

TO: Hospitals - Chief Executive Officer

APPLICABLE TO: All New Jersey Hospitals Except State and County
(Governmental) Psychiatric Hospitals

(ROUTE TO: Accounting, Billing and Finance Offices)

SUBJECT: Hospital Administrative Patient Day Rate for 1994

EFFECTIVE: January 1, 1994

PURPOSE: To notify all New Jersey hospitals, except State and county (governmental) psychiatric hospitals, of the administrative patient day rate.

BACKGROUND: The New Jersey Medicaid program reimburses for services provided to a hospitalized Medicaid recipient who is awaiting placement in a nursing facility (NF) and requires a nursing facility level of care. The administrative patient day rate is based upon the current New Jersey Medicaid Statewide weighted average per diem rate for nursing facilities.

ACTION: Effective January 1, 1994, for all patient days identified at a nursing facility level of care (the number of SNF and ICF days reported on the claim), the administrative patient day rate is \$96.57.

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