

NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION-PUBLIC NOTICE

1. **Name of the Agency:** Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS)
2. **The topic of the public information notice:** AHCCCS Fee-For-Service (FFS) rate for H0015- Alcohol and/or drug services; intensive outpatient (treatment program that operates at least 3 hours/Day and at least 3 days/week and is based on an individualized treatment plan)
3. **The public information relating to the topic:**

This Notice of Public Information describes a change to the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) Fee-For-Service (FFS) rate to be effective May 1, 2023. The AHCCCS Administration is proposing a change to the FFS rate of H0015- Alcohol and/or drug services; intensive outpatient (treatment program that operates at least 3 hours/day and at least 3 days/week and is based on an individualized treatment plan).

The proposed rate for H0015- Alcohol and/or drug services; intensive outpatient is \$157.86.

This proposed change is to assure that payments are consistent with efficiency, economy, and quality of care and are sufficient to enlist enough providers so that care and services are available at least to the extent that such care and services are available to the general population in the geographic area. The estimated decrease in FFS payments as a result of the rate change is expected to be approximately (\$1,162,200) for the time period of May 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023.

Comments regarding the proposed AHCCCS FFS rates may be submitted electronically at FFSRates@azahcccs.gov

All Comments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 30, 2023