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

SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR 2009-10 REVISED MAXIMUM RATE LIMITS FOR
SHORT-DOYLE/MEDI-CAL SERVICES

SUPERSEDES: DMH INFORMATION NOTICE 09-12

REFERENCE: FISCAL YEAR 2009-10 STATE MAXIMUM RATE ALLOWANCES
FOR SHORT-DOYLE/MEDI-CAL SERVICES

This letter transmits the Fiscal Year (FY) 2009-10 **Revised** maximum reimbursement rates for Short-Doyle/Medi-Cal (SD/MC) services as required by Welfare and Institutions Code (W&I) Section 5720(a) and (b). These Statewide Maximum Allowances will apply to all SD/MC eligible services by service function, for the time period of July 1, 2009, through June 30, 2010.

For the period July 1, 2009, through February 23, 2010, the SMA rate for reimbursement of Hospital Administrative Day services is \$351.26. For the remainder of the fiscal year, February 24, 2010, through June 30, 2010, the SMA rate is \$381.37.

The FY 2009-10 SMA rate schedule is also available for download through the Department of Mental Health Information Technology Web Site (ITWS)

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Marilyn Abero at (916) 653-8799.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by

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Enclosure