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TO: Hospitals and Managed Care Providers

SUBJECT: Administrative Days Rates

In August 2009, CMS approved new rates for Administrative Days. Effective October 1, 2008, the per diem rate for regular room and board is \$155.56. The rate for patients that are ventilator dependent is \$364.00. Claims for date of service on or after October 1, 2008, that have been submitted and paid will be adjusted up to the approved rates.

If you have any questions regarding this bulletin, please contact your Program Manager for Hospital Services at (803) 898-2665. Thank you for your continued support and participation in the South Carolina Medicaid program.

/S/
Emma Forkner
Director

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