

August 16, 2021 Web Announcement 2562

Attention Home and Community Based Waiver for Frail Elderly Providers: Update Regarding Rate Restorations

Update to <u>Web Announcement 2502</u> and <u>Web Announcement 2400</u>: As providers were previously notified, the 6% rate reductions mandated by Assembly Bill 3 of the 31st 2020 Special Session of the Nevada State Legislature due to the COVID-19 pandemic have been canceled.

On August 16, 2021, the previous rates are being restored in the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) for provider types (PT) 48 (Home and Community Based Waiver for the Frail Elderly), 57 (Home and Community Based Waiver for the Frail Elderly (Elderly in Adult Residential Care)) and 59 (Home and Community Based Waiver for the Frail Elderly (Augmented Personal Care Services)) and will be effective on claims with dates of service on or after July 1, 2021.

Claims submitted by PTs 48, 57 and 59 with dates of service on or after July 1, 2021, through August 16, 2021, that processed on or before August 17, 2021, and paid the 6% reduced rate will be automatically reprocessed to pay the current rate. A future web announcement will notify providers when the claims are reprocessed.

Please note: When claims are reprocessed, please be aware that all system and clinical claim editor edits are applicable. As a result, there may be no additional payment, and other claim denials may be received. Providers have the right to appeal denied claims, including those denied upon reprocessing. Please refer to <u>Medicaid</u> <u>Services Manual Chapter 100</u> and the <u>Billing Manual</u> for information concerning the claim appeal process and time frames.