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MEMORANDUM <u>MEMO NO</u>. QI-2224

TO: QUEST Integration (QI) Health Plans

FROM: Judy Mohr Peterson, PhD

Med-QUEST Division Administrator

SUBJECT: SELF DIRECT (SD) RATES FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES (HCBS)

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2022

Please find the Medicaid 2022 HCBS Self Direct (SD) reimbursement rates for all participating SD providers below.

The new rates are based on the Hawaii minimum wage increase, effective October 1, 2022, and the Milliman rate study conducted as part of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) HCBS Section 9817 of 2021. The attached rate sheet lists all the available SD services, codes, and rates under the QI HCBS Program. The rates are effective for service dates starting October 1, 2022.

SELF-DIRECT SERVICES	CODE	MODIFIER	HOURLY RATES
Personal Assistance Level 1 (PA1) Chore	S5130	U1	\$12.00/hour
Personal Assistance Level 1 (PA1)	S5135	U1	\$12.00/hour
Companion			
Personal Assistance Level 2 (PA2) Personal	S9122	U1 U2	\$13.51/hour
Care			
Personal Assistance Level 2 Delegated –	S9122	U1 U4 U2	\$17.81/hour
Nursing Services			

If you have any questions, please contact Jolaine Hao, MQD QMRIS Administrator at jhao@dhs.hawaii.gov.