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PROGRAMA MEDICAID

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Public Notice for Adding School-based Health Services and Updating the Description of Reimbursement of Multiple Services

As required by 42 CFR 447.205, the Puerto Rico Medicaid Program (PRMP) is providing public notice of proposed changes to Medicaid reimbursement methodology for school-based health services provided to Medicaid-eligible students, in accordance with an approved Individualized Education Plan (IEP). The PRMP is planning to pay for school-based health services based on a fee schedule established specifically for Medicaid school-based services and is proposing changes to be effective on or after February 1st, 2026. The annual aggregate expenditures for school-based health services for the first 12 months are estimated at \$162,206,255.

PRMP is also proposing to update the State Plan description of reimbursement methodology for family planning services, transportation, home health services, physical therapy and related services, occupational therapy, speech, hearing and related services, and other diagnostic services. The reimbursement methodology changes described in this paragraph are not expected to have a fiscal impact because these services are currently provided, and the proposed methodology reflects incorporating reimbursement into the actuarially sound calculation of the managed care capitation rates.

PRMP expects to submit the State Plan Amendment (SPA) to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) no later than March 30, 2026. Implementation of these changes is contingent upon approval by CMS. **Any person or organization may file written comments on this SPA within thirty (30) calendar days of the publication of this Public Notice on the Medicaid Program website (<https://www.medicaid.pr.gov/>).**

Proposed changes may be viewed at local PRMP offices.

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