November 10, 2021

Mark Wong
Division of Medicaid and Children’s Health Operations
U.S. Department of Health & Human Services
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
90 Seventh Street, Suite 5-300 (5W)
San Francisco, CA 94103-6707

RE: Arizona SPA #21-021, Pediatric Immunization Program Rates

Dear Mr. Wong:

Enclosed is State Plan Amendment (SPA) #21-021, Pediatric Immunization Program Rates. This SPA updates the State Plan Rates for Vaccines Under the Pediatric Immunization Program, effective October 1, 2021.

Tribal Consultation on this SPA occurred on August 12, 2021. The Tribal Consultation presentation is available at:


Public Notice for this rate update was posted on the following webpages:

- [https://www.azahcccs.gov/AHCCCS/PublicNotices/](https://www.azahcccs.gov/AHCCCS/PublicNotices/)

If there are any questions about the enclosed SPA, please contact Ruben Soliz at ruben.soliz@azahcccs.gov or 602-417-4355.

Sincerely,

Dana Flannery
Assistant Director
Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS)
# TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL

FOR: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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<td>3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION:</td>
<td>TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)</td>
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<td>4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE:</td>
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TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR  
CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

- [ ] NEW STATE PLAN  
- [ ] AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN  
- [X] AMENDMENT  

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

| 6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION: |  
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| 42 CFR Part 447                          |                                                  |

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10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:
Updates the State Plan Rates for Vaccines Under the Pediatric Immunization Program, effective October 1, 2021.

11. GOVERNOR’S REVIEW (Check One):

- [X] GOVERNOR’S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT  
- [ ] OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:  
- [ ] COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR’S OFFICE ENCLOSED  
- [ ] NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:

NAME: Dana Flannery  
TITLE: Assistant Director  
DATE SUBMITTED: November 10, 2021

16. RETURN TO:

Dana Flannery  
801 E, Jefferson, MD#4200  
Phoenix, AZ 85034

13. TYPED NAME:
Dana Flannery

14. TITLE:
Assistant Director

15. DATE SUBMITTED:
November 10, 2021

17. DATE RECEIVED:  
18. DATE APPROVED:  
19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL:  
20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:  
21. TYPED NAME:  
22. TITLE:  
23. REMARKS:
4.19 (m) Medicaid Reimbursement for Administration of Vaccines Under the Pediatric Immunization Program

1928(c)(2)

(i) A provider may impose a charge for the administration of a qualified pediatric (C)(ii) of vaccine as stated in 1928(c)(20)(C)(ii) of the Act. Within this overall provision, Medicaid reimbursement to providers will be administered as follows.

(ii) The State:

- X sets a payment rate at the level of the regional maximum established by the DHHS Secretary.
- is a Universal Purchase State and sets a payment rate at the level of the regional maximum established in accordance with State law.

- X sets a payment rate below the level of the regional maximum established by the DHHS Secretary. The state’s payment rate is $15.43.
- is a Universal Purchase State and sets a payment rate below the level of the regional maximum established by the Universal Purchase State.

1926 of the Act

(iii) Medicaid beneficiary access to immunizations is assured through the following methodology:

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Supersedes Approval Date —Effective Date

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