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March 11, 2024

James Scott, Director Division of Program Operations Department of Health & Human Services Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 601 East 12th Street Room 355 Kansas City, Missouri 64106

SUBJECT: State Plan Amendment

Title XIX, Social Security Act Transmittal #2024-0001

Dear Mr. Scott:

Please find attached an amendment for North Carolina's State Plan under Title XIX of the Social Security Act for the Medical Assistance Program.

This State Plan Change will amend the Medicaid State Plan to apply an inflationary rate increase defined by the Division of Health Benefits and supported by the North Carolina General Assembly appropriated funds in the Current Operations Appropriations Act of 2023 (SL 2023-134) House Bill 259 to the following Assertive Community Treatment services:

Assertive Community Treatment (H0040)

The proposed effective date of the SPA is January 01, 2024.

Your approval of this state plan amendment is requested. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me or Betty J. Staton at (919) 538-3215.

Sincerely,

Docusigned by:

Jay Ludlam

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Jay Ludlam
Deputy Secretary

Enclosures

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MEDICAL ASSISTANCE State: North Carolina

PAYMENTS FOR MEDICAL AND REMEDIAL CARE AND SERVICE

13) Assertive Community Treatment Team (ACTT) (Adult – H0040)

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of Assertive Community Treatment Team. The agency's fee schedule rate of \$295.32 per event was set as of July 1, 2012 and is effective for services provided on or after that date.

Effective January 1, 2024, the agency's published Enhanced Mental Health Services fee schedule rates are effective for services provided on or after that date. The Enhanced Mental Health Services fee schedule is published on the Division of Health Benefits website at https://ncdhhs.servicenowservices.com/fee_schedules.

This service will be provided by direct enrolled Medicaid providers who may be either private or governmental. This service is not cost settled for any provider. This service is provided in accordance with Attachment 3.1-A.1 Page 15a.7, Paragraph 13.D., subparagraph (viii).

The facilities providing this service are not IMD facilities and NC Medicaid is not reimbursing room and board for this service.

In the event this service is operated by a 638 Compact or Indian Health Service Provider, the rate of reimbursement shall be the All-Inclusive Rate (AIR) established on an annual basis as published in the Federal Register.

In the event this service is operated by a 638 Compact or Indian Health Service Provider and is not covered under the criteria to receive the All-Inclusive Rate (AIR), the provider is subject to the NC Medicaid Fee Schedule or other agreed upon rate(s) by the payor.

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