



KATHY HOCHUL Governor MARY T. BASSETT, M.D., M.P.H. Commissioner KRISTIN M. PROUD Acting Executive Deputy Commissioner

October 12, 2022

Dear Administrator:

This letter provides information about your Certified Home Health Agency (CHHA) Pediatric Medicaid reimbursement rates effective October 1, 2022. The State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2022-23 Enacted Budget provided for a Minimum Wage increase for home care aides of two dollars effective October 1, 2022.

Effective October 1, 2022, the Minimum Wage rate adjustment for Home Care Aides increased by \$2 plus an adjustment for corresponding Fringe Benefits.

The provider-specific rates have been posted for your information at: https://www.health.ny.gov/facilities/long_term_care/reimbursement/chha/.

The payment for the October 1, 2022, rates to effectuate the Minimum Wage increase will be made in Cycle 2356 with a Check Date of October 24, 2022, and a Check Release Date of November 9, 2022.

If you have any questions regarding the above information, please send an email to <u>CHHA-Rates@health.ny.gov.</u>and the Department will respond to your inquiries.

Sincerely,

Laura Rosenthal Bureau Director Bureau of Nursing Home & Long Term Care Rate Setting Division of Finance and Rate Setting Office of Health Insurance Program