

## **Department of Health Care Policy and Financing**

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

#### March 25, 2013

# Reimbursement to Specified Government-Operated Providers for Costs of Professional Services

Effective April 1, 2013, the Department, for the purpose of additional reimbursement, proposes to submit a State Plan Amendment to add additional specified non-physician practitioner professional services to a list of such services eligible for reimbursement to Denver Health Medical Center for the uncompensated Medicaid costs of providing the specified non-physician professional services to Medicaid beneficiaries. The professional services proposed to be added to the list are:

- (1) Psychologists
- (2) Licensed Clinical Social Worker
- (3) Addiction Counselor
- (4) Optometrist

Only the otherwise uncompensated costs of the professional services not claimed by the hospital as Medicaid inpatient hospital services, outpatient hospital services or government operated clinic services are proposed to be eligible for reimbursement.

This payment will be funded through Certification of Public Expenditures and matching Medicaid funds. No state general funds will be used.

#### **General Information**

A link to this notice will be posted on the Department's web site (www.colorado.gov/hcpf) starting on March 27, 2013. Written comments may be addressed to: Director, Medical and CHP+ Program Administration Office, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing, 1570 Grant Street, Denver, CO 80203.

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