



NC DEPARTMENT OF
**HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES**
Division of Health Benefits

ROY COOPER • Governor
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July 03, 2023

Dear County DSS Director:

The Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Benefits hereby provides notice of its intent to amend the Medicaid State Plan to include Ambulatory Withdrawal Management with Extended On-Site Monitoring and to assign a reimbursement rate of \$21.37 per 15-minute increment. This service is a part of the NC Medicaid 1115 Substance Use Disorder Waiver, aligns with The American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) Criteria (2013 edition) and expands the Medicaid substance use disorder service array.

Please post this notice in your facility so that interested parties may be made aware of this proposed change and may comment as necessary. The posting can be removed after ninety days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

Cecilia Williams

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State Plan and Amendments Coordinator

Attachment: Public Notice SPA 23-0020 **Ambulatory Withdrawal Management with Extended On-Site Monitoring**
ASAM Level 2-WM
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PUBLIC NOTICE
(SPA # 23-0020)
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ASAM Level 2-WM

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This amendment will become effective July 1, 2023.

The annual estimated State fiscal impact of this change is:

- a. **SFY 2024** **\$24,778**
- b. **SFY 2025** **\$25,319**

A copy of the proposed public notice may be viewed at the County Department of Social Services. Questions, comments and requests for copies of the proposed State Plan amendment should be directed to the Division of Health Benefits at the address listed below:

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Deputy Secretary for NC Medicaid
Division of Health Benefits
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Raleigh, NC 27699-2501

Posted on the Division of Health Benefits Website: June 15, 2023
<https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/get-involved/nc-health-choice-state-plan>