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FROM: Department of Community Health - Office of Reimbursement

TO: Nursing Facility Administrator

SUBJ: Interim Revised Billing Rate Effective April 1, 2023  
2020 Cost Report Update

Attached is the facility's revised billing rate effective April 1, 2023. Providers are encouraged to review Chapter 1000 of the Policies and Procedures for Nursing Facility Services manual which outlines the methods and standards for setting payment rates for services. Your facility's per diem rate was calculated using the case mix index scores and Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) scores computed from your facility's Listing of Residents Report.

The **FINAL** April 1, 2023, nursing home rate will be calculated upon acceptance by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Providers may access their revised billing rate sheet on the Department of Community Health's website ([www.dch.georgia.gov/providers/provider-types/nursing-home-providers](http://www.dch.georgia.gov/providers/provider-types/nursing-home-providers)).

If you wish to appeal your facility's revised nursing home rate, you must follow the procedures as outlined in Appendix I of the Policies and Procedures for Nursing Services manual. Such documentation must be submitted to DCH by May 5, 2023; otherwise, DCH's calculation stands and will not be re-considered.

Should you have any questions, please contact the Office of Reimbursement.

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