

PROVIDER BULLETIN

Volume 40 Number 04

<http://dss.mo.gov/mhd/>

July 12, 2017

PERSONAL CARE AND PRIVATE DUTY NURSING SCHOOL – BASED INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PLAN (IED) DIRECT SERVICES

CONTENTS

- **RATE UPDATE**

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE RATE DECREASE

Effective for dates of service on or after July 1, 2017, the MO HealthNet fee-for-service maximum allowable rates for the services listed below have decreased by approximately three percent (3%) for Personal Care and approximately six percent (6%) for Private Duty Nursing. The MO HealthNet Division will reimburse the lower of the provider's billed charge or the maximum allowable amount for the date of service billed. Services provided as documented in an IEP are reimbursed at the Federal Financial Participation (FFP) rate. The remainder of the allowed amount is the responsibility of the school district originating the IEP

Procedure Code	Service Description	Rate Effective Through June 30, 2017	Rate Effective July 1, 2017
T1019TM	PERSONAL CARE, SCHOOL BASED SERVICES, 15 MINUTE UNIT	\$4.60	\$4.47
T1000TM	PRIVATE DUTY NURSING, 15 MINUTE UNIT, SCHOOL BASED SERVICES	\$8.36	\$7.89

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/> 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.

The information contained in this bulletin applies to coverage for:

- MO HealthNet Fee-for-Service
- Managed Care Services

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