

Public Notice

**Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
Medical Services Administration**

***Update to the Reimbursement for Neonatal Services
State Plan Amendment Request***

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) plans to submit a State Plan Amendment (SPA) request to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) to increase reimbursement for specified neonatal services. The anticipated effective date for this SPA is February 1, 2020.

In response to the MDHHS Fiscal Year 2020 budget contained in Public Act 154 of 2019, Section 459, effective for dates of service on and after February 1, 2020, Medicaid reimbursement rates for practitioners providing specified neonatal intensive and critical care services will be increased to 95% of the Medicare rate.

The estimated gross cost to the State of Michigan for the SPA is \$2.7 million per year and has been included in state budget appropriations.

There is no public meeting scheduled regarding this notice. Any interested party wishing to request a written copy of the SPA or wishing to submit comments may do so by submitting a request in writing to: MDHHS/Medical Services Administration, Program Policy Division, PO Box 30479, Lansing MI 48909-7979 or e-mail MSADraftPolicy@michigan.gov by February 18, 2020. A copy of the proposed State Plan Amendment will also be available for review at http://michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-73970_5080-108153--,00.html .

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