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**TO: Physicians, Physician Assistants, Advanced Practice Registered Nurses, and Certified Nurse Midwives**

**RE: Updates to the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments**

*This provider bulletin supersedes any guidance found in [PB 17-72](#) Revision to the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy.*

Effective for dates of service retroactive to January 1, 2026, the Department of Social Services (DSS) will adjust the reimbursement rate for select services eligible under the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy.

**Updates to Rate Methodology for HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments:**

The rate methodology for the payment for select services eligible under the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy will be adjusted to 85% of the 2025 Medicare physician fee schedule effective retroactively, January 1, 2026 and forward.

There will be no changes to the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments eligibility, attestation, attestation validation, claims submission or claims processing requirements. Additionally, services rendered by advanced practice registered nurses (APRNs) and physician assistants (PAs) will continue to be reimbursed at 90% of the listed rates for physicians on the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments fee table. Providers should continue to refer to provider bulletin [PB 14-75](#) HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payment Policy and provider bulletin [PB 15-44](#) Continuation of the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payment Policy for more information about the eligible codes and the attestation criteria.

Information about the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy can also be found in the “Important Message” (IM) titled “HUSKY Health Primary Care Payment Program Extension Notification”. Provider bulletins and IMs are located on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP) Web site at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).

**Accessing the Attestation:**

Physicians and non-physician/midlevel practitioners (physician assistants, advanced practice registered nurses, and certified nurse-midwives) who have not yet attested eligibility for the first time under the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy can do so by accessing this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HUSKYHealthPCattest>. For more information, please refer to provider bulletin, [PB 14-75](#) and the Important Message (IM).

**Billing Instructions:**

Paid claims where the detailed billed amount is equal to or greater than the new allowed amount will be systematically adjusted in a future rate mass adjustment cycle on April 24, 2026. Providers will see these claims on their April 29, 2026 Remittance Advice. **Providers are encouraged to bill their usual and customary charge when submitting claims to ensure the systematic reprocessing of their claims whenever a rate change occurs.**

*Please refer to provider bulletin, [PB 26-15](#) Updates to Physician Fee Schedules for*

*additional information about the adjustments of select physician services.*

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**Accessing the Fee Table:**

To access the HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy Fee Table from the [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Web site, go to "Provider" and then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click "I Accept" at the end of the Connecticut Provider Fee Schedule End User License Agreements and then click on "Fee Schedule Instructions" in the red text at the top of the page. Scroll down to "Table 4-HUSKY Health Primary Care Increased Payments Policy Fee Table".

**Accessing the Fee Schedules:**

The updated fee schedules can be accessed and downloaded from the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site: [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com). From this Web page, go to "Provider", then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click on the "I Accept" button and proceed to click on the appropriate fee schedule. To access the CSV file, press the control key while clicking the CSV link, then select "Open".

For questions about billing or if further assistance is needed to access the fee schedules on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site, please contact the Provider Assistance Center, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 1-800-842-8440.

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