

PAYMENTS FOR MEDICAL AND REMEDIAL CARE AND SERVICES

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES -- OTHER TYPES OF CARE OR SERVICES LISTED IN SECTION 1905(A) OF THE ACT THAT IS INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAM UNDER THE PLAN ARE DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

<u>CITATION</u> 42 CFR 447 Subpart B 1915(j) of the Act	Medical and Remedial Care and Services Item 28	<b>Self-Directed Personal Assistance Services under 1915(j)</b> (see Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A for a full service description)
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The State's methodology for determining the participant's budget is based on the assessment of needs for the participant and the development of the service plan. The cost of providing the services included in the service plan is calculated based on the expected reimbursement for personal care services under the state plan referenced in Item 26, and is adjusted to account for the self directed service delivery model. Based on historical utilization patterns and differences in set-up and oversight, the State will use an adjustment factor of 20% of the expected state plan service reimbursement to calculate the participant's service budget for self directed assistance services.

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