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STATE PLAN AMENDMENT	SECTION/ PAGES IMPACTED	PURPOSE	SUBMITTED TO CMS	APPROVED
20-0007 1915i	Att. 4.19 pg 68-73	This proposal would increase the rates for the Behavioral Health, 1915(i) Intensive Behavioral Health Services for Children, Youth, and Families program, by 4 percent, for dates of service beginning July 1, 2020.	9/28/2020	12/09/2020
20-0008 DDA-TCM	Att. 4.19B pg. 42-44	This proposal would increase the reimbursement rate for Targeted Case Management providers by 4 percent, for dates of service beginning July 1, 2020.	9/29/2020	
20-0009 DME & Oxygen Rate Decrease	Att. 4.19B pg. 36, 36-1	This SPA decreases Maryland Medical Assistance reimbursement rates for Durable Medical Supplies and Equipment and Oxygen from 85 percent of the Medicare rate, to 80 percent of the current Medicare rates, for dates of service beginning July 1, 2020.	9/29/2020	
20-0010 Emergency Service Transporter Supplemental Payment Program	Att. 4.19B pg. 40A-40E	The purpose of this amendment is to create a public Emergency Service Transporter Supplemental Payment Program (ESPP) for public emergency service transportation providers. Eligible providers will receive increased funding through a Federal match for qualifying State-based expenditures incurred through the provision of qualifying services as documented in a Certified Public Expenditure (CPE).	10/22/2020	
20-0011 DDA Geographic Differential	Supp. 7 Att. 3.1A pg 1-21	This SPA updates language including certification requirement and establishing a geographic differential rate for targeted case management (TCM) services offered under certain Medicaid programs that are operated by the Developmental Disabilities Administration.	12/15/2020	
20-0012 Increasing Professional Dispensing Fee	Att. 4.19B pg. 35, 35a	This SPA increases the professional dispensing fee rendered for covered services to pharmacies for participants in nursing facilities from \$11.49 to \$11.67 (\$0.18/rx rate increase) and increases the professional dispensing fee rendered for covered services to	12/16/2020	

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		pharmacies for individuals not residing in nursing facilities from \$10.49 to \$10.67 (\$0.18/rx rate increase).		
20-0013 Family Planning Eligibility	MACPro	This SPA implements new presumptive eligibility requirements for the Maryland Medicaid Family Planning Program. Effective October 1, 2020, individuals may begin applying for Family Planning Presumptive eligibility through participating Maryland Family Planning Qualified Entities. Family planning presumptive eligibility may be established for individuals who appear to meet the Family Planning Program eligibility requirements in COMAR 10.09.37.03.	12/21/2020	
20-0014 Coverage of the Administration of COVID-19 Vaccinations	Att. 3.1A pg. 29-C-9 Att. 4.19B pg. 2	This SPA amends the State Plan to include coverage for the administration of COVID-19 vaccinations.	12/22/2020	