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MSC Billing

OMRDD implemented fee increases for the Medicaid Service Coordination (MSC) program effective January 1, 2010. MSC Agency Executive Directors have been informed of the current MSC Level of Reimbursement fee status. Effective 1/1/10, funding for all Health Care Adjustment (HCA) initiatives (I thru V), were consolidated and incorporated into the fee payment. Each fee was increased by 1 percent for each initiative (5 percent compounded).

Attached are:

- The MSC Billing Chart effective 1/1/10
- The MSC Billing Chart for the period 10/1/09-12/31/09

This chart shows the changes to the MSC fees based on the October 2009 limited changes to the MSC Program.

- The MSC Billing Chart for the period 4/1/09-9/30/09

This chart incorporates a trend factor of 3.06 percent. For providers that had been approved for Health Care Enhancement III (HCE III), the fees incorporate both the trend factor and a 1 percent HCE III increase.

Please distribute these charts to MSC Service Coordinators accordingly and to other parties as necessary.

**★ Revised: Level of Reimbursement Rate Code for Willowbrook Class Members
Corrected to 5214**

**Medicaid Service Coordination
Billing Chart Effective 1/1/10**

Level of Service (LOS)	Residential setting	Level of Reimbursement Rate Code	Level of Reimbursement Locator Code	Level of Reimbursement Fee with 5% HCA	Unit of Service
a) Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs) & Supervised Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5211	03	\$ 204.84	One month
b) Intermediate	Supportive Community Residences (CRs) & Supportive Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5212	03	\$241.02	One month
c) Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	03	\$286.56	One month
d) Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	03	\$334.80	One month
e) Transition – Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs) & Supervised Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5211	04	\$409.68	One month
f) Transition – Intermediate	Supportive Community Residences (CRs) & Supportive Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5212	04	\$482.02	One month
g) Transition - Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	04	\$573.12	One month
h) Transition – Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	04	\$669.55	One month

* HCA – consolidated Health Care adjustment initiatives (I through V) incorporated into fee payment beginning 1/1/10.
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**Medicaid Service Coordination
Billing Chart Effective 10/1/09-12/31/09**

Level of Service (LOS)	Residential setting	Level of Reimbursement Rate Code	Level of Reimbursement Locator Code	Level of Reimbursement Fee without HCE III	Level of Reimbursement Fee with HCE III	Unit of Service
a) Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs) & Supervised Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5211	03	\$194.90	\$196.84	One month
b) Intermediate	Supportive Community Residences (CRs) & Supportive Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5212	03	\$229.32	\$231.62	One month
c) Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	03	\$272.66	\$275.39	One month
d) Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	03	\$318.55	\$321.73	One month
e) Transition – Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs) & Supervised Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5211	04	\$389.79	\$393.69	One month
f) Transition - Intermediate	Supportive Community Residences (CRs) & Supportive Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs)	5212	04	\$458.63	\$463.21	One month
g) Transition - Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	04	\$545.30	\$550.75	One month
h) Transition – Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	04	637.06	\$643.42	One month

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**Medicaid Service Coordination
Billing Chart Effective 4/1/09-9/30/09**

Level of Service (LOS)	Residential setting	Level of Reimbursement Rate Code	Level of Reimbursement Locator Code	Level of Reimbursement Fee without HCE III	Level of Reimbursement Fee with HCE III	Unit of Service
a) Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs)	5211	03	\$178.39	\$180.17	One month
b) Intermediate	All Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs) & Supportive Community Residences (CRs)	5212	03	\$229.32	\$231.62	One month
c) Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	03	\$272.66	\$275.39	One month
d) Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	03	\$318.55	\$321.73	One month
e) Transition – Basic	Supervised Community Residences (CRs)	5211	04	\$356.77	\$360.34	One month
f) Transition -Intermediate	All Individualized Residential Alternatives (IRAs) & Supportive Community Residences (CRs)	5212	04	\$458.63	\$463.21	One month
g) Transition - Enhanced	Living with family, in Family Care or in a non-certified setting with others or alone	5213	04	\$545.30	\$550.75	One month
h) Transition – Other: Willowbrook	All Willowbrook Class members eligible for MSC, regardless of living arrangement	5214	04	637.06	\$643.42	One month

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