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Update regarding reduction in reimbursement for transportation services

As previously published in *Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) Bulletin* [BT201057](#), the IHCP implemented a 5% reduction in reimbursement for ambulance transportation services and a 10% reduction in reimbursement for nonambulance transportation services effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2011. **These reimbursement reductions have been extended to dates of service through December 31, 2013. Effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2014, reimbursement rates will return to their pre-reduction levels.**

For dates of service from January 1, 2011, through December 31, 2013, reimbursement to ambulance transportation providers will be reduced by 5%. For dates of service from January 1, 2011, through December 31, 2013, reimbursement to nonambulance transportation providers will be reduced by 10%. The reduction will occur before subtracting any spend-down or third-party liability (TPL) for the claim.

The pre-reduction rates and the reduced rates for ambulance and nonambulance transportation codes are listed in [BT201057](#) for your reference. Transportation providers can access the reduced rates on the [IHCP Fee Schedule](#) at indianamedicaid.com through December 31, 2013. Providers should continue to bill as instructed in the *IHCP Provider Manual* and bulletins.

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