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**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

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MEMORANDUM

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TO: QUEST Integrated (QI) Health Plans

FROM: Kenneth S. Fink, MD, MGA, MPH  
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SUBJECT: MEDICAID FEE-FOR-SERVICE HOSPICE RATES FOR NURSING  
FACILITIES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2015 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2015

Please find the Medicaid Fee-For-Service (FFS) hospice reimbursement rates for all participating providers below.

The rates below are based on the assumption that all Hospice providers in the State of Hawaii have complied with the Quality Assurance regulations as stated in the CMS memorandum. The rates are effective for service dates during the period January 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015.

**OAHU AND NEIGHBOR ISLAND HOSPICE NURSING FACILITY CARE RATES**

Under current regulations, the Medicaid agency reimburses Hospice providers, who have contracted with Medicaid Nursing Facilities, 95% of the current Nursing Facility Medicaid Fee-For-Service Rate. Reimbursement will be under Revenue Code 0659 "Nursing Facility Care" on a per diem basis.

HOSPICE FACILITY	CONTRACTED NURSING FACILITY	FFS NF RATE 1/1/2015	REV CODE 0659 AS OF 1/1/2015
Bristol Hospice	Average 18 Contracted NFs	\$247.32	\$234.95
Hospice Hawaii	Average 19 Contracted NFs	\$260.23	\$247.22
Hospice of Hilo	Average 3 Contracted NFs	\$328.55	\$312.12
Kauai Hospice	Hale Kapuna Heritage Home	\$263.47	\$250.30
Hospice of Kona	Life Care Center of Kona	\$251.19	\$238.63
Hospice Maui	Hale Makua – Kahului	\$235.16	\$223.40
St. Francis Hospice	Ka Punawai Ola	\$282.53	\$268.40
Island Hospice	Average 11 Contracted NFs	\$252.14	\$239.53

Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Reuben Shimazu at (808) 692-7983.

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