LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES

TAKE NOTICE that the New Jersey Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS) intends to seek approval from the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), for an amendment to the New Jersey Medicaid (Title XIX) State Plan, in order to reflect that New Jersey Medicaid fee-for-service rates for State Plan services across all benefit categories were updated utilizing Medicare's annual update, with an effective date of January 1, 2024. This update also includes a community provider rate increase following CMS payment guidelines. The fee schedule will be published on the Department's fiscal agent's website at https://www.njmmis.com under "rate and code information" when available.

DMAHS estimates the increased expenditures associated with this amendment for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2024 will be \$4.38 million in total funds (\$1.72 million State funds) and increased yearly expenditures for SFY 2025 will be \$4.53 million in total funds (\$1.77 million State funds).

This Notice is intended to satisfy the requirements of Federal law and regulations, specifically 42 CFR 447.205 and 42 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(13). A copy of this Notice is available for public review at the Medical Assistance Customer Centers, County Welfare Agencies, and the Department's website at:

http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/providers/grants/public/index.html.

Comments or inquiries must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the date of this notice to:

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