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Proposed Rule Cover Sheet

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NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

The Director of the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services announces for a public comment period of thirty (30) calendar days a notice of rulemaking for the following proposed rule under one or more of the following chapters, subchapters, or sections of the Arkansas Code: §§ 20-76-201, 20-77-107, and 25-10-129.

Effective January 1, 2020:

The Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services (DHS/DMS), intends to revise the Arkansas Medicaid State Plan to increase rates for Early Intervention Day Treatment (EIDT) and Adult Developmental Day Treatment (ADDT) services in the Medicaid program based upon a rate review recommendation. As required by Executive Order 19-02, the rate review process for Day Habilitation was completed in July 2019. The review resulted in a recommended increase of 11% for day habilitation services provided in EIDT and ADDT programs. The financial impact will be \$9,422,873 for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2020; and \$18,845,745 for SFY 2021.

The proposed rule is available for review at the Department of Human Services (DHS) Office of Rules Promulgation, 2nd floor Donaghey Plaza South Building, 7th and Main Streets, P. O. Box 1437, Slot S295, Little Rock, Arkansas 72203-1437. You may also access and download the proposed rule on the Medicaid website at https://medicaid.mmis.arkansas.gov/General/Comment/Comment.aspx. Public comments must be submitted in writing at the above address or at the following email address:

ORP@dhs.arkansas.gov. All public comments must be received by DHS no later than April 26, 2020. Please note that public comments submitted in response to this notice are considered public documents. A public comment, including the commenter's name and any personal information contained within the public comment, will be made publicly available and may be seen by various people.

If you need this material in a different format, such as large print, contact the Office of Rules Promulgation at 501-320-6266.

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