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TO: Nursing Facility Providers
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FROM: Maureen Corcoran, Director

RE: Nursing Facility Rates and Claims beginning on July 1, 2019

DATE: August 5, 2019

Due to the enactment of the 17-day operating budget, rates for the period of July 1, 2019 through and including July 17, 2019 will be the same as the rates on June 30, 2019. Dates of service beginning July 18, 2019 will be paid at the rates currently established in statute. These rates may be subject to change when the state fiscal year 2020-2021 budget becomes effective in October.

In order to pay the proper per diem rates for all July dates, NFs will need to bill their LTC claims with multiple details that do not overlap the date of July 18, 2019.

For example, instead of billing a single detail of 31 days/units, NFs would bill two details as follows for a claim with Header DOS 7/01/19-7/31/19:

EXAMPLE:

Detail 1: RCC 101, 17 days [7/01/19 - 7/17/19]

Detail 2: RCC 101, 14 days [7/18/19 - 7/31/19]

For claims billed with multiple details, no single detail should overlap the July 18, 2019 effective date.

For the NF providers that have already submitted your claims for July Dates of service, please adjust those claims according to the convention noted in our example above. Do NOT overlap dates in a single detail line.

Please direct questions to Provider Assistance at 1-800-686-1516.

We appreciate your patience and thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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