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PURPOSE

The purpose of this bulletin is to disseminate the Fiscal Year (FY) 2005-06 reimbursement rates for Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) services. The rates are effective July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006.

DISCUSSION

The FY 2005-06 Governor's Budget proposed to fund FY 2005-06 DMC services at the same rate that was authorized in regulation for FY 2002-03. However, the Budget Act (Chapter 38, Statutes of 2005) augments the FY 2002-03 DMC rates by \$1,104,000 of State General Funds. The Department is directing \$1,059,000 to regular alcohol and other drug (AOD) services, and \$45,000 to perinatal AOD services. This amount augments the DMC rates above the FY 2002-03 rate levels.

Exhibit A includes the increases in the DMC reimbursement rates for FY 2005-06.

REFERENCES

Section 51516.1, Title 22, California Code of Regulations Section 14021.5, Welfare and Institutions Code Section 11758.42, Health and Safety Code FY 2005-06 Budget Act (Chapter 38, Statutes of 2005)

BACKGROUND

Section 51516.1 of Title 22, California Code of Regulations, effective July 1, 1997.

QUESTIONS/MAINTENANCE

Questions concerning the FY 2005-06 DMC rates can be directed to Ms. Barbara Norton, Fiscal Policy Analyst, Program and Fiscal Policy Branch, at (916) 323-2019. The bulletin is also available on ADP's Web page at www.adp.ca.gov.

EXHIBIT

Exhibit A - Drug Medi-Cal Rates for Fiscal Year 2005-06.

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