

PROVIDER ALERT

PUBLIC BEHAVIORAL HEALTH RATE UPDATE

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The FY 2016 budget approved by the Maryland General Assembly includes a 2% rate increase for behavioral health providers, and increases reimbursement for Evaluation and Management (E&M) services to 92% of Medicare rates. This change is effective for dates of service 7/1/2015 forward. Please refer to the Public Behavioral Health fee schedule for all current rates: (link).

The new rate schedule can be found at: <u>http://maryland.valueoptions.com/provider/prv_info.html</u>