

**Summary for
SPA #2013-014 – Rate Increase for ParaGard
Intrauterine Copper Contraceptive Device**

Effective for claims with dates of service occurring on or after January 1, 2014, the Arkansas Department of Human Services will increase the Medicaid maximum reimbursement rate for the 'ParaGard" Intrauterine Copper IUD. The rate is being increased in order to ensure availability of this IUD for Arkansas Medicaid beneficiaries. Reimbursement will be based on 100% of the manufacturer's list price as of April 15, 2011. The estimated increase in annual expenditure is \$254,000.