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Drug Medi-Cal Rates for Fiscal Year 2004-05

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this bulletin is to disseminate the Fiscal Year (FY) 2004-05 reimbursement rates for Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) services. The rates are effective July 1, 2004.

DISCUSSION

Exhibit A includes the DMC reimbursement rates for FY 2004-05. As you may be aware, the Preliminary Governor's Budget Act proposed to fund FY 2004-05 DMC rates at the same rate that was authorized in regulation for FY 2002-03. To date, the Governor's Budget Act has not changed.

In the event that the final Budget Act eliminates or modifies the proposed DMC reimbursements rates to reflect anything other than the FY 2002-03 DMC rates, the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs (ADP) will inform the counties and providers as soon as possible with the appropriate changes.

Please be advised that Roxane Laboratories, Inc. is discontinuing the sale and distribution of ORLAAM® (Levomethadyl hydrochloride acetate) Oral Solution, 10 mg/ml after the current inventory is depleted. Since there is an existing supply of ORLAAM (LAAM), and ADP does have DMC clients on LAAM, the LAAM DMC rates are still available.

REFERENCES

Assembly Bill 1800 (Steinberg)
Senate Bill 1095 (Chesbro)
Governor's Budget May Revision 2004-05

BACKGROUND

Preliminary Budget Act, January 2004

QUESTIONS/MAINTENANCE

Questions concerning the FY 2004-05 DMC rates can be directed to Ms. Barbara Norton, Fiscal Policy Analyst, Program and Fiscal Policy Branch, at (916) 323-2019. The bulletin is also available on ADP's Web page at www.adp.ca.gov.

EXHIBIT

Exhibit A - Drug Medi-Cal Rates for Fiscal Year 2004-05.

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