



**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) is scheduling the public hearing noted below in response to a request from the Rhode Island Partnership for Home Care.

The hearing is related to the following EOHHS proposed State Plan Amendment:

Rate Review Updates

EOHHS is seeking federal authority to update Rhode Island's Medicaid State Plan to reflect changes in payment rates for children's services, behavioral healthcare, and home health services. The state recently underwent a rate review for these services and subsequently increases were included in the state's FY2025 Budget. The proposed State Plan Amendment updates the State Plan with the rates as recommended in the state's budget.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws, as amended, that the Secretary will hold a public hearing on the above mentioned matter on August 21, 2024 at 1:00 pm, at which time and place all persons interested therein will be heard.

The Public Hearing will be convened as follows:

August 21, 2024, 1:00 pm
Virks Building
3 West Road, Cranston, RI 02920

The proposed amendment is accessible on the EOHHS website (www.eohhs.ri.gov) or is available in hard copy upon request by calling (401) 462-2407 or RI Relay, dial 711. Interested persons should submit data, views, or written comments **by close of business on August 28, 2024** to: Brittany Church, Executive Office of Health and Human Services, 3 West Rd, Cranston, RI, 02920, or brittany.church@ohhs.ri.gov

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Original signed by Richard Charest, Secretary, Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services

Signed this 13th day of August, 2024