

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**  
**DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the New Jersey Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS) intends to seek approval from the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), for amendments to the New Jersey Medicaid (Title XIX) State Plan, in order to reflect that New Jersey Medicaid fee-for-service rates were updated with an effective date of January 1, 2015. The fee schedule is published on the Department's fiscal agent's website at <https://www.njmmis.com> under "rate and code information."

The DMAHS budget accounts for routine, periodic adjustment of fees and the addition and/or deletion of procedure codes authorized by CMS to conform to Federal requirements. Inclusive of these rate adjustments, the DHS may raise specific rates for Medicaid State Plan Behavioral Health services for both the Alternative Benefit Plan (ABP) and non-ABP population to more closely align with existing State Rates currently paid by the Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services. At this time, there is no significant net increase or decrease in expenditures anticipated for SFY 2015 as a result of the adjustment of the fee schedule.

This Notice is intended to satisfy the requirements of Federal law and regulations, specifically 42 CFR 447.205 and 42 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(13). A copy of this Notice is available for public review at the Medical Assistance Customer Centers, County Welfare Agencies, and the Department's website at:

<http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/providers/grants/public/index.html>.

Comments or inquiries must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the date of this notice to:

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