OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Public Notice of Amendment of the 4.19b Pages for the Child Mental Health Wraparound Program

In accordance with public notice requirements established at 42 CFR 447.205, the Indiana Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA), Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning (OMPP), and the Division of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHA) publishes this notice of amendment of and changes to the 4.19b pages for the Child Mental Health Wraparound (CMHW) State Plan Benefit. The proposed reimbursement pages will be available for review and public comment from May 15, 2024, through June 14, 2024, by accessing DMHA-Y's Policy and Procedure webpage at https://www.in.gov/fssa/dmha/youthservices/operating-policy-and-procedure/. The anticipated effective date for these changes will be December 1, 2024.

FSSA – OMPP proposes to update the CMHW State Plan Benefit rate methodology so that a cost-of-living increase may be applied annually at the discretion of the state until the next rate review to align with rate methodologies in Indiana's other home and community-based service waivers. This proposed change is projected to result in a decrease in annual aggregate expenditures.

A copy of this notice is now on file at the Indiana Government Center South, 402 West Washington Street, Room W451 and is open for public inspection. Also, a copy of this notice is now available and may be inspected by contacting the local county Division of Family Resources (DFR) office, except in Marion County, where public inspection may be made at 402 W. Washington Street, Room W374, Indianapolis, Indiana.

There will be no public hearing. Written comments may be directed to, FSSA, Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning, Attention: Madison May-Gruthusen, 402 West Washington Street, Room W374, Indianapolis, IN 46204 or by email to spacomment@fssa.in.gov. Correspondence should be identified in the following manner: COMMENT RE: 4.19b amendment. Written comments will be made available for public inspection at the address herein of the OMPP.

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