STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State Nebraska

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

PRIVATE DUTY NURSING SERVICES

Payment for approved nursing services will be the lower of:

- 1. The submitted charge; or
- 2. The maximum allowable fee as established by the Department.

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

<u>Payment for Telehealth Transmission Costs:</u> 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.