



State of Louisiana

Louisiana Department of Health
Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities

MEMORANDUM

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TO: ICF/IID Providers

FROM: Julie Foster Hagan, OCDD Assistant Secretary
Kim Sullivan, Medicaid Director

SUBJECT: ICF Funding Decisions

The Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities (OCDD) and Medicaid continue to receive questions from stakeholders regarding the additional funds of \$43 million from House Bill No. 1 that have been allocated for intermediate care facilities (ICFs) in fiscal year 2025 (FY25). The Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) has made the following decisions:

- LDH completed the inflationary increase of 1.3% for FY25 on July 1, 2024.
- LDH has continued the \$12 add-on to help support increases associated with rate re-base in FY 2025/2026.
- LDH will fund a rate study for intermediate care facilities for individuals with intellectual disabilities (ICF-IID).
- LDH also intends to do an inflationary rate increase for complex care (20%).
- LDH will use remaining funds to do a lump sum payout up to the UPL cap.

If you have questions, please contact **Jackie Cummings** at Jackie.Cummings2@la.gov.