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## Reimbursement reductions for NFs, ICFs/IID, and CRFs/DD approved

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) previously announced reimbursement reductions for the following:

- Nursing facilities (NFs) reimbursed under 405 IAC 1-14-6 in *IHCP Provider Bulletin* [BT201329](#)
- Nonstate-owned intermediate care facilities for individuals with intellectual disability (ICFs/IID) and community residential facilities for the developmentally disabled (CRFs/DD) in *IHCP Provider Bulletin* [BT201333](#)

The reimbursement reductions announced for the period beginning January 1, 2014, through June 30, 2015, were as follows:

- A 3% reduction in Medicaid reimbursement rates for NFs
- A 1% reduction in Medicaid reimbursement rates for ICFs/IID and CRFs/DD

On July 15, 2014, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) approved an amendment to the *Indiana Medicaid State Plan* to implement these reductions. The reductions are applied to the Medicaid

*per diem* rate before the reduction of any patient liability or third-party liability (TPL) is applied to the claim. These reductions apply to all Medicaid claims, including Medicare crossover claims.

On July 25, 2014, the process of systematically loading the rate reductions into the claims payment system began. The time frame for releasing rates, along with detailed facility-specific information, is available on the [Myers and & Stauffer LC website](#) at in.mslc.com. Questions may be directed to Myers & Stauffer LC at (317) 846-9521 or 1-800-877-6927.



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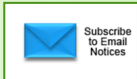
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