

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State Nebraska

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

For dates of service on or after May 1, 2011, Medicaid pays for emergency and non-emergency medical transportation services at the lower of:

1. The provider's submitted charge; or
2. The allowable amount for that procedure code in the Nebraska Medicaid Practitioner Fee Schedule in effect for that date of service. The allowable amount is indicated in the fee schedule as:
 - a. The unit value multiplied by the conversion factor;
 - b. The invoice cost (indicated as "IC" in the fee schedule);
 - c. The maximum allowable dollar amount; or
 - d. The reasonable charge for the procedure as determined by the Medicaid Division (indicated as "BR" - by report or "RNE" - rate not established - in the fee schedule).

Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of non-emergency transportation services. The agency's fee schedule rate was set as of July 1, 2016 and is effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the agency's website at http://dhhs.ne.gov/medicaid/Pages/med_practitioner_fee_schedule.aspx.

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