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Department of Health Care Services



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TO: LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS
LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM CHIEFS
LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATORS
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES
CHAIRPERSONS, LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH BOARDS

SUBJECT: REGIONAL AVERAGE RATES FOR NON-CONTRACT PSYCHIATRIC
INPATIENT HOSPITALS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012-13

REFERENCE: CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 9, SECTION 1820.115

The Department of Health Care Services is responsible for establishing the psychiatric inpatient rates for Fee-For-Service/Medi-Cal (FFS/MC) hospitals without a contract with a Mental Health Plan. The rates are established based on the weighted average per diem rates by accommodation code negotiated for all FFS/MC contract hospitals within each of the five rate regions defined in the regulations. The per diem rates include routine and all hospital-based ancillary services, but exclude professional services.

Enclosed for your reference is a table displaying the regional average non-contract rates for Fiscal Year 2012-13.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Don Larson at (916) 440-7491 or donald.larson@dhcs.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

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Enclosure