

# IHCP *bulletin*

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## Reduction in reimbursement for nursing facilities

Effective July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2013, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will reduce reimbursement paid to nursing facilities by 5 percent for members enrolled in the IHCP. This reduction will apply to nursing facility providers reimbursed under *405 IAC 1-14.6*. The reduction is to the Medicaid *per diem* rate before the reduction of any patient liability or third-party liability (TPL) on the claim. The rate changes will be systematically loaded prior to July 1, 2011, in order to avoid retroactive rate adjustments. The July 1, 2011, proposed rates, with the 5 percent reduction, are currently available on the Public Notices page of the state's rate-setting contractor, [Myers and Stauffer LC](http://www.mslc.com), Web site, at [in.mslc.com](http://in.mslc.com).

These changes will be applied to all Medicaid claims, including Medicare crossover claims.

The OMPP appreciates your cooperation and your continued participation as providers in the IHCP.

### QUESTIONS?

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