

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**(SPA 15-010)**  
**Removing Graduate Medical Education Reimbursement**

The Department of Health and Human Resources, Division of Medical Assistance hereby provides notice of its intent to amend the Medicaid State Plan 4.19-A, Page 5 and Supplement 1, Page 3 so that no Medicaid provider may receive reimbursement for Graduate Medical Education (GME) as an add-on to their DRG Unit Value (Base) rate under the DRG payment rate methodology.

The filing of this SPA is pursuant to Session Law 2015-241, Section 12H.23.(a).

This amendment will become effective January 1, 2016.

The annual estimated state fiscal impact of this change is:

- a. SFY 2016 \$(15,259,597)
- b. SFY 2017 \$(30,085,271)

A copy of the proposed public notice may be viewed at the County Department of Social Services. Questions, comments and requests for copies of the proposed State Plan amendment should be directed to the Division of Medical Assistance at the address listed below:

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