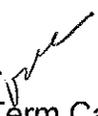


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**TO:** Home Health and Private-Duty Nursing Service Providers Participating in the  
Nebraska Medicaid Program

**FROM:** Vivianne M. Chaumont, Director   
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**RE:** FY2010 Fee Schedule Information

The purpose of this notice is to provide clarification on the Medicaid reimbursement rates for Home Health and Private-Duty Nursing Services identified on the FY2010 Medicaid Fee Schedule, effective July 1, 2009.

The Fee Schedule identified rates that have been adjusted according to legislative direction and rounded to the second decimal point. The Nebraska Medicaid claims payment system (MMIS) was also adjusted to process claims according to legislative direction, but this system truncates rates at the second decimal point. In cases where the fee schedule calculation rounded up, there is a discrepancy between the amount listed on the fee schedule and the amount actually processed for payment through MMIS.

This MMIS limitation has been adjusted and the system will pay the rounded rates listed on the FY2010 Fee Schedule, for payments processed beginning October 1, 2009. The adjustment will not be retroactive.

The FY2010 Home Health Fee Schedule can be found at:  
<http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/med/471-000-509-09.pdf>

The FY2010 Private-Duty Nursing Services Fee Schedule can be found at:  
<http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/med/471-000-513-09.pdf>

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Thank you.