

PUBLIC NOTICE
(SPA 25-0022)

Medically Monitored Intensive Inpatient Services 8D-6 ASAM 3.7

The Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Benefits hereby provides notice of its intent to amend the Medicaid State Plan Medically Monitored Intensive Inpatient Services (ASAM Level 3.7) to align with the ASAM, Third Edition, 2013 and expand access to include the adolescent population.

The reimbursement rate for Adult Services will be increased from \$234.56 to \$354.10 per diem. The rate for Adolescent Services will be established at \$354.10 per diem. These rates are intended to sustain provider participation within the Medicaid program, address some of the cost of the service, and support access to care statewide.

This amendment will become effective January 1, 2026.

The annual estimated State Fiscal Impact of this change is:

- a. SFY 2026 \$871,472
- b. SFY 2027 \$1,708,363

A copy of the proposed public notice may be viewed at the County Department of Social Services. Questions, comments and requests for copies of the proposed State Plan amendment should be directed to the Division of Health Benefits at the address listed below:

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