

NCCMH RESPONSE TO COVID-19

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Please click on and open the following letter from MDHHS. This letter defines qualifying codes of service for the \$2 per hour Direct Care Wage Temporary Premium Pay effective April 1 - June 30, 2020. NCCMH has not yet received information on the reimbursement process. More information to follow as soon as funding is confirmed. Please record qualifying payroll hours so that reimbursement may be accurately distributed.

IMPORTANT! Providers may be reimbursed for Direct Care Worker wage increases **ONLY** through written contract addendum. If you do not have in place an addendum authorizing you to be reimbursed for a prior DCW Wage Increase, and you wish to participate in this \$2 Premium Pay temporary wage increase, please immediately contact Lani Laporte, NCCMH Contract Manager, by email at llaporte@norcocmh.org. If you already have an active addendum covering participation in a prior DCW wage increase, you need do nothing at this time. Thank you!

May 12, 2020

ATTENTION: NORTH COUNTRY CMH PROVIDER NETWORK

Dear Provider:

RE: COVID-19 Response: Premium Pay

Effective April 1, 2020, through June 30, 2020, in response to the COVID-19 state of emergency, a temporary hourly wage increase (referred to as "Premium Pay") will be applied to payment for in-home direct care workers providing certain services under the following programs:

Program Name	Services	Related HCPCS Codes
Home Help	Personal Care	
MI Choice Waiver	Community Living Supports, Respite	H2015, H2016, S5150, S5151
MI Health Link	Expanded Community Living Supports, Personal Care, Respite	H2015, H2016, S5150, S5151, T1019
Behavioral Health	Community Living Supports Overnight Health and Safety Supports Personal Care Prevocational Services Respite Skill Building ABA Adaptive Behavior Treatment ABA Group Adaptive Behavior Treatment ABA Exposure Adaptive Treatment Crisis Residential Services Residential Services -SUD Residential Services – Co-occurring SUD/MH Withdrawal Management – SUD	97153, 97154, 0373T, H0043, H0019, H0010, H0012, H0014, H0018, H2014, H2015, H2016, T2027, T1020, T2015, S5151, T1005,

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