

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State Nebraska

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

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PAYMENT FOR PEDIATRIC OR FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONERS

Payment for certified pediatric nurse practitioners or certified family nurse practitioners is made at the lower of:

1. The provider's submitted charge; or
2. A percentage, determined by the Department of Health and Human Services Finance and Support, of the amount allowable under the Nebraska Medicaid Practitioner Fee Schedule if the services was provided by a physician.

Payment for Telehealth Services: Payment for telehealth services is set at the Medicaid rate for the comparable in-person service.

Payment for Telehealth Transmission Costs: Payment for telehealth transmission costs is set at the lower of: (1) the provider's submitted charge; or (2) the maximum allowable amount.

The Department reimburses transmission costs for line charges when directly related to a covered telehealth service. The transmission must be in compliance with the quality standards for real time, two way interactive audiovisual transmission as set forth in state regulations, as amended.

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