

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL**

FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER <u>24</u> — <u>0002</u>	2. STATE <u>MI</u>
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3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

TO: CENTER DIRECTOR
CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

3. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
April 1, 2024

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
42 CFR 447

6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
a. FFY 2024 \$11,400,000
b. FFY 2025 \$0

7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT


Attachment 4.19-A, Pages 28c

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
Attachment 4.19-A, Pages 28c (TN# 19-0002)

9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT
This SPA extends the MIDocs Consortium within the State of Michigan's Graduate Medical Education (GME) Innovations Sponsoring Institution Program through Fiscal Year 2024.

10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:
 COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
 NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL


11. TYPED NAME
Meghan Groen

12. TITLE
Senior Deputy Director

13. DATE SUBMITTED
April 8, 2024

15. RETURN TO
Behavioral and Physical Health and Aging Services
Administration
Office of Strategic Partnerships & Medicaid Administrative
Services – Federal Liaison
Capitol Commons Center – 7th Floor
400 South Pine
Lansing, Michigan 48933

Attn: Erin Black

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16. DATE RECEIVED

17. DATE APPROVED

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL

19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

22. REMARKS

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State of MICHIGAN

Methods and Standards for Establishing Payment Rates – Inpatient Hospital Care

GME Innovations MIDOCs Program

The GME MIDOCs Program supports the expansion of residencies and subsequent retention efforts for approved high need specialties in underserved areas of the state, where current and future physician shortages undermine the health and well-being of Medicaid beneficiaries. The MIDOCs program offers physician training in integrated and patient-centered care for underserved populations that will further the state's Medicaid quality goals. To be eligible for MIDOCs GME funding, the MIDOCs participating medical school must enter into an agreement with the state agency specifying the number of MIDOCs residents to be supported, the total annual cost of such residencies, any post-residency expenditures to retain physicians in underserved areas of Michigan and the amount of other sources of funding available for the program, if any. Sponsoring institutions may receive funding from other sources but Medicaid will act as a payer of last resort to only cover costs not reimbursed through other sources. The state agency will pay the MIDOCs participating medical school an amount equal to the amount of otherwise unreimbursed costs.

The single state agency will approve four (4) agreements with MIDOCs participating medical schools statewide each state fiscal year (SFY), covering residencies for the academic year (July-June (AY)) beginning within the SFY. The agreements will total \$1.52 million in Fiscal Year 2019, \$10.73 million in Fiscal Year 2020, \$19.98 million in Fiscal Year 2021, \$27.75 million in Fiscal Year 2022, ~~and~~ \$28.5 million in Fiscal Year 2023, **AND \$22.8 MILLION IN FISCAL YEAR 2024.**

In addition, the following requirements must be met:

- The MIDOCs participating medical school must have submitted to the state agency its MIDOCs program proposal for new or expanded residency program(s) to promote access in underserved areas of the state
- The new or expanded program(s) must possess appropriate accreditation credentials
- The new or expanded program(s) must meet the MIDOCs curriculum standards, including those related to didactic education on patient centered medical homes, interprofessional education, behavioral and physical health integration, and continuous quality improvement
- The MIDOCs participating medical school must be the sponsoring institution of the residency program(s) or have an approved agreement with the sponsoring institution
- The MIDOCs participating medical school or the sponsoring institution (if not the medical school) must have agreements with all training sites for the MIDOCs residents
- If GME distributions exceed the expenses incurred by the MIDOCs participating medical school, their affiliated sponsoring institution and/or the clinical training sites related to the MIDOCs residencies, the size of the payment will be reduced to bring these elements into alignment.

TN NO.: 24-0002

Approval Date:

Effective Date: 4/01/2024

Supersedes

TN No.: 19-0002

Public Notice

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services Behavioral and Physical Health and Aging Services Administration

Graduate Medical Education (GME) Innovations MIDOCs Program 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 extend the GME Innovations MIDOCs Program. The anticipated effective date for the GME Innovations MIDOCs Program SPA is April 1, 2024. The estimated gross cost to the State of Michigan for the State Plan Amendment is \$6.4 million in Fiscal Year 2024.

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 sending an e-mail to MSADraftPolicy@michigan.gov or submitting a request in writing to: MDHHS/ Behavioral and Physical Health and Aging Services Administration, Program Policy Division, PO Box 30479, Lansing MI 48909-7979 by March 28, 2024. A copy of the proposed State Plan Amendment will also be available for review at : <https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/inside-mdhhs/budgetfinance/264/state-plan-amendments>.

RELEASED: February 27, 2024



STATE OF MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
LANSING

GRETCHEN WHITMER
GOVERNOR

ELIZABETH HERTEL
DIRECTOR

February 5, 2024

NAME
TITLE
ADDRESS
CITY STATE ZIP

Dear Tribal Chair and Health Director:

RE: Graduate Medical Education (GME) Innovations MIDOCs Program

This letter, in compliance with Section 1902(a)(73) and Section 2107(e)(1)(C) of the Social Security Act, serves as notice to all Tribal Chairs and Health Directors of the intent by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) to submit a State Plan Amendment (SPA) request to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS).

MDHHS intends to submit a SPA to extend the GME Innovations MIDOCs program. MDHHS expects that Michigan's Medicaid patient groups, including tribal members, will benefit by the support for innovative GME programs that improve access to skilled and experienced physicians. The anticipated effective date of this SPA is April 1, 2024.

There is no public hearing scheduled for this SPA. Input regarding this SPA is highly encouraged, and comments regarding this notice of intent may be submitted to Lorna Elliott-Egan, MDHHS Liaison to the Michigan tribes. Lorna can be reached at 517-512-4146, or via email at Elliott-EganL@michigan.gov. **Please provide all input by March 21, 2024.**

In addition, MDHHS is offering to set up group or individual consultation meetings to discuss the SPA, according to the tribes' preference. Consultation meetings allow tribes the opportunity to address any concerns and voice any suggestions, revisions, or objections to be relayed to the author of the proposal. If you would like additional information or wish to schedule a consultation meeting, please contact Lorna Elliott-Egan at the telephone number or email address provided above.

MDHHS appreciates the continued opportunity to work collaboratively with you to care for the residents of our state.

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An electronic copy of this letter is available at www.michigan.gov/medicaidproviders >>
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Sincerely,



Meghan E. Groen, Director
Behavioral and Physical Health and Aging Services Administration

CC: Keri Toback, CMS
Nancy Grano, CMS
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Michigan
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February 5, 2024**

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