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MEMORANDUM

Date: May 22, 2023

To: Chief Executive Officer/Chief Financial Officer

From: Kim S. Morris, Director of Reimbursement
Division of Financial Management *Kim S. Morris*

Subject: State Fiscal Year 2023 Upper Payment Limit (UPL) Nursing Home Payments

BY ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Department will issue UPL payments to nursing homes for the 3rd and 4th quarters of State Fiscal Year 2023. The schedule of events, notice of intent, UPL payment and intergovernmental transfer amounts are attached. This information will be posted on the Department's web site at www.dch.georgia.gov by selecting options for "Providers," "Provider types," "Nursing Home Providers," then "Nursing Home Supplemental Reimbursement."

To assure timely receipt of intergovernmental transfers, a Notice of Intent to Transfer form **must be submitted** by May 26, 2023, to document the expected method of transfer. If the required intergovernmental transfer is not received by noon on Wednesday, May 31, 2023, the associated UPL payment will be delayed until later this year.

The UPL payment to nursing homes will be issued through Georgia Medicaid Management Information System (GAMMIS). The same system that currently processes and pays Georgia Medicaid claims.

Please be aware that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) reserves the right to adjust the UPL calculation either negatively or positively.

If you have any questions about this notice, please contact Annetta Smith at (404) 463-6669 or asmith@dch.ga.gov.

**Georgia Department of Community Health
Schedule of Key Events**

**SFY 2023 Nursing Home Upper Payment Limit
3rd and 4th quarters**

Monday	May 22, 2023	Notice to Nursing Homes
Friday	May 26, 2023	Due Notice of Intent to Transfer
Wednesday	May 31, 2023	Due Intergovernmental Transfers
Thursday	June 22, 2023	Payment