Item XII. Transportation

Transportation providers are reimbursed at the lesser of the following:

- a. their usual and customary charge, not to exceed their tariff rates as approved by the state corporation commission; or
- b. the Department fee schedule.

The fee schedule base rate for ground ambulance includes reimbursement for the initial fifteen (15) miles of transport, non-reusable supplies, IV solution, emergency drugs and oxygen.

Effective November 15, 2020, air ambulance procedure codes will be reimbursed at seventy-five percent of the Medicare Air Ambulance fee schedule rate.

Item XIII. Services for EPSDT Participants

a. Services Included in the State Plan

Services included in the state plan are described in Attachment 3.1-A. Payment for these services for treating a condition identified during a screen or partial screen is made using the same methodology described in the corresponding section of the state plan.

b. Services Not Otherwise Included in the State Plan

Payment for services described in Attachment 3.1-A, Item 4.b. (EPSDT) and not otherwise covered under the state plan but reimbursed pursuant to OBRA 1989 provisions which require the state to treat a condition identified using a screen or partial screen, whether or not the service is included in the state plan, is made as follows:

- 1. The following services are considered to be professional services and are reimbursed on a fee for service basis according to the fee schedule in attachment 4.19-B, I.
 - (a) Therapy by a speech-language therapist, physical therapist, or occupational therapist, not covered under the state plan
 - (b) Other rehabilitative services and therapy services not covered under the state plan because they are considered maintenance rather than restorative.

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