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STATE OF MARYLAND

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

Administrative Day Rates

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For administrative days occurring on or after July 1, 2001 through and including June 30, 2002, the Medical Assistance Program payment to hospitals is \$151.45 per day.

Effective July 1, 2001 through and including June 30, 2002, the administrative day rate for recipients in Special-Psychiatric hospitals awaiting placement to a residential treatment center is \$299.00.

Please direct policy questions regarding acute care hospitals to (410) 767-1710 and special hospitals to (410) 767-1478. Billing questions may be directed to the Provider Relations Unit at 410-767-5361.