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HOME HEALTH BULLETIN

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- **HOME HEALTH RATE INCREASE**

Effective for dates of service on or after July 1, 2015, the per visit rate for Home Health agencies has been increased to \$77.16. The MO HealthNet Division (MHD) received appropriations through House Bill 11 during the 2015 legislative session to increase the per visit rate for all Home Health agencies.

MHD is currently identifying claims for dates of service on or after July 1, 2015, that were paid at the prior per visit rate. Once identified, these claims will be reprocessed and paid at the new per visit rate. Providers will not have to resubmit their claims to receive the new rate.

Provider Bulletins are available on the MO HealthNet Division (MHD) (Formerly the Division of Medical Services) Web site at <http://dss.mo.gov/mhd/providers/pages/bulletins.htm>. Bulletins will remain on the Provider Bulletins page only until incorporated into the [provider manuals](#) as appropriate, then moved to the Archived Bulletin page.

MO HealthNet News: Providers and other interested parties are urged to go to the MHD Web site at <http://dss.mo.gov/mhd/global/pages/mednewssubscribe.htm> to subscribe to the electronic mailing list to receive automatic notifications of provider bulletins, provider manual updates, and other official MO HealthNet communications via E-mail.

MO HealthNet Managed Care: The information contained in this bulletin applies to coverage for:

- MO HealthNet Fee-for-Service
- Services not included in MO HealthNet Managed Care

Questions regarding MO HealthNet Managed Care benefits should be directed to the patient's MO HealthNet Managed Care health plan. Before delivering a service, please check the patient's eligibility status by swiping the MO HealthNet card or by calling the Provider Communications Interactive Voice Response (IVR) System at 573-751-2896 and using Option One for the red or white card.

Provider Communications Hotline
573-751-2896