve a copy of the list from the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene's website at <https://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/communitysupport/SitePages/approvedlist.aspx>.

Enclosure

**MARYLAND MEDICAID'S HOME HEALTH SERVICES
FEE SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE 01/01/16**

	0551	0571	0421	0431	0441
COUNTY	SKN	HHA	PT	OT	SP
Allegany	\$105.65	\$51.26	\$114.27	\$114.32	\$114.76
Anne Arundel	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Baltimore	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Calvert	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31
Caroline	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$138.87	\$139.71	\$143.41
Carroll	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Cecil	\$130.33	\$63.23	\$140.94	\$140.93	\$141.48
Charles	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31
Dorchester	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$138.87	\$139.71	\$143.41
Frederick	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31
Garrett	\$131.39	\$66.25	\$112.72	\$110.29	\$120.75
Harford	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Howard	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Kent	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$138.87	\$139.71	\$143.41
Montgomery	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31
Prince George's	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31
Queen Anne's	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
St. Mary's	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$138.87	\$139.71	\$143.41
Somerset	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$127.60	\$88.66	\$143.41
Talbot	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$138.87	\$139.71	\$143.41
Washington	\$131.39	\$68.71	\$112.72	\$110.29	\$120.75
Wicomico	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$127.60	\$88.66	\$143.41
Worcester	\$135.86	\$58.65	\$127.60	\$88.66	\$143.41
CITY	SKN	HHA	PT	OT	SP
Baltimore	\$113.54	\$55.09	\$122.77	\$125.42	\$123.29
Washington, D.C.	\$124.64	\$60.48	\$134.79	\$134.79	\$135.31

The Maryland Home Health reimbursement rates are set based on the county where the home health agency's home office is located.

SKN	= Skilled Nursing	(0551)
HHA	= Home Health Aide	(0571)
PT	= Physical Therapy	(0421)
OT	= Occupational Therapy	(0431)
SP	= Speech Pathology	(0441)
DMS/DME	= Disposable Medical Supplies and Durable Medical Equipment	(0273)

**Note = All home health aide services are to be billed using procedure code 0571.
All disposable medical supplies and durable medical equipment are to be billed
using procedure code 0273.**

For out-of-state providers, rates will be paid at the lower of the following:

1. The home state's Medicaid rate for the same service rendered by the same provider if the provider participates in its home state Medicaid Program; or
2. The rate paid for the same service rendered by a provider in the nearest Maryland County.

