

**RHODE ISLAND GOVERNMENT REGISTER
PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING**

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Title of Rule: Medicaid Long-Term Services and Supports: Medically Needy Eligibility Pathway (210-RICR-50-00-2)

Rule Identifier: 210-RICR-50-00-2

Rulemaking Action: Proposed Amendment

Important Dates:

Date of Public Notice: October 3, 2023

End of Public Comment: November 2, 2023

Rulemaking Authority:

Chapters 40-6 and 40-8 of the Rhode Island General Laws

as amended; Title XIX of the Social Security Act

R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-7.2

R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35

R.I. Gen. Laws § §1917(c)(1)(E) of the Social Security Act

Summary of Rulemaking Action:

The purpose of this amendment is to update the Projected Monthly Private Pay Costs by Institutional Level of Care and the State Medicaid LTSS-only Monthly Reimbursement Rates by Service.

Additional Information and Public Comments:

All interested parties are invited to request additional information or submit written or oral comments concerning the proposed amendment until November 2, 2023 by contacting the appropriate party at the address listed below:

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In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.8, an oral hearing will be granted if requested by twenty-five (25) persons, by a governmental 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 the publication of this notice.

Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:

The updated values more accurately reflect the costs of providing long term care which helps the state to make more accurate cost of care determinations.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation contact the agency staffperson listed above.