

**TEXAS HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION  
RATE ANALYSIS DEPARTMENT**

**Proposed Add-on Payment Rates for Certain Individuals in  
the Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with an  
Intellectual Disability or Related Conditions Program**

Payment rates are proposed to be effective  
January 1, 2015

## SUMMARY OF PROPOSED PAYMENT RATES

Effective January 1, 2015

The Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will conduct a public hearing at 10:00 a.m. on December 2, 2014, in the Public Hearing Room in the Brown-Heatly Building, 4900 N. Lamar Blvd., Austin, Texas, with entrance through Security at the front of the building, south entrance. Public comments will be received on proposed new add-on rates to be effective January 1, 2015, for the certain individuals in the Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability or Related Conditions (ICF/IID) program operated by the Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS).

HHSC will consider concerns expressed at the hearing prior to final rate approval. This public hearing is held in compliance with Human Resources Code §32.0282 and Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Title 1, §355.105(g), which require public notice and hearings on proposed Medicaid reimbursements before such rates are approved by HHSC.

### PROPOSED ADD-ON RATES

The rates being proposed are add-ons to the ICF/IID reimbursement rates that will be available to certain individuals. Eligible individuals must meet criteria as described in 1 TAC §355.456 as proposed in the Texas Register (39 TexReg 8023) and scheduled for adoption January 1, 2015. There are three add-on groupings described.

For Group 1, the add-on is proposed to be	\$104.58 per day
For Group 2, the add-on is proposed to be	\$ 80.06 per day
For Group 3, the add-on is proposed to be	\$ 51.03 per day

### METHODOLOGY AND JUSTIFICATION

The proposed payment rates were determined in accordance with the rate setting methodologies codified at 1 TAC, Chapter 355, Subchapter D, §355.456, Reimbursement Methodology as proposed in the *Texas Register* (39 TexReg 8023) and scheduled for adoption effective January 1, 2015.

Should you have any questions regarding the information in this document, please contact Judy Myers, Sr. Rate Analyst at (512) 707-6072 or [judy.myers@hhsc.state.tx.us](mailto:judy.myers@hhsc.state.tx.us).