DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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Medicaid Program; Final FY 2015 and Preliminary FY 2017 Disproportionate Share Hospital Allotments, and Final FY 2015 and Preliminary FY 2017 Institutions for Mental Diseases Disproportionate Share Hospital Limits

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the final federal share disproportionate share hospital (DSH) allotments for federal fiscal year (FY) 2015 and the preliminary federal share DSH allotments for FY 2017. This notice also announces the final FY 2015 and the preliminary FY 2017 limitations on aggregate DSH payments that states may make to institutions for mental disease and other mental health facilities. In addition, this notice includes background information describing the methodology for determining the amounts of states' FY DSH allotments.

DATES: This notice is applicable December 4, 2017. The final allotments and limitations set forth in this notice are applicable for the fiscal years specified.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

A. Fiscal Year DSH Allotments

A state's federal fiscal year (FY) disproportionate share hospital (DSH) allotment represents the aggregate limit on the federal share amount of the state's DSH payments to DSH hospitals in the state for the FY. The amount of such allotment is determined in accordance with the provisions of section 1923(f)(3) of the Social Security Act (the Act). Under such provisions, in general a state's FY DSH allotment is calculated by increasing the amount of its DSH allotment for the preceding FY by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U) for the previous FY.

The Affordable Care Act amended Medicaid DSH provisions, adding section 1923(f)(7) of the Act which would have required reductions to states' FY DSH allotments from FY 2014

through FY 2020, the calculation of which was described in the Disproportionate Share Hospital Payment Reduction final rule published in the September 18, 2013 Federal Register (78 FR 57293). Subsequent legislation, most recently by the Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 (Pub. L. 114-10, enacted on April 16, 2015) (MACRA), delayed the start of these reductions until FY 2018. The proposed rule delineating the methodology for the calculation of DSH allotment reductions scheduled to begin in FY 2018 was published in the July 28, 2017 **Federal** Register (82 FR 35155).

Because there are no reductions to DSH allotments for FY 2015 and FY 2017 under section 1923(f)(7) of the Act, as amended, this notice contains only the state-specific final FY 2015 DSH allotments and preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments, as calculated under the statute without application of the reductions that would have been imposed under the Affordable Care Act provisions beginning with FY 2014. This notice also provides information on the calculation of such FY DSH allotments, the calculation of the states' institutions for mental diseases (IMDs) DSH limits, and the amounts of states' final FY 2015 IMD DSH limits and preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH limits.

B. Determination of Fiscal Year DSH Allotments

Generally, in accordance with the methodology specified under section 1923(f)(3) of the Act, a state's FY DSH allotment is calculated by increasing the amount of its DSH allotment for the preceding FY by the percentage change in the CPI–U for the previous FY. Also in accordance with section 1923(f)(3) of the Act, a state's DSH allotment for a FY is subject to the limitation that an increase to a state's DSH allotment for a FY cannot result in the DSH allotment exceeding the greater of the state's DSH allotment for the previous FY or 12 percent of the state's total medical assistance expenditures for the allotment year (this is referred to as the 12 percent limit).

Furthermore, under section 1923(h) of the Act, federal financial participation (FFP) for DSH payments to IMDs and other mental health facilities is limited to state-specific aggregate amounts. Under this provision, the aggregate limit for DSH payments to IMDs and other mental health facilities is the lesser of a state's FY 1995 total computable (state and federal share) IMD and other mental health facility DSH expenditures applicable to the state's FY 1995 DSH allotment (as reported on the Form

CMS-64 as of January 1, 1997), or the amount equal to the product of the state's current year total computable DSH allotment and the applicable percentage specified in section 1923(h) of the Act.

In general, we determine states' DSH allotments for a FY and the IMD DSH limits for the same FY using the most recent available estimates of or actual medical assistance expenditures, including DSH expenditures in their Medicaid programs and the most recent available change in the CPI–U used for the FY in accordance with the methodology prescribed in the statute. The indicated estimated or actual expenditures are obtained from states for each relevant FY from the most recent available quarterly Medicaid budget reports (Form CMS-37) or quarterly Medicaid expenditure reports (Form CMS-64), respectively, submitted by the states. For example, as part of the initial determination of a state's FY DSH allotment (referred to as the preliminary DSH allotments) that is determined before the beginning of the FY for which the DSH allotments and IMD DSH limits are being determined, we use estimated expenditures for the FY obtained from the August submission of the CMS-37 submitted by states prior to the beginning of the FY; such estimated expenditures are subject to update and revision during the FY before such actual expenditure data become available. We also use the most recent available estimated CPI-U percentage change that is available before the beginning of the FY for determining the states' preliminary FY DSH allotments; such estimated CPI-U percentage change is subject to update and revision during the FY before the actual CPI-U percentage change becomes available. In determining the final DSH allotments and IMD DŠH limits for a FY we use the actual expenditures for the FY and actual CPI-U percentage change for the previous FY.

II. Provisions of the Notice

A. Calculation of the Final FY 2015 Federal Share State DSH Allotments, and the Preliminary FY 2017 Federal Share State DSH Allotments

1. Final FY 2015 Federal Share State DSH Allotments

Addendum 1 to this notice provides the states' final FY 2015 DSH allotments determined in accordance with section 1923(f)(3) of the Act. As described in the background section, in general, the DSH allotment for a FY is calculated by increasing the FY DSH allotment for the preceding FY by the CPI–U increase for the previous fiscal year. For purposes of

calculating the states' final FY 2015 DSH allotments, the preceding final fiscal year DSH allotments (for FY 2014) were published in the October 26, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 74432). For purposes of calculating the states' final FY 2015 DSH allotments we are using the actual Medicaid expenditures for FY 2015. Finally, for purposes of calculating the states' final FY 2015 DSH allotments, the applicable historical percentage change in the CPI-U for the previous FY (FY 2014) was 1.6 percent; we note that this is the same as the estimated 1.6 percentage change in the CPI-U for FY 2014 that was available and used in the calculation of the preliminary FY 2015 DSH allotments which were published in the February 2, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 5448).

2. Calculation of the Preliminary FY 2017 Federal Share State DSH Allotments

Addendum 2 to this notice provides the preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments determined in accordance with section 1923(f)(3) of the Act. The preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments contained in this notice were determined based on the most recent available estimates from states of their FY 2017 total computable Medicaid expenditures. Also, the preliminary FY 2017 allotments contained in this notice were determined by increasing the preliminary FY 2016 DSH allotments. The actual percentage increase in the CPI-U for FY 2016 was 0.9 percent (CMS originally published the preliminary FY 2016 DSH allotments in the October 26, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR74432)).

We will publish states' final FY 2017 DSH allotments in a future notice based on the states' four quarterly Medicaid expenditure reports (Form CMS–64) for FY 2017 available following the end of FY 2017 utilizing the actual change in the CPI–U for FY 2016.

B. Calculation of the Final FY 2015 and Preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH Limits

Section 1923(h) of the Act specifies the methodology to be used to establish the limits on the amount of DSH payments that a state can make to IMDs and other mental health facilities. FFP is not available for DSH payments to IMDs or other mental health facilities that exceed the IMD DSH limits. In this notice, we are publishing the final FY 2015 and the preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH limits determined in accordance with the provisions discussed above.

Addendums 3 and 4 to this notice detail each state's final FY 2015 and preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH limit, respectively, determined in accordance with section 1923(h) of the Act.

III. Collection of Information Requirements

This notice does not impose any new or revised information collection or recordkeeping requirements or burden. While discussed in section I.B. of this notice and in Addendums 3 and 4, the requirements and burden associated with Form CMS-37 (OMB control number 0938-0101) and Form CMS-64 (OMB control number 0938-0067) are unaffected by this notice. Consequently, this notice, CMS-37, and CMS-64 are not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under the authority of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) associated with the publication of this notice.

IV. Regulatory Impact Analysis

We have examined the impact of this notice as required by Executive Order 12866 on Regulatory Planning and Review (September 1993), the Regulatory Flexibility Act (RFA) (September 19, 1980, Pub. L. 96-354), section 1102(b) of the Act, section 202 of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-4, enacted on March 22, 1995) (UMRA '95), Executive Order 13132 on Federalism (August 4, 1999) and the Congressional Review Act (5 U.S.C. 804(2)), and Executive Order 13771 on Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs (January 30, 2017).

Executive Order 12866 directs agencies to assess all costs and benefits of available regulatory alternatives and, if regulation is necessary, to select regulatory approaches that maximize net benefits (including potential economic, environmental, public health and safety effects, distributive impacts, and equity). A regulatory impact analysis (RIA) must be prepared for major rules with economically significant effects (\$100 million or more in any 1 year). This notice reaches the \$100 million economic threshold and thus is considered a major rule under the Congressional Review Act.

The final FY 2015 DSH allotments being published in this notice are approximately \$11 million more than the preliminary FY 2015 DSH allotments published in the February 2, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 5448). The increase in the final FY 2015 DSH allotments is a result of being calculated by multiplying the actual increase in the CPI–U for 2014 by the final FY 2014 DSH allotments, while the preliminary FY 2015 DSH allotments were calculated by multiplying the estimated CPI–U for 2014 by the preliminary FY

2014 DSH allotments. Although the estimated and actual increase in the CPI-U remained the same at 1.6 percent, the preliminary FY 2014 DSH allotments were lower than the final FY 2014 DSH allotments and therefore the final FY 2015 DSH allotments are higher than the preliminary FY 2015 DSH allotments. The final FY 2015 IMD DSH limits being published in this notice are approximately \$695,000 more than the preliminary FY 2015 IMD DSH limits published in the February 2, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 5448). The increases in the IMD DSH limits are because the DSH allotment for a FY is a factor in the determination of the IMD DSH limit for the FY. Since the final FY 2015 DSH allotments were increased as compared to the preliminary FY 2015 DSH allotments, the associated FY 2015 IMD DSH limits for some states were also increased.

The preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments being published in this notice have been increased by approximately \$118 million more than the preliminary FY 2016 DSH allotments published in the October 26, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 74432). The increase in the DSH allotments is due to the application of the statutory formula for calculating DSH allotments under which the prior fiscal year allotments are increased by the percentage increase in the CPI-U for the prior fiscal year. The preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH limits being published in this notice are approximately \$5.5 million more than the preliminary FY 2016 IMD DSH limits published in the October 2, 2016 Federal Register (81 FR 74432). The increases in the IMD DSH limits are because the DSH allotment for a FY is a factor in the determination of the IMD DSH limit for the FY. Since the preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments are greater than the preliminary FY 2016 DSH allotments, the associated preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH limits for some states also increased.

The RFA requires agencies to analyze options for regulatory relief of small businesses, if a rule has a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. For purposes of the RFA, small entities include small businesses nonprofit organizations, and small governmental jurisdictions. Most hospitals and most other providers and suppliers are small entities, either by nonprofit status or by having revenues of less than \$7.0 million to \$34.5 million in any one year. Individuals and states are not included in the definition of a small entity. We are not preparing an analysis for the RFA because the Secretary has determined that this notice will not have significant

economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Specifically, any impact on providers is due to the effect of the various controlling statutes; providers are not impacted as a result of the independent regulatory action in publishing this notice. The purpose of the notice is to announce the latest DSH allotments and IMD DSH limits, as required by the statute.

In addition, section 1102(b) of the Act requires us to prepare a regulatory impact analysis if a rule may have a significant impact on the operations of a substantial number of small rural hospitals. This analysis must conform to the provisions of section 604 of the RFA. For purposes of section 1102(b) of the Act, we define a small rural hospital as a hospital that is located outside of a Core-Based Statistical Area for Medicaid payment regulations and has fewer than 100 beds. We are not preparing analysis for section 1102(b) of the Act because the Secretary has determined that this notice will not have a significant impact on the operations of a substantial number of small rural hospitals.

The Medicaid statute specifies the methodology for determining the amounts of states' DSH allotments and IMD DSH limits; and as described previously, the application of the methodology specified in statute results in the decreases or increases in states DSH allotments and IMD DSH limits for the applicable FYs. The statute applicable to these allotments and limits does not apply to the determination of the amounts of DSH payments made to specific DSH hospitals; rather, these allotments and limits represent an overall limit on the total of such DSH payments. For this reason, we do not believe that this notice will have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

Section 202 of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 also requires that agencies assess anticipated costs and benefits before issuing any rule whose mandates require spending in any 1 year of \$100 million in 1995 dollars, updated annually for inflation. In 2017, that threshold is approximately \$148 million. This notice will have no consequential effect on spending by state, local, or tribal governments, in the aggregate, or on the private sector.

Executive Order 13132 establishes certain requirements that an agency must meet when it promulgates a proposed rule (and subsequent final rule) that imposes substantial direct requirement costs on state and local governments, preempts state law, or otherwise has Federalism implications. Since this notice does not impose any costs on state or local governments or otherwise have Federalism implications, the requirements of E.O. 13132 are not applicable.

Éxecutive Order 13771, titled "Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs," was issued on January 30, 2017. It has been determined that this notice is a transfer rule and is not a regulatory action for the purposes of Executive Order 13771.

A. Alternatives Considered

The methodologies for determining the states' fiscal year DSH allotments and IMD DSH limits, as reflected in this notice, were established in accordance with the methodologies and formula for determining states' allotments and limits as specified in statute. This notice does not put forward any further discretionary administrative policies for determining such allotments and limits, or otherwise.

B. Accounting Statement

As required by OMB Circular A–4 (available at http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/a004/a-4.pdf), in Table

1, we have prepared an accounting statement showing the classification of the estimated expenditures associated with the provisions of this notice. Table 1 provides our best estimate of the change (decrease) in the federal share of states' Medicaid DSH payments resulting from the application of the provisions of the Medicaid statute relating to the calculation of states' FY DSH allotments and the increase in the FY DSH allotments from FY 2016 to FY 2017.

TABLE 1—ACCOUNTING STATEMENT: CLASSIFICATION OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, FROM THE FY 2016 TO FY 2017

[In millions]

Category	Transfers
Annualized Monetized Transfers. From Whom To Whom?.	\$118. Federal Government to States.

Congressional Review Act

This proposed regulation is subject to the Congressional Review Act provisions of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 (5 U.S.C. 801 *et seq.*) and has been transmitted to the Congress and the Comptroller General for review.

In accordance with the provisions of Executive Order 12866, this notice was reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget.

Dated October 11, 2017.

Seema Verma,

Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

Dated October 27, 2017.

Eric D. Hargan,

Acting Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services.

KEY TO ADDENDUM 1—FINAL DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FY 2015

[The Final FY 2015 DSH Allotments for the NON-Low DSH States are presented in the top section of this addendum, and the Final FY 2015 DSH Allotments for the Low-DSH States are presented in the bottom section of this addendum.]

Column	Description
Column A	State.
Column B	FY 2015 FMAPs. This column contains the States' FY 2015 Federal Medical Assistance Percentages.
Column C	Prior FY (2014) DSH Allotments. This column contains the States' prior FY 2014 DSH Allotments.
Column D	Prior FY (2014) DSH Allotments (Col C) × (100percent + Percentage Increase in CPIU): 101.6 percent. This column contains
	the amount in Column C increased by 1 plus the percentage increase in the CPI-U for the prior FY (101.6 percent).
Column E	FY 2015 TC MAP Exp. Including DSH. This column contains the amount of the States' FY 2015 total computable (TC) med-
	ical assistance expenditures including DSH expenditures.
Column F	FY 2015 TC DSH Expenditures. This column contains the amount of the States' FY 2015 total computable DSH expenditures.
Column G	FY 2015 TC MAP Exp. Net of DSH. This column contains the amount of the States' FY 2015 total computable medical assist-
	ance expenditures net of DSH expenditures, calculated as the amount in Column E minus the amount in Column F.
Column H	12 percent Amount. This column contains the amount of the "12 percent limit" in Federal share, determined in accordance
	with the provisions of section 1923(f)(3) of the Act.
Column I	Greater of FY 2014 Allotment or 12 percent Limit. This column contains the greater of the State's prior FY (FY 2014) DSH al-
	lotment or the amount of the 12 percent limit, determined as the maximum of the amount in Column C or Column H.

KEY TO ADDENDUM 1—FINAL DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FY 2015—Continued

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Column	Description
Column J	FY 2015 DSH Allotment. This column contains the States' final FY 2015 DSH allotments, determined as the minimum of the amount in Column I or Column D. For states with "na" in Columns I or D, refer to the footnotes in the addendum.

ADDENDUM 1—FINAL DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR: 2015

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State	FY 2015 FMAPs (percent)	Prior FY (2014) DSH allotments	Prior FY (2014) DSH allotment (Col C) × 100% + Pct increase in CPIU:	FY 2015 TC MAP Exp. including DSH	FY 2015 TC DSH expenditures	FY 2015 TC MAP EXP. net OF DSH Col E-F	"12% Amount" = Col G × .12/(112/ Col B)* (In FS)	Greater of Col H Or Col C (12% Limit, FY 2014 allotment)	FY 2015 DSH allotment MIN Col I, Col D
			101.6%						
ALABAMA	68.99	\$328,262,759	\$333,514,963	\$5,264,823,220	\$482,949,270	\$4,781,873,950	\$694,651,308	\$694,651,308	\$333,514,963
ARIZONA	68.46	108,086,519	109,815,903	10,617,725,498	171,078,470	10,446,647,028	1,520,037,100	1,520,037,100	109,815,903
COLOBADO	51.01	98.745.708	100,325,639	7.301.119.320	196.484.794	7.104.634.526	1,114,813,865	1.114.813.865	100.325.639
	20.00	213,504,233	216,920,301	7,183,360,060	129,030,409	7,054,329,651	1,113,841,524	1,113,841,524	216,920,301
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	70.00	65,385,671	66,431,842	2,369,871,903	36,875,089	2,332,996,814	337,882,297	337,882,297	66,431,842
FLORIDA	59.72	213,504,233	216,920,301	21,320,462,370	358,797,341	20,961,665,029	3,147,939,570	3,147,939,570	216,920,301
GEORGIA	66.94	286,896,314	291,486,655	9,664,791,833	435,016,070	9,229,775,763	1,349,489,311	1,349,489,311	291,486,655
ILLINOIS	50.76	229,517,051	233,189,324	16,938,472,430	442,188,036	16,496,284,394	2,592,419,182	2,592,419,182	233,189,324
INDIANA	66.52	228,182,651	231,833,573	9,249,771,996	232,141,314	9,017,630,682	1,320,292,281	1,320,292,281	231,833,573
KANOAO	50.03	44,035,248	44,739,812	3,010,910,864	1,8,925,971	2,931,984,893	440,438,037	440,439,537	44,739,812
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MICHIDAN	95.00	282,333,330	287 419 400	15,867,358,420	336 597 089	15 530 761 331	2,420,144,420	2 281 403 282	287 419 400
MISSISSIM	73.58	162 796 978	165 401 730	5 136 317 498	224 546 417	4 911 771 081	704 270 444	704 270 444	165 401 730
MISSOURI	63.45	505,738,153	513 829 963	9.518 489 904	680,860,006	8 837 629 898	1.307.866.162	1.307.866.162	513 829 963
NEVADA	64.36	49.372.853	50 162 819	3 105 613 113	77 953 523	3 027 659 590	446 585 572	446 585 572	50 162 819
NEW HAMDALIBE	200	170,908,561	173 643 008	1 716 225 884	108 604 387	1,607,531,407	253,000,012	253,820,763	173 643 098
NEW JEBSEY	20.00	687 216 752	698 212 220	14 049 422 255	1 089 139 502	12 960 282 753	2 046 360 435	2 046 360 435	698 212 220
NEW YORK	20.00	1 714 705 875	1 742 141 169	57 896 956 615	3 431 160 259	54 465 796 356		8 599 862 583	1 742 141 169
NOBTH CABOLINA	65.88	314 918 744	319 957 444	13 212 668 475	531,329,898	12 681 338 577	1 860 682 818	1 860 682 818	319 957 444
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BHODE ISLAND	50.00	69,388,876	70,499,098	2.584.840.295	140.548.917	2,444,291,378			70,499,098
SOUTH CAROLINA	70.64	349,613,182	355,206,993	5,767,691,574	487,856,512	5,279,835,062	763,235,093	763,235,093	355,206,993
TENNESSEE ²	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	53,100,000
TEXAS	58.05	1,020,817,117	1,037,150,191	34,691,253,016	2,330,024,141	32,361,228,875	4,895,294,687	4,895,294,687	1,037,150,191
VERMONT 3	56.21	24,019,227		1,632,611,663	37,448,781	1,595,162,882	243,376,898	243,376,898	24,403,535
VIRGINIA	20.00	93,522,940		8,032,760,161	20,698,074	8,012,062,087	1,265,062,435	1,265,062,435	95,019,307
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ARKANSAS	70.88	46,050,497	46,787,305	5,469,511,577	64,862,196	5,404,649,381	780,736,851	780,736,851	46,787,305
DELAWARE	53.63	9,664,479		1,860,130,571	14,439,649	1,845,690,922	285,326,171	285,326,171	9,819,111
HAWAII	52.23	10,403,840	10,570,301	1,957,983,075	0	1,957,983,075	305,042,374.37	305,042,374	10,570,301
IDAHO	71.75	17,547,381		1,715,448,736	24,187,617	1,691,261,119	243,711,434.89	243,711,435	17,828,139
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MONTANA	65.90	12 117 193	12.311.068	1 132 392 709	18,620,319	1 113 772 392	163 408 387	163 408 387	12 311 068
NEBRASKA	53.27	30,208,951	30.692.294	1,846,405,999	38,427,073	1,807,978,926	280,041,785	280,041,785	30,692,294
NEW MEXICO	69.65	21,745,078		4,920,345,001	22,732,973	4,897,612,028	710,047,551	710,047,551	22,092,999
NORTH DAKOTA	20.00	10,196,942		1,085,776,090	2,594,883	1,083,181,207	171,028,612	171,028,612	10,360,093
OKLAHOMA	62.30	38,657,915		4,703,038,531	43,517,776	4,659,520,755	692,536,325	692,536,325	39,276,442
ONEGON	64.06	48,322,397		8,027,137,262	1 584 283	7,966,419,808	1,1/6,324,6/1	1,1/6,324,6/1	49,095,555
UTAH	70.56	20.942.613	21 277 695	2 147 978 557	25.398.058	2 122 580 499	306.904.262	306.904.262	21 277 695
WISCONSIN	58.27	100,915,788	•	7,893,501,866	31,421,346	7,862,080,520	1,188,130,794	1,188,130,794	102,530,441
WYOMING	20.00	241,612		558,961,575	471,420	558,490,155	88,182,656	88,182,656	245,478

ADDENDUM 1—FINAL DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR: 2015—Continued

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Greater of Col H Or Col C (12% Limit, FY 2014 allotment)		9,095,068,543	
"12% Amount" = Greater of Col H Col G × .12/(112/ Col B)* (12% Limit, FY (In FS) 2014 alloment)		9,095,068,543	75,644,691,482
FY 2015 TC MAP EXP. net OF DSH Col E-F		60,237,558,215	18,502,321,012 493,820,644,959
FY 2015 TC DSH expenditures		472,985,203	
FY 2015 TC MAP Exp. including DSH		60,710,543,418	1,849,439,049 512,322,965,971
Prior FY (2014) DSH allotment (Col C) × 100% + Pct increase in CPIU:	101.6%	530,679,470	
Prior FY (2014) DSH allotments		522,322,313	0.00 11,662,833,710
FY 2015 FMAPs (percent)		00.00	0.00
State		TOTAL LOW DSH STATES	TOTAL

¹Louisiana's FY 2015 DSH allotment is determined under the provisions of section 1923(f)(3)(C) and (D) of the Act. ²Tennessee's DSH allotment for FY 2015 determined under section 1923(f)(6)(A) of the Act. ³FMAP for Vermont for FY 2015 determined in accordance with section 1905(2)(1)(A) of the Act.

KEY TO ADDENDUM 2: PRELIMINARY DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FY 2017

[The Preliminary FY 2017 DSH Allotments for the NON-Low DSH States are presented in the top section of this addendum, and the Preliminary FY 2017 DSH Allotments for the Low-DSH States are presented in the bottom section of this addendum.]

Column	Description
Column A	State.
Column B	FY 2017 FMAPs. This column contains the States' FY 2017 Federal Medical Assistance Percentages.
Column C	Prior FY (2016) DSH Allotments. This column contains the States' prior preliminary FY 2016 DSH Allotments.
Column D	Prior FY (2016) DSH Allotments (Col C) × (100 percent + Percentage Increase in CPIU): 100.9 percent. This column contains the amount in Column C increased by 1 plus the estimated percentage increase in the CPI–U for the prior FY (100.9 percent).
Column E	FY 2017 TC MAP Exp. Including DSH. This column contains the amount of the States' projected FY 2017 total computable (TC) medical assistance expenditures including DSH expenditures.
Column F	FY 2017 TC DSH Expenditures. This column contains the amount of the States' projected FY 2017 total computable DSH expenditures.
Column G	FY 2017 TC MAP Exp. Net of DSH. This column contains the amount of the States' projected FY 2017 total computable medical assistance expenditures net of DSH expenditures, calculated as the amount in Column E minus the amount in Column F.
Column H	12 percent Amount. This column contains the amount of the "12 percent limit" in Federal share, determined in accordance with the provisions of section 1923(f)(3) of the Act.
Column I	Greater of FY 2016 Allotment or 12 percent Limit. This column contains the greater of the State's preliminary prior FY (FY 2016) DSH allotment or the amount of the 12 percent Limit, determined as the maximum of the amount in Column C or Column H
Column J	FY 2017 DSH Allotment. This column contains the States' preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments, determined as the minimum of the amount in Column I or Column D. For states with "na" in Columns I or D, refer to the footnotes in the addendum.

ADDENDUM 2-PRELIMINARY DSH ALLOTMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR: 2017

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State	FY 2017 FMAPs (percent)	Prior FY (2016) DSH allotments	Prior FY (2016) DSH allotment (Col C) × 100% + Pct increase in CPIU:	FY 2017 TC MAP Exp. including DSH ²	FY 2017 TC DSH expenditures ²	FY 2017 TC MAP EXP. net Of DSH Col E-F	"12% Amount" = Col G ×.12/(112/ Col B)*	Greater of Col H Or Col C (12% Limit, FY 2016 allotment)	FY 2017 DSH allotment MIN Col I, Col D
			100.9%				,	,	
ALABAMA	70.16	\$334,515,508	\$337,526,148	\$5,722,108,000	↔	\$5,241,896,000	\$758	\$758,813,116	\$337,526,148
ARIZONA	69.24	1 100,145,351	1 203 204 436	12,751,216,000	101,305,000	92 671 381 000	1,827,516,641	1,827,516,641	1 203 204 436
COLORADO	50.02	100.626.616	101.532.256	8.208.119.000		8.008.782.000		1.264.384.878	101.532.256
CONNECTICUT	50.00	217,571,062	219,529,202	7,618,871,000	141,094,000	7,477,777,000	1,180,701,632	1,180,701,632	219,529,202
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	70.00	66,631,138	67,230,818	2,789,426,000	10,000,000	2,779,426,000	402,537,559	402,537,559	67,230,818
FLORIDA	61.10	217,571,062	219,529,202	24,118,173,000	358,261,000	23,759,912,000	3,548,017,816	3,548,017,816	219,529,202
SECRETAL SINGLE	67.89	292,361,115	294,992,365	10,198,853,000	281,504,000	9,617,349,000	0,871,870	1,401,8/1,8/0	294,992,365
ILCINOIS	051.30	233,888,882	232,993,692	11 762 997 000	811 661 000	10,377,988,000	1,505,417,919	1,505,417,919	232,993,692
KANSAS		44.874.031	45.277.897	3.410.646.000	77.573.000	3.333.073.000	508.533.002	508.533.002	45.277.897
KENTUCKY		157.739.021	159,158,672	10,676,966,000	227,501,000	10.449.465.000	1.511,329,396	1.511,329,396	159,158,672
LOUISIANA		745,902,374	752,615,495	11,132,573,000	1,117,522,000	10,015,051,000	1,488,633,356	1,488,633,356	752,615,495
MAINE		114,224,807	115,252,830	2,663,472,000	42,296,000	2,621,176,000	386,600,941	386,600,941	115,252,830
MARYLAND		82,948,968	83,695,509	11,950,442,000	153,711,000	11,796,731,000	1,862,641,737	1,862,641,737	83,695,509
MASSACHUSETTS		331,795,869	334,782,032	18,581,439,000		18,581,439,000	2,933,911,421	2,933,911,421	334,782,032
MICHIGAN		288,281,658	290,876,193	18,171,344,000		17,798,580,000	2,618,048,889	2,618,048,889	290,876,193
MISSISSIPPI	74.63	165,897,935	167,391,016	5,723,846,000		5,498,846,000	786,291,957	786,291,957	167,391,016
MISSOURI	63.21	515,3/1,453	520,009,796	000,900,079,01	693,986,000	9,976,020,000	1,477,643,173	1,477,643,173	520,009,796
NEVADA	64.67	708,313,307	50,766,127	3,578,926,000	80,370,000	3,498,556,000	515,477,387	515,477,387	50,766,127
NEW HAMPOHIME	20.00	1/4,164,027	1/5,/31,503	2,169,830,000	247,753,000	1,922,077,000	303,485,842	303,485,842	1/5,/31,503
NEW JERSEY	20.00	1 747 367 503	1 763	71 683 117 000	850,921,000	66 710,084,000	7,291,100,032	7,291,100,032	1 763 003 001
NOBTH CABOLINA	90.00	320 917 316	-	13 175 069 000		12 917 387 000	1 889 026 624	1 889 026 624	323 805 572
OHO	62.32	441 941 221		24,746,576,000	000,1000,100	24 746 576 000	3 677 758 227	3 677 758 227	445.918.692
PENNSYLVANIA	51.78	610,558,793	616,053,822	30.203.978,000	890.607.000	29.313.371.000	578.722.	4.578.722.022	616,053,822
RHODE ISLAND	51.02	70.710,595	71.346.990	2.718,936,000	144,308,000	2.574.628.000	403.969.822	403.969.822	71.346.990
SOUTH CAROLINA	71.30	356,272,614	359,479,068	6,171,883,000	503,738,000	5,668,145,000	817,818,695	817,818,695	359,479,068
TENNESSEE 1	64.96	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	53,100,000
TEXAS	56.18	1,040,261,642	1,049,623,997	40,497,188,000	1,853,258,000	38,643,930,000	5,896,829,300	5,896,829,300	1,049,623,997
VERMONT	54.46	24,476,746	24,697,037	1,726,339,000	37,449,000	1,688,890,000	259,944,275	259,944,275	24,697,037
VIRGINIA	50.00	95,304,365	96,162,104	9,016,918,000	190,421,000	8,826,497,000	1,393,657,421	1,393,657,421	96,162,104
WASHINGLON	21.80	73.430.234	74.091.106	4.246.975.000	73.358.000	4.173.617.000	601.335.854	601,335,854	74.091.106
TOTAL		11,352,715,861	11,454,890,304	523,878,648,000	17,774,158,000	506,104,490,000	77,714,175,902	77,714,175,902	11,507,990,304
				LOW DSH STATES	ATES				
AI ASKA	50.00	22 159 278	22.358.712	2 521 495 000	25 641 000	2 495 854 000	394 082 210 53	394 082 211	22.358.712
ARKANSAS	69.69	46,927,667	47,350,016	6,490,998,000	50,820,000	6,440,178,000	933,574,633	933,574,633	47,350,016
DELAWARE	54.20	9,848,568	9,937,205	1,968,900,000	0	1,968,900,000	303,453,213	303,453,213	9,937,205
HAWAII	54.93	10,602,012	10,697,430	2,264,951,000	0	2,264,951,000	347,767,319.16	347,767,319	10,697,430
IDAHO	71.51	17,881,623	18,042,558	2,075,465,000	27,147,000	2,048,318,000	295,362,568.00	295,362,568	18,042,558
MINIER	20.75	81.050.889	81 981 945	4,691,342,000	154 641 000	12 074 536 000	1 906 505 684	1 906 505 684	81 981 945
MONTANA	65.56	12.348.001	12,459,133	1.664.645.000	1.810.000	1.662.835.000	244.246.742	244.246.742	12,459,133
NEBRASKA	51.85	30,784,371	31,061,430	2,166,975,000	41,996,000	2,124,979,000	331,784,676	331,784,676	31,061,430
NEW MEXICO	71.13	22,159,278	22,358,712	5,528,792,000	31,460,000	5,497,332,000	793,557,027	793,557,027	22,358,712
NORTH DAKOTA	20.00	10,391,173	10,484,694	1,305,889,000	1,485,000	1,304,404,000	205,958,526	205,958,526	10,484,694
OKLAHOMA	59.94	39,394,271	39,748,819	5,276,333,000	47,870,000	5,228,463,000	784,465,763	784,465,763	39,748,819
OREGON	64.47	49,242,842	49,686,028	9,814,476,000	81,372,000	9,733,104,000	1,435,090,257	1,435,090,257	49,686,028
SOUTH DAKOTA	54.94	12,014,978	12,123,113	906,932,000	1,527,000	905,405,000	139,011,506	139,011,506	12,123,113
LAID COMM	69.90	21,341,328	70353,002	2,636,196,000	33,036,000	2,603,160,000	3/7,410,744	1 200 207 540	70353,007
WYOMING	50.00	246,214		600	482,000	600,508,000	94.817.053	94 817 053	248 430

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		532,271,506	537,061,950	71,208,284,000	650,951,000	70,557,333,000	10,646,453,493	10,646,453,493	537,061,951
		11,884,987,367	11,991,952,253	595,086,932,000	18,425,109,000	576,661,823,000	88,360,629,395	88,360,629,395	12,045,052,255
017 deterr reported b		Tennessee's DSH allotment for FY 2017 determined under section 1923(f)(6)/¢ Expenditures based on the amounts reported by States on the Form CMS–37.	923(f)(6)(A) of the Act. CMS-37.	1 5					

KEY TO ADDENDUM 3—FINAL IMD DSH LIMITS FOR FY 2015

[The final FY 2015 IMD DSH Limits for the Non-Low DSH States are presented in the top section of this addendum and the preliminary FY 2015 IMD DSH Limits for the Low-DSH States are presented in the bottom section of the addendum.]

Column	Description
Column A	State.
Column B	Inpatient Hospital Services FY 95 DSH Total Computable. This column contains the States' total computable FY 1995 inpatient hospital DSH expenditures as reported on the Form CMS-64 as of January 1, 1997.
Column C	IMD and Mental Health Services FY 95 DSH Total Computable. This column contains the total computable FY 1995 mental health facility DSH expenditures as reported on the Form CMS–64 as of January 1, 1997.
Column D	
Column E	Applicable Percentage, Col. C/D. This column contains the "applicable percentage" representing the total Computable FY 1995 mental health facility DSH expenditures divided by total computable all inpatient hospital and mental health facility DSH expenditures for FY 1995 (the amount in Column C divided by the amount in Column D) Per section 1923(h)(2)(A)(ii)(III) of the Act, for FYs after FY 2002, the applicable percentage can be no greater than 33 percent.
Column F	
Column G	FY 2015 FMAP.
Column H	FY 2015 DSH Allotments in Total Computable, Col. F/G. This column contains states' FY 2015 total computable DSH allotment (determined as Column F/Column G).
Column I	,
Column J	FY 2015 TC IMD DSH Limit. Lesser of Col. I or C. This column contains the total computable FY 2015 TC IMD DSH Limit equal to the lesser of the amount in Column I or Column C.
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State	Inpatient hospital services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	IMD and mental health services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	Total inpatient & IMD & mental health FY 95 DSH total computable Col B + C	Applica- ble percent Col C/D	FY 2015 allotment in FS	FY 2015 FMAPs (percent)	FY 2015 allotments in TC Col F/G	Applicable percentage applied to FY 2015 allotments in TC Col E x Col H	FY 2015 TC IMD limit (lesser of Col I or Col C)	FY 2015 IMD limit in FS Col G x J
ALABAMA ARIZONA CALIFORNIA	e	\$4,451,770 28,474,900 1,555,919	\$417,457,999 122,391,000 2,191,435,462	1.07 23.27 0.07	\$333,514,963 109,815,903 1,188,994,401	68.99 68.46 50.00	\$483,425,080 160,408,856 2,377,988,802	\$5,155,243 37,319,951 1,688,372	\$4,451,770 28,474,900 1,555,919	\$3,071,276 19,493,917 777,960
COLORADO	— ო	594,776 105,573,725	174,495,217 408,933,000	0.34	100,325,639 216,920,301	51.01	678 840	670,388 112,004,090	594,776 105,573,725	303,395 52,786,863
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIAFLORIDA	39,532,234 184,468.014	6,545,136	46,077,370 334.183.000	14.20 33.00	66,431,842	70.00	94,902,631	13,480,601	6,545,136	4,581,595 71.583.699
GEORGIA ILLINOIS	• • • •	89.408.276	407,343,557	0.00	291,486,655	66.94	435,444,659	101.347.501	89.408.276	45.383.641
INDIANA KANSAS		153,566,302	233,527,085	33.00	231,833,573	66.52	348,517,097	115,010,642	010,	76,505,079
KENTUCKY		37,443,073	196,247,981	19.08	157,267,219	69.94	224,860,193	42,902,131	37,443,073	26,187,685
MAINE	<u>,</u>	60,958,342	160,916,300	33.00	113,883,158	61.88	1,198,503,400	60,732,777	60,732,777	37,581,442
MARTICALUSETTS		105,635,054	575,289,000	18.36	330,803,459	20.00	661,606,918	121,484,823	105,635,054	52,817,527
MISSISSIPPI		304,765,552	438,024,352 182,608,033	0.00	287,419,400 165,401,730	73.58	438,540,433 224,791,696	144,7 18,343	0 0	94,848,402
MISSOURI	521,946,524 73,560,000	207,234,618 0	729,181,142	28.42	513,829,963 50,162,819	63.45 64.36	809,818,697 77,940,987	230,151,959 0	207,234,618 0	131,490,365
NEW HAMPSHIRE	7	94,753,948	1 094 113 000	33.00	173,643,098	50.00	347,286,196	114,604,445	94,753,948	47,376,974
NEW YORK	ď	605,000,000	3,023,869,368	20.01	1,742,141,169	50.00	3,484,282,338	697,117,024	605,000,000	302,500,000
OHO		93,432,758	629,164,714	14.85	440,619,363	62.64	703,415,330	104,459,187	93,432,758	58,526,280
PENNSYLVANIA RHODE ISLAND	388,207,319 108,503,167	579,199,682 2,397,833	967,407,001	33.00	608,732,595 70,499,098	51.82	1,174,705,895 140,998,196	387,652,945 3,048,576	387,652,945	200,881,756 1,198,917
SOUTH CAROLINA		72,076,341	438,757,705	16.43	355,206,993	70.64	502,841,157	82,603,565	72,076,341	50,914,727
TEXAS	7,	292,513,592	7,5	19.33	1,037,150,191	58.05	1,786,649,769	345,412,642	292,513,592	169,804,140
VEHMONI 3.	19,979,252 129,313,480	9,0/1,29/		5.67	24,403,535 95,019,307	56.27		13,556,707	9,0/1,29/ 7,770,268	5,098,976 3,885,134
WASHINGTON		163,836,435 18,887,045	335,562,250 85,849,651	33.00	200,651,279 73,210,602	50.03 71.35	401,061,921 102,607,711	132,350,434 22,573,842	132,350,434 18,887,045	66,214,922 13,475,907
TOTAL	13,402,460,846	4,118,758,904	17,521,219,750		11,371,859,581		20,259,435,756	3,849,221,003	3,472,944,320	1,945,212,274
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ALASKA	2,506,827	17,611,765	20,118,592	33.00	22,092,999	50.00	44,185,998	14,581,379	14,581,379	7,290,690
DELAWARE		000,690,7	7,069,000	33.00	9,819,111	53.63	18,308,989	6,041,966	6,041,966	3,240,307
HAWAII IDAHO		00	2,081,429	0.00	10,570,301 17,828,139	52.23 71.75	20,237,988 24,847,580	00	00	0 0
IOWA	12,011,250 24,240,000	0 5.257.214	12,011,250 29,497,214	0.00	42,712,842 81,007,666	55.54	76,904,649 162,015,332	28.875.584	0 5.257.214	2.628.607
MONTANA		0	237,048	0.00	12,311,068	65.90	18,681,439	0	0	0
NEW MEXICO	o o	1,811,337	6,744,801	3.78	22,092,999	53.27 69.65	31,720,027	1,198,229	254,786	177,458
NORTH DAKOTA	214,523	988,478	1,203,001	33.00	10,360,093	50.00	20,720,186	6,837,661	988,478	494,239 2,039,234
OREGON		19,975,092	31,413,000	33.00	49,095,555	64.06	76,639,955	25,291,185	19,975,092	12,796,044
SOUTH DAKOTA UTAH		751,299 934,586	1,072,419	33.00 20.51	11,979,041 21,277,695	51.64	23,197,213	7,655,080 6,186,286	751,299	387,971 659,444
WISCONSIN WYOMING	6,609,524	4,492,011	11,101,535	33.00	102,530,441 245,478	58.27	175,957,510 490,956	58,065,978 0	4,492,011	2,617,495

ADDENDUM 3—FINAL IMD DSH LIMIT FOR FY: 2015—Continued

FY 2015 IMD limit in FS Col G x J	33,877,144	1,979,089,418
FY 2015 TC IMD limit (lesser of Col I or Col C)	59,180,748	21,170,168,738 4,042,130,095 3,532,125,067 1,979,089,418
Applicable percentage applied to FY 2015 allotments in TC Col E x Col H	192,909,092	4,042,130,095
FY 2015 allotments in TC Col F/G	910,732,982	21,170,168,738
FY 2015 FMAPs (percent)		
FY 2015 allotment in FS	530,679,469	11,902,539,050
Applica- ble percent Col C/D		
Total inpatient & IMD & mental health FY 95 DSH total computable Col B + C	161,900,647	17,683,120,397
IMD and mental health services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	63,238,167	13,501,123,326 4,181,997,071 17,683,120,397
Inpatient hospital services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	98,662,480	13,501,123,326
State	TOTAL LOW DSH STATES	TOTAL

*Tennessee's DSH allotment for FY 2015 determined under section 1923(f)(6)(A) of the Act. **Vermont's FMAP for FY 2015 determined in accordance with section 1905(z)(1)(A) of the Act.

KEY TO ADDENDUM 4—PRELIMINARY IMD DSH LIMITS FOR FY 2017

[The preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH Limits for the Non-Low DSH States are presented in the top section of this addendum and the preliminary FY 2017 IMD DSH Limits for the Low-DSH States are presented in the bottom section of the addendum.]

Column	Description
Column A	State.
Column B	Inpatient Hospital Services FY 95 DSH Total Computable. This column contains the States' total computable FY 1995 inpatient hospital DSH expenditures as reported on the Form CMS-64 as of January 1, 1997.
Column C	IMD and Mental Health Services FY 95 DSH Total Computable. This column contains the total computable FY 1995 mental health facility DSH expenditures as reported on the Form CMS–64 as of January 1, 1997.
Column D	
Column E	Applicable Percentage, Col. C/D. This column contains the "applicable percentage" representing the total Computable FY 1995 mental health facility DSH expenditures divided by total computable all inpatient hospital and mental health facility DSH expenditures for FY 1995 (the amount in Column C divided by the amount in Column D) Per section 1923(h)(2)(A)(ii)(III) of the Act, for FYs after FY 2002, the applicable percentage can be no greater than 33 percent.
Column F	FY 2017 Federal Share DSH Allotment. This column contains the states' preliminary FY 2017 DSH allotments from Addendum 1, Column J.
Column G	FY 2017 FMAP.
Column H	FY 2017 DSH Allotments in Total Computable, Col. F/G. This column contains states' FY 2017 total computable DSH allotment (determined as Column F/Column G).
Column I	Applicable Percentage Applied to FY 2017 Allotments in TC, Col E x Col H. This column contains the applicable percentage of FY 2016 total computable DSH allotment (calculated as the percentage in Column E multiplied by the amount in Column H).
Column J	FY 2017 TC IMD DSH Limit. Lesser of Col. I or C. This column contains the total computable FY 2017 TC IMD DSH Limit equal to the lesser of the amount in Column I or Column C.
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ADDENDUM 4—PRELIMINARY IMD DSH LIMIT FOR FISCAL YEAR: 2017

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State	Inpatient hospital services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	IMD and mental health services FY 95 DSH total comput- able	Total inpatient & IMD & mental health FY 95 DSH total computable Col B + C	Applica- ble percent Col C/D	FY 2017 allotment in FS	FY 2017 FMAPs (percent)	FY 2017 allotments in TC Col F/G	Applicable percentage applied to FY 2017 allotments in TC Col E x Col H	FY 2017 TC IMD limit (lesser of Col I or Col C)	FY 2017 IMD limit in FS Col G x J
ALABAMA ARIZONA	\$413,006,229 93,916,100	\$4,451,770 28,474,900	\$417,457,999 122,391,000	1.07	\$337,526,148 111,136,659	70.16	\$481,080,599 160,509,328	\$5,130,241 37,343,327	\$4,451,770	\$3,123,362 19,716,021
CALIFORNIA	2,189,879,543	1,555,919	2,191,435,462	0.07	1,203,294,436	50.00	2,406,588,872	1,708,678	1,555,919	777,960
CONNECTICUT	- ന	105,573,725	408,933,000	25.82	219,529,202	50.00	439,058,404	113,351,163	105,573,725	52,786,863
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	39,532,234	6,545,136	46,077,370	14.20	67,230,818	70.00	96,044,026	13,642,732	6,545,136	4,581,595
GEORGIA	•	006,41,7,641	407,343,557	00:00	294,992,365	67.89	434,515,194	2	0	0,444,00,
ILLINOIS		89,408,276	405,276,784	22.06	235,993,892	51.30	460,027,080	101,486,761	89,408,276	45,866,446 77,425,206
KANSAS		76,663,508	88,250,716	33.00	45,277,897	56.21	80,551,320	26,581,936	26,581,936	14,941,706
KENTUCKY	158,804,908	37,443,073	196,247,981	19.08	159,158,672	70.46 62.28	225,885,143 1 208 438 496	43,097,686 132 588 998	37,443,073 132 588 998	26,382,389
MAINE		60,958,342	160,916,300	33.00	115,252,830	64.38	179,019,618	59,076,474	59,076,474	38,033,434
MARYLAND	•	873	143,099,998	33.00	83,695,509	20.00	167,391,018	55,239,036	55,239,036	27,619,518
MICHIGAN		304,765,552	438,024,352	33.00	290,876,193	65.15	446,471,517	147,335,600	147,335,600	95,989,144
MISSISSIPPI	182,608,033	0 207 224 618	182,608,033	0.00	167,391,016	74.63	224,294,541	0	0	0 000 001
NEVADA		0.0,452,702	73,560,000	0.00	50,766,127	64.67	78,500,274	0		00,588,051
NEW HAMPSHIRE		94,753,948	187,429,864	33.00	175,731,503	50.00	351,463,006	115,982,792	94,753,948	47,376,974
NEW JERSEY NEW YORK	736,742,539	357,370,461	3.023.869.368	32.66	1.763.093.901	20.00	3.526.187.802	705.501.250	357,370,461	302,500,000
NORTH CAROLINA		236,072,627	429,274,593	33.00	323,805,572	66.88	484,159,049	159,772,486	159,772,486	106,855,839
OHIO DENNOVI VANIA	535,731,956	93,432,758	629,164,714	14.85	445,918,692	62.32	715,530,635	106,258,344	93,432,758	58,227,295
RHODE ISLAND		2,397,833	110,901,000	2.16	71,346,990	51.02	139,841,219	3,023,561	2,397,833	1,223,374
SOUTH CAROLINA	366,681,364	076,	438,757,705	16.43	359,479,068	71.30	504,178,216	82,823,209	72,076,341	51,390,431
TEXAS	7,	292,513,592	1,513,028,993	19.33	1,049,623,997	56.18	1,868,323,241	361,202,558	292,513,592	164,334,136
VERMONT		9,071,297	29,050,549	31.23	24,697,037	54.46	45,348,948	14,160,620	9,071,297	4,940,228
VIRGINIA		836,	562	33.00	96,162,104 203,064,512	20.00	192,324,208 406,129,024		134,022,578	5,885,134 67,011,289
WEST VIRGINIA	66,962,606	18,887,045	85,849,651	22.00	74,091,106		103,190,955	22,702,157	18,887,045	13,560,898
TOTAL	13,402,460,846	4,118,758,904	17,521,219,750		11,507,990,304		20,515,824,545	3,899,171,855	3,482,003,733	1,949,661,335
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ALASKA	2,506,827	17,611,765	20,118,592	33.00	22,358,712	50.00	44,717,424	14,756,750	14,756,750	7,378,375
ARKANSAS DELAWARE		7.069.000	3,242,000	33.00	9.937.205		67,943,774 18.334.327	17,171,437	819,351	5/1,006 3.279.278
HAWAII		0	0	0.00	10,697,430		19,474,659	0	0	0
IDAHO	2,081,429	00	2,081,429	00:0	18,042,558 43,226.550		25,230,818 76.183.557	00	00	00
MINNESOTA		5,257,214	29,497,214	17.82	81,981,945		163,963,890	29,222,870	5,257,214	2,628,607
MONTANA NEBRASKA	237,048 6,449,102	1,811,337	237,048 8,260,439	0.00	12,459,133 31,061,430	65.56 51.85	19,004,169	13,136,172	1,811,337	0 939,178
NEW MEXICO		254,786	6,744,801	3.78	22,358,712	71.13	31,433,589	1,187,409	254,786	181,229
NORTH DAKOTA OKLAHOMA	20.019.969	988,478	1,203,001	33.00	10,484,694 39.748.819	50.00	20,969,388 66.314.346	6,919,898 9.318.734	988,478	494,239 1.961,985
OREGON		19,975,092	31,413,000	33.00	49,686,028	64.47	77,068,447	25,432,588	19,975,092	12,877,942
SOUTH DAKOTA	321,120	751,299	1,072,419	33.00	12,123,113	54.94 69.90	22,066,096 30,806,298	7,281,812	751,299	412,764
WISCONSIN	6,609,52	2	11,101,535	33.00	103,763,574	58.51	177,343,316	58,523,294	4,492,011	2,628,276
W YOMIING	0	0	0	0.00	248,430	20.00	496,860	0	0	0

TOTAL LOW DSH STATES	98,662,480	63,238,167	161,900,647		537,061,951	921,257,282	195,321,094	59,364,480	34,006,155
TOTAL	13,501,123,326 4,181,99	4,181,997,071	97,071 17,683,120,397		12,045,052,255	21,437,081,826 4,094,492,949 3,541,368,213 1,983,667,490	4,094,492,949	3,541,368,213	1,983,667,490
*Tennessee's DSH allotment for FY 2017, determined under section 1923(f)	rmined under secti		(6)(A) of the Act, is \$53,100,000.	000'00					

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Programs:
Announcement of Decision To Lift the Temporary Moratorium on Enrollment of Non-Emergency Ground Ambulance Suppliers in Texas

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Lifting of temporary enrollment moratorium on non-emergency ground ambulance suppliers in Texas.

SUMMARY: This document announces that on September 1, 2017, the statewide temporary moratorium on the enrollment of new Medicare Part B nonemergency ground ambulance suppliers in Texas was lifted. This announcement also applies to the temporary moratorium on enrollment of nonemergency ground ambulance suppliers in Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program in Texas.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

A. CMS' Implementation of Temporary Enrollment Moratoria

The Social Security Act (the Act) provides the Secretary with tools and resources to combat fraud, waste, and abuse in Medicare, Medicaid, and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP). In particular, section 1866(j)(7) of the Act provides the Secretary with authority to impose a temporary moratorium on the enrollment of new Medicare, Medicaid, or CHIP providers and suppliers, including categories of providers and suppliers, if the Secretary determines such a moratorium is necessary to prevent or combat fraud, waste, or abuse under these programs. Regarding Medicaid, section 1902(kk)(4) of the Act requires States to comply with any moratorium imposed by the Secretary unless the State determines that the imposition of such temporary moratorium would adversely impact Medicaid beneficiaries' access to care. In addition, section 2107(e)(1)(F) of the

Act provides that the Medicaid provisions in 1902(kk) are also applicable to CHIP.

În the February 2, 2011 **Federal** Register (76 FR 5862), CMS published a final rule with comment period titled, ''Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Programs; Additional Screening Requirements, Application Fees, Temporary Enrollment Moratoria, Payment Suspensions and Compliance Plans for Providers and Suppliers,' which implemented section 1866(j)(7) of the Act by establishing new regulations at 42 CFR 424.570. Under § 424.570(a)(2)(i) and (iv), CMS, or CMS in consultation with the Department of Health and Human Services' Office of Inspector General (HHS-OIG) or the Department of Justice (DOJ), or both, may impose a temporary moratorium on newly enrolling Medicare providers and suppliers if CMS determines that there is a significant potential for fraud, waste, or abuse with respect to a particular provider or supplier type, or particular geographic locations, or both. At § 424.570(a)(1)(ii), CMS stated that it would announce any temporary moratorium in a Federal Register document that includes the rationale for the imposition of such moratorium.

Based on this authority and our regulations at § 424.570, we initially imposed moratoria to prevent enrollment of new Home Health Agencies, subunits, and branch locations 1 (hereafter referred to as HHAs) in Miami-Dade County, Florida and Cook County, Illinois, as well as surrounding counties, and Medicare Part B ground ambulance suppliers in Harris County, Texas and surrounding counties, in a notice issued on July 31, 2013 (78 FR 46339). These moratoria also applied to Medicaid and CHIP. We exercised this authority again in a notice published on February 4, 2014 (79 FR 6475) when we extended the existing moratoria for an additional 6 months and expanded them to include enrollment of HHAs in Broward County, Florida; Dallas County, Texas; Harris County, Texas; and Wayne County, Michigan and surrounding counties, and enrollment of ground ambulance suppliers in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and surrounding counties. Then, we further extended these moratoria in documents issued on August 1, 2014 (79 FR 44702), February 2, 2015 (80 FR 5551), July 28, 2015 (80 FR 44967), and

February 2, 2016 (81 FR 5444). On August 3, 2016 (81 FR 51120), we extended the moratoria for an additional 6 months and expanded them to statewide for enrollment of HHAs in Florida, Illinois, Michigan, and Texas, and non-emergency ground ambulance suppliers in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Texas. We also announced the lifting of temporary moratoria for all Part B emergency ambulance suppliers as well as emergency ambulance providers in Medicaid and CHIP.2 Finally, on January 29, 2017 (82 FR 2363) and again on July 28, 2017 (82 FR 35122), we extended the statewide moratoria of HHAs in Florida, Illinois, Michigan, and Texas, and Part B nonemergency ground ambulance suppliers in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Texas for additional 6 month periods. These extensions also applied to such providers in Medicaid and CHIP.

II. Lifting a Temporary Moratorium

CMS has authority under § 424.570(d) to lift a temporary moratorium at any time in specified situations, including if the President declares an area a disaster under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act. On August 25, 2017, the President of the United States signed the Presidential Disaster Declaration for several counties in the State of Texas. As a result of the President's declaration, CMS carefully reviewed the potential impact of continued moratoria in Texas, and decided to lift the temporary enrollment moratorium on Medicare Part B nonemergency ground ambulance suppliers in Texas in order to aid in the disaster response to Hurricane Harvey. This lifting of the moratorium also applied to Medicaid and CHIP in Texas. A notification that CMS lifted the moratorium was published at https:// www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/Medicare ProviderSupEnroll/ProviderEnrollment Moratorium.html and became effective on September 1, 2017. In accordance with $\S424.570(d)$, CMS is also publishing this document in the Federal **Register** to announce this action. Nonemergency ground ambulance suppliers that were previously unable to enroll in Medicare, Medicaid or CHIP in Texas

¹ As noted in the preamble to the final rule with comment period implementing the moratorium authority (February 2, 2011, CMS–6028–FC (76 FR 5870), home health agency subunits and branch locations are subject to the moratoria to the same extent as any other newly enrolling home health agency.

² CMS also concurrently announced a demonstration under the authority provided in section 402(a)(I)(J) of the Social Security Amendments of 1967 (42 U.S.C. 1395b–I(a)(I)(J)) that allows for access to care-based exceptions to the moratoria in certain limited circumstances after a heightened review of that provider has been conducted. This demonstration also applies to Medicaid and CHIP providers in each state. This announcement may be found in the Federal Register document issued on August 3, 2016 (81 FR 51116).