

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**6/27/23 PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO RHODE ISLAND MEDICAID  
STATE PLAN**

In accordance Rhode Island General Laws 42-35, notice is hereby given that the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) proposes to make the following amendment to the Rhode Island State Plan under Title XIX of the Social Security Act:

**Cedar Family Centers Rate Increase**

EOHHS is seeking approval from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to update Rhode Island's Medicaid State Plan to implement a change in the rate methodology to increase rates to support the activities and expansion of the Cedar Family Centers.

These changes are proposed to take effect on July 1, 2023. This change is expected to result in an increase in expenditures of \$1.2 million in SFY24 and an increase of \$1.3 million in SFY25 (All Funds).

This proposed amendment is accessible on the EOHHS website ([www.eohhs.ri.gov](http://www.eohhs.ri.gov)) or available in hard copy upon request (401-462-2407 or RI Relay, dial 711). Interested persons should submit data, views, or written comments by July 27, 2023 to Brittany Church, Executive Office of Health and Human Services, 3 West Rd, Cranston, RI, 02920, or [Brittany.Church@ohhs.ri.gov](mailto:Brittany.Church@ohhs.ri.gov) or via phone at (401) 462-2407.

In accordance with the Rhode Island General Laws 42-35-2.8, an oral hearing will be granted on the proposed State Plan Amendment if requested by twenty-five (25) persons, an agency, or by an association having at least twenty-five (25) members. A request for an oral hearing must be made within ten (10) days of this notice.

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**Original signed by Kristin Pono Sousa, Medicaid Director, Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services Signed this 27th day of June, 2023**