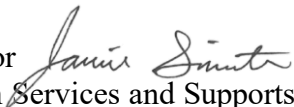




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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
Nursing Home Transmittal No. 312
July 10, 2026

TO: Nursing Facility Administrators

FROM: Jamie Smith, Director 
Office of Long Term Services and Supports

RE: Fiscal Year 2027 Rates for Nursing Facility Services

NOTE: **Please ensure that appropriate staff members in your organization are informed of the contents of this transmittal.**

This transmittal updates the nursing facility rates, effective July 1, 2026. Pursuant to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2027 budget bill SB0282, rates for nursing facilities have been adjusted based on a one percent increase to the aggregate nursing facility budget appropriation and each facility's case mix index as of March 31, 2026. The prospective rates also include 2024 rebasing data specific to each facility.

Prospective rate letters will be sent via the secure web portal from Myers and Stauffer LC (MSLC), Maryland Medicaid's Audit Contractor. When downloading the rate letter, check the provider number at the top to ensure the information is correct. These rates should be shared with accountants or bookkeepers so accounts can be updated. If a rate letter is not received or if there are questions regarding the rate letter, please contact MSLC at (410) 356-9256.

The rate change affects the payment for Medicare coinsurance. To reflect this change, the Medicare Coinsurance Worksheet has been updated for dates of service on or after July 1, 2026. To access the updated worksheet, go to the [Nursing Facility Document Library website](#) and click 'Coinsurance Worksheets' to locate the correct time period.

Additionally, the personal needs allowance for FY 2027 is \$109.00 per month per Medicaid participant.

For more information about the reimbursement methodology and billing instructions, please visit the [Nursing Facility Providers website](#). For questions regarding this transmittal, please contact Jarrod Terry at jarrod.terry@maryland.gov.