

STATE OF LOUISIANA

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**F. Non-State Governmental Organization Nursing Facilities**

Supplemental Payments

1. Effective for dates of service on or after January 20, 2016, the following five nursing facilities, which are owned or operated by a non-state government organization (NSGO) and have entered into an agreement with the Department to participate, shall qualify for a Medicaid supplemental payment, in addition to the uniform Medicaid rates paid to nursing facilities. The only qualifying nursing facilities effective for January 20, 2016 are as follows:
  - a. Gueydan Memorial Guest Home;
  - b. Lane Memorial Hospital Geriatric Long-Term Care (LTC);
  - c. LaSalle Nursing Home;
  - d. Natchitoches Parish Hospital LTC Unit; and
  - e. St. Helena Parish Nursing Home.

Effective for dates of service on or after April 1, 2021 the only qualifying nursing facilities are:

- a. Gueydan Memorial Guest Home;
- b. LaSalle Nursing Home;
- c. Natchitoches Parish Hospital LTC Unit; and
- d. St. Helena Parish Nursing Home.

2. The supplemental Medicaid payment to a non-state, government-owned or operated nursing facility shall not exceed the facility's upper payment limit (UPL) pursuant to 42 CFR 447.272.
3. Payment Calculations. The Medicaid supplemental payment for each state fiscal year (SFY) will be calculated immediately following the July quarterly Medicaid rate setting process. The total Medicaid supplemental payment for each individual NSGO will be established as the individual nursing facility differential between the estimated Medicare payments for Medicaid nursing facility residents, and the adjusted Medicaid payments for those same nursing facility residents. A more detailed description of the Medicaid supplemental payment process is described below:
  - a. The calculation of the total annual Medicaid supplemental payment for nursing facilities involves the following four components:
    - (i) Calculate Medicare payments for Louisiana Medicaid nursing facility residents using Medicare payment principles;
    - (ii) Determining Medicaid payments for Louisiana Medicaid nursing facility residents;