

**NURSING CARE SERVICES****17.16 BILLING PROCEDURES AND PAYMENT AMOUNTS**

Payments made to the nursing facility are in accordance with daily rates established by the agency for each facility that has been approved for Medicaid participation. The Bureau for Medical Services (BMS) maintains a hotline for vendors' questions. The Worker must refer all inquiries about billing matters to Provider Services in BMS and must not act as a liaison between BMS and the facility.