## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Department of Health Care Finance



Office of the Senior Deputy Director and Medicaid Director

Transmittal # 23-70

TO:	All DC Assisted Living Facility (ALF) Medicaid Providers
FROM:	Melisa Byrd Senior Deputy Director and Medicaid Director
DATE:	December 28, 2023

SUBJECT: Reimbursement Rate Update for Assisted Living Facilities effective January 1, 2024.

## Purpose

The purpose of this transmittal is to notify the Assisted Living Facility (ALF) providers in the District's Medicaid program of changes to reimbursement rates for ALF to reflect the increase in the Living Wage. The ALF reimbursement rates are adjusted to reflect the annual rate changes according to the Living Wage Act of 2006, effective June 8, 2006 (D.C. Law 16-118; D.C. Official Code § 2-220.01 et seq. (2012 Repl.)). The changes to the rates will become effective January 1, 2024.

## **Billing and Reimbursement**

The table below provides a listing of both the billing code and new rates for ALF services. The Medicaid Fee Schedule is located on the DHCF website at <u>https://www.dc-medicaid.com/dcwebportal/nonsecure/feeScheduleDownload</u>.

Service	Procedure	Billable	Reimbursement	Limit	Effective Date
Description	Codes	Unit	Rates	(Duration)	
Assisted Living Services	T2031-U3	Flat Rate	\$219.20	Max Unit 1 Per Day	January 1, 2024

DHCF will continue to provide updates to this information as appropriate.

## Contact

If you have questions, please contact Loria Dickens, Reimbursement Analyst, Office of the Deputy Director, Office of Rates Reimbursement and Financial Analysis, Department of Health Care Finance, at 441 4th Street, Suite 900S, Washington, DC 20001, or via email at Loria.Dickens@dc.gov or by telephone at (202) 507-6957.

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