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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
Community First Choice Transmittal No. 9
Community Personal Assistance Services Transmittal No. 6
July 28, 2020

To: Community First Choice Providers
Community Personal Assistance Services Providers

From: Marlana R. Hutchinson, Director 
Office of Long Term Services and Supports

Subject: Fiscal Year 2021 Rates for CPAS and CFC Services

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

On July 1, 2020, payment for providers of services in the Community First Choice and Community Personal Assistance Services programs will increase. In accordance with the Fiscal Year 2021 State budget, rates will increase by 4 percent.

Attached are revised rates for Fiscal Year 2021. Providers may bill the new rates for services provided on or after July 1, 2020.

Questions regarding program rates should be directed to Denay Fields, Chief, Division of Participant Enrollment and Service Review at 410-767-1483 or program staff at 410-767-1739.

Attachments (2)

Community First Choice Program

Payment Rates Effective July 1, 2020

Service Name	Procedure Code	Rate
Accessibility Adaptations	W5513	Combined \$15,000 maximum over a 3-year period
Technology	W5514	
Consumer Training	W5518	\$47.22 per hour (\$11.80 per 15-minute unit)
Environmental Assessments	W5512	\$463.37 per assessment
Home Delivered Meals	W5516	\$6.61 per meal
Personal Assistance Services	W5519	\$18.75 per hour (\$4.6878 per 15-minute unit)
Personal Assistance Services (Shared Attendant)	W5521	\$12.50 per hour (\$3.125 per 15-minute unit)
Personal Assistance Services (Daily)	W5532	\$241.97 per day
Personal Assistance Services (Shared Daily)	W5533	\$161.31 per day
Personal Emergency Response Systems - Installation	W5510	Up to \$500.00 (annual)
Personal Emergency Response Systems - Monthly Monitoring	W5511	\$45.00 per month
Supports Planning (On-going)	W5523	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Supports Planning (Comprehensive)	W5524	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Supports Planning (Administrative)	W5525	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Transition Services	W5517	\$3,000 maximum per transition
Nurse Monitoring	W5522	\$92.54 per hour (\$23.135 per 15-minute unit)

Please note that other billing limitations apply, as specified in COMAR 10.09.84.

Please note that rates for Accessibility Adaptations/Technology, Personal Emergency Response Systems Installation and Monitoring, and Transition Services are not subject to the annual increase in accordance with COMAR 10.09.84.24.

Community Personal Assistance Services (CPAS) Program

Payment Rates Effective July 1, 2020

Service Name	Procedure Code	Rate
Personal Assistance Services	W5527	\$18.75 per hour (\$4.6878 per 15-minute unit)
Personal Assistance Services (Shared Attendant)	W5528	\$12.50 per hour (\$3.125 per 15-minute unit)
Supports Planning (On-going)	W5526	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Supports Planning (Comprehensive)	W5524	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Supports Planning (Administrative)	W5525	\$68.29 per hour (\$17.072 per 15-minute unit)
Nurse Monitoring	W5529	\$92.54 per hour (\$23.135 per 15-minute unit)

Please note that other billing limitations apply, as specified in COMAR 10.09.20.