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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM Hospital Transmittal No. 171

TO:

Hospital Administrators

FROM:

Joseph M. Millstone, Director M/N

Medical Care Policy Administration

NOTE:

Please ensure that appropriate staff members in your organization are informed

of the contents of this transmittal.

RE:

Administrative Day Rates

For administrative days occurring on or after July 1, 1999 through and including June 30, 2000, the Medical Assistance Program payment to hospitals is \$119.93 per day.

Effective July 1, 1999 through and including June 30, 2000, the administrative day rate for recipients in Special-Psychiatric hospitals awaiting placement to a residential treatment center is \$279.70.

Direct policy questions to the Staff Specialist for Hospital Services at 410-767-1455.

Billing questions may be directed to the Provider Relations Unit at 410-767-5361