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State Plan Amendment Rate Committee (SPARC)

Agenda

January 8, 2024

10:30 AM

OHCA Board Room
4345 N. Lincoln Blvd
Oklahoma City, OK

I. Welcome and Roll Call: **Chair, Josh Richards**

This meeting will occur at the OHCA building at 4345 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73105. All Committee members will participate in person.

Committee Members:

- Josh Richards (Chair, OHCA)
- Aaron Morris (OHCA)
- Sandra Puebla (OHCA)
- Toney Welborn (OHCA)
- Sharon Butler (OSDH)
- Melissa Miller (ODMHSAS)
- Jennifer King (OHS)

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II. Public Comments (2-minute limit): **Chair, Josh Richards**

III. Rate issues to be addressed: Presentation, discussion, and vote

- A. State Plan Person Care Increase
(Presented by **Rhonda Tobler**, OHS)

IV. Adjournment: **Chair, Josh Richards**



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FUTURE SPARC MEETING
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1:00 pm



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STATE PLAN PERSONAL CARE SERVICE RATE INCREASE

1. IS THIS A RATE CHANGE OR A METHOD CHANGE?

Rate Change

2. IS THIS CHANGE AN INCREASE, DECREASE, OR NO IMPACT?

Increase

3. PRESENTATION OF ISSUE – WHY IS THIS CHANGE BEING MADE?

Oklahoma Human Services is seeking to amend the reimbursement rate for the SPPC Nurse Assessment/Evaluation Visit.

This request is to provide a reimbursement rate for the Oklahoma Medicaid-State Plan Personal Care Nurse Assessment/Evaluation Visit to correlate with the corresponding reimbursement rate for the other 1915(c) Waivers. The skill performed is the same whether it is being performed for the ADvantage Waiver, other 1915(c) waivers, or the Oklahoma Medicaid-State Plan Personal Care program.

4. CURRENT METHODOLOGY AND/OR RATE STRUCTURE.

The current rate structure for the SPPC Service provided in the proposed rate change is a fixed and uniform rate established through the State Plan Amendment Rate Committee process.

State Plan Service	Code	Unit Type	Current Rate
State Plan Skilled Nursing - Assessment/Evaluation	T1001	per visit	\$78.00

5. NEW METHODOLOGY OR RATE STRUCTURE.

The new per visit rate is based on the current rate of five (5) units of Skilled Nursing Service, which is the standard provided through 1915 (c) Waivers.

State Plan Services	Code	Unit Type	Current Rate	New Rate
State Plan Skilled Nursing - Assessment/Evaluation	T1001	per visit	\$78.00	\$97.50

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6. BUDGET ESTIMATE.

The estimated budget impact for SFY 2024 will be an increase in the total amount of \$131,625 of which the state share is \$43,000.

Oklahoma Human Services attests that it has adequate funds to cover the state share of the projected cost of services.

7. AGENCY ESTIMATED IMPACT ON ACCESS TO CARE.

The rate increase will have a positive impact on care as providers are able to meet increased labor costs.

8. RATE OR METHOD CHANGE IN THE FORM OF A MOTION.

Oklahoma Human Services requests the State Plan Amendment Rate Committee approve the proposed rate increase.

9. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE.

January 1, 2024, upon approval by CMS