



Date: January 11, 2022

To: Inclusa Providers

Re: 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Rate Increase for Home and Community-Based Service Providers

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) has received additional resources through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), which is targeted to improve and enhance Wisconsin's home and community-based services (HCBS) under Medicaid. This funding includes an increase of 5% for most HCBS rates and 4.13% when calculated for covered and non-covered services (room and board) for residential providers. A key focus of the plan is to support and strengthen the caregiving workforce.

As shared in our December 23, 2021 communication to providers, to get this funding to you as quickly as possible, authorizations were updated on December 22, 2021 with new rates effective January 1, 2022. Included with today's letter is a contract addendum outlining the new rates along with details regarding the ARPA increase.

Please sign and return the attached contract Appendix A-2. This message may be forwarded to another member of your organization for signature if appropriate.

Billing Details for Services with Negotiated Rates:

- The contract Appendix A-2 contains details of the rate adjustments for your applicable services with negotiated rates. Authorization numbers will not change, but the updated rates will be visible in the Inclusa Provider Portal.
- Any applicable services missing from the Appendix A-2 will be addressed in a separate service addendum within the next few weeks.
- Please ensure that you are using the most current rates when submitting your January 2022 claims.

Questions?

- For questions related to your contract or services, please contact Inclusa Provider Relations at ProviderRelations@inclusa.org or 877-622-6700 (select option 2, then option 3).
- For questions related to your authorizations or billing, please contact your [Inclusa Authorization and Claims Support Team](#).



APPENDIX A-2 : Sauk County ADRC

American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

REIMBURSEMENT FOR AUTHORIZED SERVICES

Appendix A-2 Agreement:

1. Reimbursement for authorized services provided to eligible members will be determined in accordance with the most recent Appendix A or Appendix A-1, this Appendix A-2, and the Agreement between PROVIDER and Includa, Inc. (PURCHASER).
2. This Appendix is specific to the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) and may not encompass the whole of services PROVIDER is contracted for with PURCHASER.
3. Appendix A-2 is in addition to the most recent Appendix A and Appendix A-1, and all documents should be utilized to show the full scope of services.

Negotiated services associated with the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) services will have an EFFECTIVE DATE OF 01-01-2022

- *For instructions on billing/claims, please see attached cover letter.*

Provider ID	SPC	Procedure Code / Modifier	SPC Description and Service Line 1	Current Rate (Includes SDRI if applicable)	'2022 American Rescue Plan Act Rate Increase' Portion	Total Rate
3121B	402 Home Delivered Meals	S5170-1 meal, includes preparation; per meal	Blizzard Packs - when weather prohibits delivery	\$25.00	\$1.25	\$26.25
3121B	402 Home Delivered Meals	S5170-1 meal, includes preparation; per meal		\$11.00	\$0.55	\$11.55
3121B	402 Home Delivered Meals	S5170-1 meal, includes preparation; per meal	Breakfast bags-10 meals delivered every 2weeks	\$36.00	\$1.80	\$37.80
3121C	10721 Transportation-Non-Medical-Miles	A0080-RI-Non-medical transportation-Volunteer Org; per mile		\$1.26	\$0.06	\$1.32
3121C	10711 Transportation-Medical-Miles	A0080-RD-Medical non-emergency transport-Volunteer Organiz. per mile		\$1.26	\$0.06	\$1.32



APPENDIX A-1 Signatures: Sauk County ADRC

REIMBURSEMENT FOR AUTHORIZED SERVICES

PROVIDER's Authorized Representative,

By:

Printed name:

Title:

Date:

PURCHASER's Authorized Representative,

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark K. Heale". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Title: Inclusa Chief Executive Officer

Date: **01/11/2022**

***PROVIDER: Provide a copy of this Appendix to your Billing Department**

Remit Invoices to: **Wisconsin Physicians Service Insurance Corporation (WPS)**