

13 British American Blvd. | Suite 2 | Latham, New York 12110 | P 518.867.8383 | F 518.867.8384 | www.leadingageny.org

MEMORANDUM

TO: RHCF Members

FROM: Patrick Cucinelli, Senior Director of Public Policy Solutions

DATE: September 12, 2012

SUBJECT: SNF PPS Medicare Part A Rates

ROUTE TO: Administrator, CFO, Billing Director, MDS Coordinator

Abstract: LeadingAge NY provides additional information on FY 2013 SNF PPS Medicare Part A rates.

Introduction

As previously advised, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) released a rate notice on Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Prospective Payment System (PPS) rates for the federal fiscal year (FY) beginning Oct. 1, 2012. The notice states that rates will increase by an average of 1.8 percent. This average will vary by facility based on changes in regional wage indices and changes in resident case mix. The "fiscal cliff" could also impact facility revenue for next year. CMS is issuing this rate notice in lieu of a formal notice of proposed rulemaking since they are not implementing any programmatic or policy changes to the SNF PPS system.

For member convenience, there are two attachments to this memo listing the new Part A rates by region for both regular and AIDs enhanced rates. We are also providing members with a link to the LeadingAge rate calculation tool and a listing of wage index changes.

Overall Changes

As noted, Medicare Part A payments to SNFs will increase on average by 1.8 percent for services provided during Fiscal Year (FY) 2013, which begins on Mon., Oct. 1. There are no substantive policy changes for FY 2013. Likewise, there are no changes to the Resource Utilization Group (RUG) IV classification system, which will continue to be used as the basis of payment.

The labor-related portion of the federal rate for FY 2013 will be 68.383, a change from the 2012 labor-related portion of 68.693. The 128 percent increase in the per diem payment for SNF residents with Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) will continue. The SNF market basket increased 2.5 percent, but this was reduced by 0.7 percentage points which is the multifactor productivity adjustment required by the *Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act*. CMS estimates that in FY 2013 overall expenditures for SNF services will increase \$670 million from the amount expended in FY 2012. As noted, the 1.8 percent average increase will vary based on region specific changes in wage index.

There is no forecast error adjustment in the FY 2013 payment update. During FY 2011, the most recent year for which data is available, the actual increase in the services in the market basket was 2.2 percent and the projected increase was 2.3 percent, resulting in the actual increase being 0.1 percentage point lower than the estimated increase. Accordingly, as the difference between the estimated and actual amount of the change does not exceed the 0.5 percentage point threshold, the payment rates for FY 2013 do not include a forecast error adjustment.

• Case Mix Changes

CMS has reviewed the results of monitoring activities subsequent to the Minimum Data Set (MDS)/RUG-IV changes implemented last October. As members recall, last year saw an 11.1 percent decrease in overall Medicare Part A payments in response to what CMS viewed as "RUG creep" with providers allegedly over utilizing the new higher categories. CMS is reporting that there has been very little change in overall case mix, though "the data show an increase in the percentage of service days at the highest therapy level (Ultra High Rehabilitation) in the first half of FY 2012." They also find that group and concurrent therapy have almost disappeared in response to changes implemented last year.

To review the complete CMS notice, please <u>click here</u>.

LeadingAge Rate Calculation Tool

LeadingAge (Washington) is also providing members with an ExcelTM spreadsheet to use in navigating the upcoming rate changes. The template is available on the LeadingAge Web site at www.leadingage.org. Once on the Web site and logged in, click on *Members*; then click on *Nursing Homes*; and then click on *Payment and Finance*. In addition to providing the rates included with this memo, the tool provides a format for inserting your estimated Medicare days and thereby projecting your Medicare Part A revenue. If any member has difficulty in accessing the spreadsheet please contact me and I can assist.

Deficit Reduction Cuts

Members also need to keep in mind that the *Budget Control Act of 2011* imposed caps on federal spending programs slated to achieve more than \$1 trillion in cuts over ten years. Because the

Joint Select Committee on Deficit Reduction (a.k.a. the Supercommittee) failed to agree on measures necessary to meet the \$1.2 trillion federal deficit reduction target, a process known as "sequestration" now triggers automatic spending reductions starting January 1, 2013. The combination of spending cuts and tax increases mandated by the Act is generally referred to as the "Fiscal Cliff." The precise form that these automatic cuts would take is not clear at this time. The general sense is that Medicare providers, including nursing home and home care providers, are looking at a 2 percent across the board reduction.

If Congress allows the sequestration process to move forward, it would more than offset the net market basket increase of 1.8 percent. The 2 percent is an estimate at this time and could change based on Congressional Budget Office deficit projections. The sequestration reductions are currently in law and Congress would have to act to prevent the cuts. These reductions are not popular in Congress and the sense is that the Democrat side of the aisle will seek to eliminate the health care cuts. On the Republican side, the main concern is with even larger cuts mandated in defense spending. The two sides will have to come to some agreement on eliminating cuts to both sectors. However, there is little expectation of anything being accomplished before the election, so a final resolution will likely fall to the post-election lame duck session. LeadingAge NY and LeadingAge are strongly advocating against any cuts.

Value Based Purchasing Update

In last year's final SNF PPS rule, CMS announced it was on track to release a congressionally-mandated report on SNF value-based purchasing by October 1, 2011. However, CMS failed to meet the deadline, and the current 3-year demonstration project of value-based purchasing is still in process, with New York being one of the demonstration states. Therefore, CMS will not be introducing a new, national "value-based purchasing" system in 2013, as has been anticipated. However, this remains on the CMS to-do list and more than likely we will see something proposed for FY 2014.

AIDS Adjustment

Section 511 of the *Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003* instituted a temporary128 percent increase in the PPS per diem payment for any SNF resident with an AIDS diagnosis code 042. (Please note that the 128 percent factor is applied by multiplying the base rate by a factor of 2.28, e.g., a base rate of \$100 would increase to \$228.) This add-on remains in effect until such time as CMS institutes an appropriate adjustment in the patient classification system that captures the additional cost of caring for these individuals. Since CMS has yet to do so, this add-on will continue for FY 2013.

Consolidated Billing

CMS is not making any changes to the listing of services excluded under consolidated billing for FY 2013.

Administrative Presumption

Under RUG-IV the administrative presumption continues to apply to the upper 52 classifications. Patients who are correctly assigned to one of the upper categories are automatically classified as meeting the SNF level of care up to and including the assessment reference date on the 5-day

Medicare required assessment. Patients falling in one of the lower groups may still qualify for Part A coverage, but an individual level of care determination must be made.

Rate and Wage Index Analysis

The nursing and therapy components in the base rate for FY 2013 break down as follows:

Table 1. Urban Rate Components

			Non-case-
Nursing	Therapy	Therapy Non-	mix
case-mix	Case-mix	case-mix	component
\$163.58	\$123.22	\$16.23	\$83.48

Table 2. Non-urban Rate Components

Nursing case-mix	Therapy Case-mix	Therapy Non-case- mix	Non-case-mix component
\$156.28	\$142.08	\$17.33	\$85.03

The wage index and rate payment localities remain the same for FY 2013 and are listed here in Table 3.

Payment Locality	Counties				
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie				
Binghamton	Broome, Tioga				
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	Erie, Niagara				
Elmira	Chemung				
Glens Falls	Warren, Washington				
Ithaca	Tompkins				
Kingston	Ulster				
Nassau-Suffolk	Nassau, Suffolk				
New York	Bronx, Kings, New York, Putnam, Queens, Richmond,				
INEW TORK	Rockland, Westchester (NJ – Bergen, Hudson, and				
	Passaic)				
Poughkeepsie	Dutchess, Orange				
Rochester	Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Wayne				
Syracuse	Madison, Onondaga, Oswego				
Utica-Rome	Herkimer, Oneida				
Non-Urban	All Other Counties				

The average wage index statewide increased by 0.33 percent. However, there are some dramatic swings in some payment localities as seen in Table 4 below. The large negative swings impact Elmira, Glens Falls, Kingston and NYC. Significant positive swings are noted for Buffalo, Ithaca, Nassau-Suffolk and Utica. The 1.8 overall increase in Part A rates is based upon a wage index of 1.0. Facilities in payment localities in which the FY 2013 wage index decreased compared to FY 2012 should still see an increase, but it will be lower that the average 1.8

percent. Likewise, facilities in geographic regions in which the wage index increases will see their rates increase in excess of the 1.8 percent.

	ALBANY	BINGHAMTON	BUFFALO	ELMIRA	GLENS FALLS	ITHACA	KINGSTON
	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGEINDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX
CY 2012	0.8680	0.8731	0.9750	0.8522	0.8504	0.8819	0.9170
CY 2013	0.8647	0.8707	0.9999	0.8205	0.8340	0.9249	0.8953
% CHANGE	-0.38%	-0.27%	2.55%	-3.72%	-1.93%	4.88%	-2.37%
	NASSAU-	NEW YORK					
	SUFFOLK	METRO	POUGHKEEPSIE	ROCHESTER	SYRACUSE	UTICA	NON-URBAN
	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGEINDEX	WAGE INDEX	WAGE INDEX
CY 2012	1.2416	1.3052	1.1339	0.8602	0.9776	0.8441	0.8152
CY 2013	1.2698	1.2914	1.1325	0.8704	0.9829	0.8653	0.8199
% CHANGE	2.27%	-1.06%	-0.12%	1.19%	0.54%	2.51%	0.58%

• Budget Neutrality Factor

As noted above, the wage index must be applied in a manner that does not result in aggregate payments that are greater or less than would otherwise be made in the absence of the wage adjustment. This is accomplished by applying a budget neutrality factor of 1.0004 for FY 2013.

Listing of Rates

Appendices A and B list SNF PPS Medicare Part A rates by payment locality for regular and AIDs-enhanced rates. Facilities should locate their payment locality based upon the county listed and then refer to the appendix for their Part A rates. If a county is not specifically listed, then the payment locality is classified as **Non-Urban**. Please note that the listed rates may vary slightly from your actual rates due to rounding.

Please contact me with any questions at pcucinelli@leadingageny.org or call 518-867-8827.

N:\NYAHSA\Policy\pcucinelli\Medicare Rates\September 2012 rates for FY 2013.doc

Appendix A - Listing of SNF PPS Rates for FY 2013

Page 1 of 2

Appendix A -	Listing of SN	F PPS Rates for	FY 2013	Page 1 of 2			
00 PHO IV	AL DANIV	DINGUANTON	DUEEN	L EL MIDA	OLENO EALLO	ITHAGA	KINGSTON
66- RUG IV	ALBANY WAGE INDEX	BINGHAMTON WAGE INDEX	BUFFALO WAGE INDEX	ELMIRA WAGE INDEX	GLENS FALLS WAGE INDEX	ITHACA WAGE INDEX	KINGSTON WAGE INDEX
GROUP	0.8647	0.8707	0.9999	0.8205	0.8340	0.9249	0.8953
RUX	\$681.21	\$684.29	\$750.61	\$658.52	\$665.45	\$712.11	\$696.92
RUL RVX	\$666.36 \$606.33	\$669.37 \$609.07	\$734.25 \$668.10	\$644.16 \$586.13	\$650.94 \$592.30	\$696.59 \$633.83	\$681.72 \$620.31
RVL	\$543.98	\$546.44	\$599.41	\$525.87	\$592.30 \$531.40	\$568.66	\$556.53
RHX	\$549.34	\$551.82	\$605.30	\$531.04	\$536.63	\$574.26	\$562.00
RHL	\$489.96	\$492.17	\$539.87	\$473.64	\$478.62	\$512.18	\$501.25
RMX	\$503.92	\$506.20	\$555.26	\$487.14	\$492.26	\$526.78	\$515.54
RML	\$462.36	\$464.45	\$509.46	\$446.96	\$451.66	\$483.33	\$473.02
RLX	\$442.55	\$444.56	\$487.64	\$427.81	\$432.32	\$462.63	\$452.76
RUC	\$516.44	\$518.77	\$569.05	\$499.23	\$504.49	\$539.86	\$528.34
RUB	\$516.44	\$518.77	\$569.05	\$499.23	\$504.49	\$539.86	\$528.34
RUA	\$431.82	\$433.77	\$475.81	\$417.44	\$421.83	\$451.41	\$441.78
RVC	\$443.04	\$445.04	\$488.18	\$428.28	\$432.79	\$463.14	\$453.26
RVB	\$383.66	\$385.40	\$422.75	\$370.88	\$374.78	\$401.06	\$392.51
RVA RHC	\$382.17 \$386.05	\$383.90 \$387.79	\$421.11 \$425.38	\$369.44 \$373.19	\$373.33 \$377.12	\$399.51 \$403.56	\$390.99 \$394.95
RHB	\$347.45	\$349.02	\$382.85	\$335.88	\$339.41	\$363.21	\$355.46
RHA	\$305.88	\$307.27	\$337.05	\$295.70	\$298.81	\$319.76	\$312.94
RMC	\$339.14	\$340.68	\$373.70	\$327.85	\$331.30	\$354.53	\$346.96
RMB	\$318.36	\$319.80	\$350.80	\$307.76	\$311.00	\$332.80	\$325.70
RMA	\$261.96	\$263.14	\$288.64	\$253.23	\$255.90	\$273.84	\$268.00
RLB	\$329.73	\$331.22	\$363.33	\$318.75	\$322.10	\$344.69	\$337.34
RLA	\$212.46	\$213.42	\$234.10	\$205.38	\$207.54	\$222.10	\$217.36
ES3	\$621.92	\$624.73	\$685.28	\$601.20	\$607.53	\$650.13	\$636.26
ES2	\$486.84	\$489.04	\$536.44	\$470.62	\$475.58	\$508.92	\$498.06
ES1	\$434.87	\$436.84	\$479.18	\$420.39	\$424.81	\$454.60	\$444.90
HE2	\$420.03	\$421.93	\$462.82	\$406.04	\$410.31	\$439.09	\$429.72
HE1 HD2	\$348.78 \$393.31	\$350.36 \$395.09	\$384.32 \$433.38	\$337.17 \$380.21	\$340.71 \$384.21	\$364.60 \$411.15	\$356.83 \$402.38
HD1	\$328.00	\$329.48	\$361.42	\$317.08	\$320.41	\$342.88	\$335.56
HC2	\$371.04	\$372.72	\$408.84	\$358.68	\$362.46	\$387.87	\$379.60
HC1	\$310.18	\$311.59	\$341.79	\$299.85	\$303.01	\$324.26	\$317.34
HB2	\$366.59	\$368.25	\$403.94	\$354.38	\$358.11	\$383.22	\$375.04
HB1	\$307.22	\$308.61	\$338.52	\$296.99	\$300.11	\$321.16	\$314.30
LE2	\$381.43	\$383.16	\$420.29	\$368.73	\$372.61	\$398.74	\$390.23
LE1	\$319.09	\$320.53	\$351.60	\$308.46	\$311.71	\$333.56	\$326.45
LD2	\$366.59	\$368.25	\$403.94	\$354.38	\$358.11	\$383.22	\$375.04
LD1	\$307.22	\$308.61	\$338.52	\$296.99	\$300.11	\$321.16	\$314.30
LC2	\$322.06	\$323.52	\$354.87	\$311.34	\$314.61	\$336.67 \$283.91	\$329.49
LC1 LB2	\$271.59 \$305.73	\$272.81 \$307.11	\$299.25 \$336.88	\$262.54 \$295.55	\$265.30 \$298.66	\$283.91	\$277.85 \$312.78
LB1	\$259.72	\$260.89	\$286.18	\$251.07	\$253.71	\$271.50	\$265.71
CE2	\$339.87	\$341.41	\$374.50	\$328.55	\$332.01	\$355.29	\$347.71
CE1	\$313.15	\$314.56	\$345.05	\$302.72	\$305.90	\$327.35	\$320.37
CD2	\$322.06	\$323.52	\$354.87	\$311.34	\$314.61	\$336.67	\$329.49
CD1	\$295.34	\$296.68	\$325.43	\$285.50	\$288.51	\$308.74	\$302.15
CC2	\$281.98	\$283.25	\$310.70	\$272.58	\$275.45	\$294.77	\$288.48
CC1	\$261.19	\$262.38	\$287.81	\$252.49	\$255.15	\$273.04	\$267.22
CB2	\$261.19	\$262.38	\$287.81	\$252.49	\$255.15	\$273.04	\$267.22
CB1	\$241.90	\$242.99	\$266.54	\$233.84	\$236.30	\$252.87	\$247.48
CA2 CA1	\$221.12 \$206.28	\$222.12 \$207.21	\$243.65 \$227.29	\$213.75 \$199.41	\$216.00 \$201.50	\$231.15 \$215.63	\$226.22 \$211.03
BB2	\$206.28	\$235.53	\$258.36	\$226.66	\$201.50	\$245.11	\$239.88
BB1	\$224.08	\$235.33	\$246.91	\$216.62	\$218.90	\$234.25	\$229.25
BA2	\$194.40	\$195.28	\$214.20	\$187.92	\$189.90	\$203.22	\$198.88
BA1	\$185.49	\$186.33	\$204.39	\$179.32	\$181.20	\$193.91	\$189.77
PE2	\$313.15	\$314.56	\$345.05	\$302.72	\$305.90	\$327.35	\$320.37
PE1	\$298.31	\$299.65	\$328.70	\$288.37	\$291.40	\$311.84	\$305.18
PD2	\$295.34	\$296.68	\$325.43	\$285.50	\$288.51	\$308.74	\$302.15
PD1	\$280.50	\$281.77	\$309.08	\$271.16	\$274.01	\$293.22	\$286.97
PC2	\$253.78	\$254.93	\$279.63	\$245.33	\$247.91	\$265.29	\$259.63
PC1	\$241.90	\$242.99	\$266.54	\$233.84	\$236.30	\$252.87	\$247.48
PB2 PB1	\$215.18 \$206.28	\$216.15 \$207.21	\$237.10 \$227.29	\$208.01 \$199.41	\$210.20 \$201.50	\$224.94 \$215.63	\$220.14 \$211.03
PA2	\$178.07	\$207.21	\$227.29 \$196.21	\$199.41	\$201.50 \$173.95	\$215.63 \$186.15	\$182.17
PA1	\$170.64	\$173.37	\$188.03	\$164.96	\$166.69	\$178.38	\$174.58
1 / 1 1	September 2		ψ100.00	ψ107.00	Ψ100.00	ψ170.00	ψ177.00

Appendix A -L		PPS Rates for F	FY 2013 Page 2 of 2					
66- RUG IV	NASSAU- SUFFOLK WAGE INDEX 1.2698	NEW YORK METRO WAGE INDEX 1.2914	POUGHKEEPSIE WAGE INDEX 1.1325	ROCHESTER WAGE INDEX 0.8704	SYRACUSE WAGE INDEX 0.9829	UTICA WAGE INDEX 0.8653	NON-URBAN WAGE INDEX 0.8199	
RUX RUL	\$889.16 \$869.77	\$900.25 \$880.62	\$818.68 \$800.83	\$684.14 \$669.22	\$741.89 \$725.71	\$681.52 \$666.66	\$673.40 \$659.70	
RVX	\$791.42	\$801.29	\$728.69	\$608.93	\$660.33	\$606.60	\$591.68	
RVL	\$710.04	\$718.90	\$653.76	\$546.32	\$592.44	\$544.23	\$534.12	
RHX	\$717.03	\$725.97	\$660.19	\$551.70	\$598.27	\$549.58	\$529.89	
RHL	\$639.52	\$647.50	\$588.83	\$492.06	\$533.60	\$490.18	\$475.07	
RMX	\$657.75	\$665.95	\$605.61	\$506.08	\$548.80	\$504.15	\$481.55	
RML RLX	\$603.50 \$577.65	\$611.02 \$584.85	\$555.66 \$531.86	\$464.34 \$444.46	\$503.54 \$481.97	\$462.57 \$442.75	\$443.18 \$419.13	
RUC	\$674.08	\$682.49	\$620.65	\$518.65	\$562.43	\$516.67	\$521.30	
RUB	\$674.08	\$682.49	\$620.65	\$518.65	\$562.43	\$516.67	\$521.30	
RUA	\$563.64	\$570.67	\$518.96	\$433.68	\$470.28	\$432.02	\$443.18	
RVC	\$578.28	\$585.50	\$532.45	\$444.94	\$482.50	\$443.24	\$440.94	
RVB	\$500.78	\$507.02	\$461.08	\$385.31	\$417.83	\$383.83	\$386.13	
RVA	\$498.84	\$505.06	\$459.30	\$383.81	\$416.21	\$382.35	\$384.76	
RHC RHB	\$503.89 \$453.51	\$510.18 \$459.17	\$463.95 \$417.56	\$387.71 \$348.94	\$420.43 \$378.40	\$386.22 \$347.61	\$379.15 \$343.53	
RHA	\$399.26	\$404.24	\$367.61	\$307.20	\$373.40	\$306.02	\$305.15	
RMC	\$442.67	\$448.19	\$407.58	\$340.60	\$369.35	\$339.30	\$329.44	
RMB	\$415.55	\$420.73	\$382.61	\$319.73	\$346.72	\$318.51	\$310.26	
RMA	\$341.92	\$346.18	\$314.82	\$263.08	\$285.29	\$262.07	\$258.19	
RLB	\$430.39	\$435.76	\$396.27	\$331.15	\$359.10	\$329.88	\$314.99	
RLA	\$277.32	\$280.77	\$255.33	\$213.37	\$231.38	\$212.56	\$206.73	
ES3 ES2	\$811.77 \$635.45	\$821.89 \$643.37	\$747.42 \$585.08	\$624.59 \$488.93	\$677.31 \$530.20	\$622.20 \$487.06	\$580.33 \$455.63	
ES1	\$567.63	\$574.70	\$522.63	\$436.74	\$473.61	\$435.07	\$407.67	
HE2	\$548.25	\$555.09	\$504.79	\$421.84	\$457.44	\$420.22	\$393.97	
HE1	\$455.25	\$460.93	\$419.17	\$350.28	\$379.85	\$348.94	\$328.19	
HD2	\$513.37	\$519.78	\$472.68	\$395.00	\$428.34	\$393.49	\$369.30	
HD1	\$428.13	\$433.47	\$394.19	\$329.41	\$357.22	\$328.15	\$309.01	
HC2 HC1	\$484.31 \$404.87	\$490.35 \$409.92	\$445.92 \$372.78	\$372.64 \$311.52	\$404.09 \$337.81	\$371.21 \$310.32	\$348.75 \$292.56	
HB2	\$478.50	\$484.46	\$440.57	\$368.16	\$399.24	\$366.76	\$344.64	
HB1	\$401.00	\$406.00	\$369.22	\$308.54	\$334.58	\$307.36	\$289.82	
LE2	\$497.87	\$504.08	\$458.41	\$383.07	\$415.41	\$381.60	\$358.34	
LE1	\$416.49	\$421.69	\$383.48	\$320.46	\$347.51	\$319.23	\$300.79	
LD2	\$478.50	\$484.46	\$440.57	\$368.16	\$399.24	\$366.76	\$344.64	
LD1 LC2	\$401.00 \$420.37	\$406.00 \$425.62	\$369.22 \$387.05	\$308.54 \$323.45	\$334.58 \$350.75	\$307.36 \$322.21	\$289.82 \$303.52	
LC1	\$354.49	\$358.91	\$326.39	\$272.75	\$295.78	\$271.71	\$256.93	
LB2	\$399.06	\$404.04	\$367.43	\$307.05	\$332.96	\$305.87	\$288.45	
LB1	\$339.00	\$343.22	\$312.13	\$260.83	\$282.85	\$259.83	\$245.97	
CE2	\$443.62	\$449.15	\$408.46	\$341.33	\$370.14	\$340.02	\$319.97	
CE1	\$408.74	\$413.84	\$376.34	\$314.49	\$341.04	\$313.29	\$295.30	
CD2 CD1	\$420.37 \$385.50	\$425.62 \$390.30	\$387.05 \$354.94	\$323.45 \$296.61	\$350.75 \$321.65	\$322.21 \$295.47	\$303.52 \$278.86	
CC2	\$368.05	\$372.64	\$338.88	\$283.19	\$307.09	\$282.10	\$266.52	
CC1	\$340.93	\$345.18	\$313.90	\$262.32	\$284.46	\$261.31	\$247.35	
CB2	\$340.93	\$345.18	\$313.90	\$262.32	\$284.46	\$261.31	\$247.35	
CB1	\$315.74	\$319.68	\$290.72	\$242.94	\$263.45	\$242.01	\$229.52	
CA2	\$288.62	\$292.22	\$265.74	\$222.07	\$240.81	\$221.22	\$210.34 \$106.64	
CA1 BB2	\$269.24 \$306.05	\$272.60 \$309.87	\$247.90 \$281.79	\$207.16 \$235.48	\$224.65 \$255.36	\$206.37 \$234.58	\$196.64 \$222.67	
BB1	\$292.49	\$296.14	\$269.30	\$225.05	\$244.04	\$234.38	\$213.08	
BA2	\$253.74	\$256.90	\$233.63	\$195.23	\$211.71	\$194.49	\$185.68	
BA1	\$242.12	\$245.14	\$222.93	\$186.29	\$202.02	\$185.58	\$177.46	
PE2	\$408.74	\$413.84	\$376.34	\$314.49	\$341.04	\$313.29	\$295.30	
PE1	\$389.37	\$394.22	\$358.50	\$299.59	\$324.88	\$298.44	\$281.60	
PD2 PD1	\$385.50 \$366.12	\$390.30 \$370.69	\$354.94 \$337.10	\$296.61 \$281.70	\$321.65 \$305.48	\$295.47 \$280.63	\$278.86 \$265.16	
PC2	\$300.12	\$370.69	\$304.99	\$254.87	\$276.38	\$250.63	\$240.49	
PC1	\$315.74	\$319.68	\$290.72	\$242.94	\$263.45	\$242.01	\$229.52	
PB2	\$280.87	\$284.37	\$258.60	\$216.10	\$234.35	\$215.28	\$204.86	
PB1	\$269.24	\$272.60	\$247.90	\$207.16	\$224.65	\$206.37	\$196.64	
PA2	\$232.43	\$235.32	\$214.00	\$178.83	\$193.93	\$178.15	\$170.61	
PA1	\$222.73	\$225.51 September 201	\$205.08	\$171.37	\$185.84	\$170.72	\$163.76	

Appendix B - Listing of SNF PPS Rates for FY 2013 AIDS RATES**

Page 1 of 2

Appendix B -	Listing of SN	F PPS Rates for	F1 2013 AIDS	KAIES		Page 1 of 2	
ee Due IV	LALDANY	DINCHAMTON	BUEFALO	EL MIDA	CLENC FALLS	ITHACA	KINCSTON
66- RUG IV	ALBANY	BINGHAMTON	BUFFALO WAGE INDEX	ELMIRA WAGE INDEX	GLENS FALLS WAGE INDEX	ITHACA WAGE INDEX	KINGSTON
GROUP	0.8647	0.8707	0.9999	0.8205	0.8340	0.9249	0.8953
RUX	\$1,553.16	\$1,560.18	\$1,711.39	\$1,501.43	\$1,517.23	\$1,623.61	\$1,588.98
RUL	\$1,519.30	\$1,526.16	\$1,674.09	\$1,468.68	\$1,484.14	\$1,588.23	\$1,554.32
RVX	\$1,382.43	\$1,388.68	\$1,523.27	\$1,336.38	\$1,350.44	\$1,445.13	\$1,414.31
RVL	\$1,240.27 \$1,252.50	\$1,245.88 \$1,258.15	\$1,366.65 \$1,380.08	\$1,198.98 \$1,210.77	\$1,211.59 \$1,223.52	\$1,296.54 \$1,309.31	\$1,268.89 \$1,281.36
RHX RHL	\$1,252.50	\$1,122.15	\$1,230.90	\$1,210.77	\$1,091.25	\$1,309.31	\$1,142.85
RMX	\$1,148.94	\$1,154.14	\$1,265.99	\$1,110.68	\$1,122.35	\$1,201.06	\$1,175.43
RML	\$1,054.18	\$1,058.95	\$1,161.57	\$1,019.07	\$1,029.78	\$1,101.99	\$1,078.49
RLX	\$1,009.01	\$1,013.60	\$1,111.82	\$975.41	\$985.69	\$1,054.80	\$1,032.29
RUC	\$1,177.48	\$1,182.80	\$1,297.43	\$1,138.24	\$1,150.24	\$1,230.88	\$1,204.62
RUB	\$1,177.48	\$1,182.80	\$1,297.43	\$1,138.24	\$1,150.24	\$1,230.88	\$1,204.62
RUA	\$984.55	\$989.00	\$1,084.85	\$951.76	\$961.77	\$1,029.21	\$1,007.26
RVC	\$1,010.13	\$1,014.69	\$1,113.05	\$976.48	\$986.76	\$1,055.96	\$1,033.43
RVB	\$874.74	\$878.71	\$963.87	\$845.61	\$854.50	\$914.42	\$894.92
RVA	\$871.35	\$875.29	\$960.13	\$842.32	\$851.19	\$910.88	\$891.46
RHC	\$880.19	\$884.16	\$969.87	\$850.87	\$859.83	\$920.12	\$900.49
RHB	\$792.19	\$795.77	\$872.90	\$765.81	\$773.85	\$828.12	\$810.45
RHA	\$697.41	\$700.58	\$768.47	\$674.20	\$681.29	\$729.05	\$713.50
RMC	\$773.24	\$776.75	\$852.04	\$747.50 \$701.69	\$755.36	\$808.33	\$791.07 \$742.60
RMB	\$725.86 \$507.27	\$729.14 \$500.06	\$799.82 \$658.10	\$701.69	\$709.08 \$583.45	\$758.78 \$624.26	\$742.60 \$611.04
RMA RLB	\$597.27 \$751.78	\$599.96 \$755.18	\$658.10	\$577.36 \$726.75	\$583.45 \$734.39	\$624.36 \$785.89	\$611.04 \$769.14
RLA	\$484.41	\$486.60	\$533.75	\$468.27	\$473.19	\$506.39	\$495.58
ES3	\$1,417.98	\$1,424.38	\$1,562.44	\$1,370.74	\$1,385.17	\$1,482.30	\$1,450.67
ES2	\$1,110.00	\$1,115.01	\$1,223.08	\$1,073.01	\$1,084.32	\$1,160.34	\$1,135.58
ES1	\$991.50	\$996.00	\$1,092.53	\$958.49	\$968.57	\$1,036.49	\$1,014.37
HE2	\$957.67	\$962.00	\$1,055.23	\$925.77	\$935.51	\$1,001.13	\$979.76
HE1	\$795.22	\$798.82	\$876.25	\$768.75	\$776.82	\$831.29	\$813.57
HD2	\$896.75	\$900.81	\$988.11	\$866.88	\$876.00	\$937.42	\$917.43
HD1	\$747.84	\$751.21	\$824.04	\$722.94	\$730.53	\$781.77	\$765.08
HC2	\$845.97	\$849.80	\$932.16	\$817.79	\$826.41	\$884.34	\$865.49
HC1	\$707.21	\$710.43	\$779.28	\$683.66	\$690.86	\$739.31	\$723.54
HB2	\$835.83	\$839.61	\$920.98	\$807.99	\$816.49	\$873.74	\$855.09
HB1 LE2	\$700.46 \$869.66	\$703.63 \$873.60	\$771.83 \$958.26	\$677.14 \$840.70	\$684.25 \$849.55	\$732.24 \$909.13	\$716.60 \$889.72
LE2 LE1	\$727.53	\$730.81	\$801.65	\$703.29	\$710.70	\$760.52	\$744.31
LD2	\$835.83	\$839.61	\$920.98	\$807.99	\$816.49	\$873.74	\$855.09
LD1	\$700.46	\$703.63	\$771.83	\$677.14	\$684.25	\$732.24	\$716.60
LC2	\$734.30	\$737.63	\$809.10	\$709.86	\$717.31	\$767.61	\$751.24
LC1	\$619.23	\$622.01	\$682.29	\$598.59	\$604.88	\$647.31	\$633.50
LB2	\$697.06	\$700.21	\$768.09	\$673.85	\$680.94	\$728.69	\$713.14
LB1	\$592.16	\$594.83	\$652.49	\$572.44	\$578.46	\$619.02	\$605.82
CE2	\$774.90	\$778.41	\$853.86	\$749.09	\$756.98	\$810.06	\$792.78
CE1	\$713.98	\$717.20	\$786.71	\$690.20	\$697.45	\$746.36	\$730.44
CD2	\$734.30	\$737.63	\$809.10	\$709.86	\$717.31	\$767.61	\$751.24
CD1	\$673.38	\$676.43	\$741.98	\$650.94	\$657.80	\$703.93	\$688.90
CC2	\$642.91 \$505.51	\$645.81	\$708.40 \$656.21	\$621.48 \$575.69	\$628.03 \$591.74	\$672.08	\$657.73
CC1 CB2	\$595.51 \$595.51	\$598.23 \$598.23	\$656.21 \$656.21	\$575.68 \$575.68	\$581.74 \$581.74	\$622.53 \$622.53	\$609.26 \$609.26
CB2 CB1	\$551.53	\$554.02	\$607.71	\$575.00	\$538.76	\$576.54	\$564.25
CA2	\$504.15	\$506.43	\$555.52	\$487.35	\$492.48	\$527.02	\$515.78
CA1	\$470.32	\$472.44	\$518.22	\$454.65	\$459.42	\$491.64	\$481.15
BB2	\$534.59	\$537.01	\$589.06	\$516.78	\$522.23	\$558.85	\$546.93
BB1	\$510.90	\$513.23	\$562.95	\$493.89	\$499.09	\$534.09	\$522.69
BA2	\$443.23	\$445.24	\$488.38	\$428.46	\$432.97	\$463.34	\$453.45
BA1	\$422.92	\$424.83	\$466.01	\$408.85	\$413.14	\$442.11	\$432.68
PE2	\$713.98	\$717.20	\$786.71	\$690.20	\$697.45	\$746.36	\$730.44
PE1	\$680.15	\$683.20	\$749.44	\$657.48	\$664.39	\$711.00	\$695.81
PD2	\$673.38	\$676.43	\$741.98	\$650.94	\$657.80	\$703.93	\$688.90
PD1	\$639.54	\$642.44	\$704.70	\$618.24	\$624.74	\$668.54	\$654.29
PC2	\$578.62 \$551.53	\$581.24 \$554.02	\$637.56 \$607.71	\$559.35 \$533.16	\$565.23 \$539.76	\$604.86 \$576.54	\$591.96 \$564.25
PC1 PB2	\$551.53 \$490.61	\$554.02 \$492.82	\$607.71 \$540.59	\$533.16 \$474.26	\$538.76 \$479.26	\$576.54 \$512.86	\$564.25 \$501.92
PB2 PB1	\$490.61	\$492.82 \$472.44	\$540.59 \$518.22	\$474.26 \$454.65	\$479.26 \$459.42	\$491.64	\$481.15
PA2	\$406.00	\$407.82	\$447.36	\$392.48	\$396.61	\$424.42	\$415.35
PA1	\$389.06	\$390.81	\$428.71	\$376.11	\$380.05	\$406.71	\$398.04
	Sontombor 2		Ţ := U	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , 	+0.00	Ţ .	Ţ0.0.

Appendix B -			Y 2013 AIDS RATES	ES Page 2 of 2				
66- RUG IV	NASSAU- SUFFOLK WAGE INDEX	NEW YORK METRO WAGE INDEX	POUGHKEEPSIE WAGE INDEX	ROCHESTER WAGE INDEX	SYRACUSE WAGE INDEX	UTICA WAGE INDEX	NON-URBAN WAGE INDEX	
GROUP	1.2698	1.2914	1.1325	0.8704	0.9829	0.8653	0.8199	
RUX	\$2,027.28	\$2,052.57	\$1,866.59	\$1,559.84	\$1,691.51	\$1,553.87	\$1,535.35	
RUL	\$1,983.08	\$2,007.81	\$1,825.89	\$1,525.82	\$1,654.62	\$1,519.98	\$1,504.12	
RVX	\$1,804.44	\$1,826.94	\$1,661.41	\$1,388.36	\$1,505.55	\$1,383.05	\$1,349.03	
RVL	\$1,618.89	\$1,639.09	\$1,490.57 \$1,505.23	\$1,245.61	\$1,350.76	\$1,240.84 \$1,253.04	\$1,217.79	
RHX RHL	\$1,634.83 \$1,458.11	\$1,655.21 \$1,476.30	\$1,342.53	\$1,257.88 \$1,121.90	\$1,364.06 \$1,216.61	\$1,253.04	\$1,208.15 \$1,083.16	
RMX	\$1,499.67	\$1,518.37	\$1,380.79	\$1,153.86	\$1,251.26	\$1,149.46	\$1.097.93	
RML	\$1,375.98	\$1,393.13	\$1,266.90	\$1,058.70	\$1,148.07	\$1,054.66	\$1,010.45	
RLX	\$1,317.04	\$1,333.46	\$1,212.64	\$1,013.37	\$1,098.89	\$1,009.47	\$955.62	
RUC	\$1,536.90	\$1,556.08	\$1,415.08	\$1,182.52	\$1,282.34	\$1,178.01	\$1,188.56	
RUB RUA	\$1,536.90 \$1,285.10	\$1,556.08 \$1,301.13	\$1,415.08 \$1,183.23	\$1,182.52 \$988.79	\$1,282.34 \$1,072.24	\$1,178.01 \$985.01	\$1,188.56 \$1,010.45	
RVC	\$1,318.48	\$1,334.94	\$1,103.23	\$1,014.46	\$1,072.24	\$1,010.59	\$1,005.34	
RVB	\$1,141.78	\$1,156.01	\$1,051.26	\$878.51	\$952.65	\$875.13	\$880.38	
RVA	\$1,137.36	\$1,151.54	\$1,047.20	\$875.09	\$948.96	\$871.76	\$877.25	
RHC	\$1,148.87	\$1,163.21	\$1,057.81	\$883.98	\$958.58	\$880.58	\$864.46	
RHB	\$1,034.00	\$1,046.91	\$952.04	\$795.58	\$862.75	\$792.55	\$783.25	
RHA RMC	\$910.31 \$1,009.29	\$921.67 \$1,021.87	\$838.15 \$929.28	\$700.42 \$776.57	\$759.54 \$842.12	\$697.73 \$773.60	\$695.74 \$751.12	
RMB	\$947.45	\$959.26	\$872.35	\$778.98	\$790.52	\$773.60	\$707.39	
RMA	\$779.58	\$789.29	\$717.79	\$599.82	\$650.46	\$597.52	\$588.67	
RLB	\$981.29	\$993.53	\$903.50	\$755.02	\$818.75	\$752.13	\$718.18	
RLA	\$632.29	\$640.16	\$582.15	\$486.48	\$527.55	\$484.64	\$471.34	
ES3	\$1,850.84	\$1,873.91	\$1,704.12	\$1,424.07	\$1,544.27	\$1,418.62	\$1,323.15	
ES2 ES1	\$1,448.83 \$1,294.20	\$1,466.88 \$1,310.32	\$1,333.98 \$1,191.60	\$1,114.76 \$995.77	\$1,208.86 \$1,079.83	\$1,110.50 \$991.96	\$1,038.84 \$929.49	
HE2	\$1,250.01	\$1,265.61	\$1,150.92	\$961.80	\$1,042.96	\$958.10	\$898.25	
HE1	\$1,037.97	\$1,050.92	\$955.71	\$798.64	\$866.06	\$795.58	\$748.27	
HD2	\$1,170.48	\$1,185.10	\$1,077.71	\$900.60	\$976.62	\$897.16	\$842.00	
HD1	\$976.14	\$988.31	\$898.75	\$751.05	\$814.46	\$748.18	\$704.54	
HC2	\$1,104.23	\$1,118.00	\$1,016.70	\$849.62	\$921.33	\$846.36	\$795.15	
HC1 HB2	\$923.10 \$1,090.98	\$934.62 \$1,104.57	\$849.94 \$1,004.50	\$710.27 \$839.40	\$770.21 \$910.27	\$707.53 \$836.21	\$667.04 \$785.78	
HB1	\$914.28	\$925.68	\$841.82	\$703.47	\$762.84	\$700.78	\$660.79	
LE2	\$1,135.14	\$1,149.30	\$1,045.17	\$873.40	\$947.13	\$870.05	\$817.02	
LE1	\$949.60	\$961.45	\$874.33	\$730.65	\$792.32	\$727.84	\$685.80	
LD2	\$1,090.98	\$1,104.57	\$1,004.50	\$839.40	\$910.27	\$836.21	\$785.78	
LD1 LC2	\$914.28 \$958.44	\$925.68 \$970.41	\$841.82 \$882.47	\$703.47 \$737.47	\$762.84 \$799.71	\$700.78 \$734.64	\$660.79 \$692.03	
LC1	\$808.24	\$818.31	\$744.17	\$621.87	\$674.38	\$619.50	\$585.80	
LB2	\$909.86	\$921.21	\$837.74	\$700.07	\$759.15	\$697.38	\$657.67	
LB1	\$772.92	\$782.54	\$711.66	\$594.69	\$644.90	\$592.41	\$560.81	
CE2	\$1,011.45	\$1,024.06	\$931.29	\$778.23	\$843.92	\$775.25	\$729.53	
CE1	\$931.93	\$943.56	\$858.06	\$717.04	\$777.57	\$714.30	\$673.28	
CD2 CD1	\$958.44 \$878.94	\$970.41 \$889.88	\$882.47 \$809.26	\$737.47 \$676.27	\$799.71 \$733.36	\$734.64 \$673.67	\$692.03 \$635.80	
CC2	\$839.15	\$849.62	\$772.65	\$645.67	\$700.17	\$643.19	\$607.67	
CC1	\$777.32	\$787.01	\$715.69	\$598.09	\$648.57	\$595.79	\$563.96	
CB2	\$777.32	\$787.01	\$715.69	\$598.09	\$648.57	\$595.79	\$563.96	
CB1	\$719.89	\$728.87	\$662.84	\$553.90	\$600.67	\$551.78	\$523.31	
CA2	\$658.05 \$613.87	\$666.26 \$621.53	\$605.89 \$565.21	\$506.32 \$472.32	\$549.05 \$512.20	\$504.38 \$470.52	\$479.58 \$448.34	
CA1 BB2	\$697.79	\$706.50	\$642.48	\$472.32 \$536.89	\$512.20 \$582.22	\$470.52 \$534.84	\$507.69	
BB1	\$666.88	\$675.20	\$614.00	\$513.11	\$556.41	\$511.13	\$485.82	
BA2	\$578.53	\$585.73	\$532.68	\$445.12	\$482.70	\$443.44	\$423.35	
BA1	\$552.03	\$558.92	\$508.28	\$424.74	\$460.61	\$423.12	\$404.61	
PE2	\$931.93	\$943.56	\$858.06	\$717.04	\$777.57	\$714.30	\$673.28	
PE1 PD2	\$887.76 \$878.94	\$898.82 \$889.88	\$817.38 \$809.26	\$683.07 \$676.27	\$740.73 \$733.36	\$680.44 \$673.67	\$642.05 \$635.80	
PD1	\$834.75	\$845.17	\$768.59	\$642.28	\$696.49	\$639.84	\$604.56	
PC2	\$755.25	\$764.67	\$695.38	\$581.10	\$630.15	\$578.87	\$548.32	
PC1	\$719.89	\$728.87	\$662.84	\$553.90	\$600.67	\$551.78	\$523.31	
PB2	\$640.38	\$648.36	\$589.61	\$492.71	\$534.32	\$490.84	\$467.08	
PB1	\$613.87	\$621.53	\$565.21	\$472.32	\$512.20	\$470.52	\$448.34	
PA2 PA1	\$529.94 \$507.82	\$536.53 \$514.16	\$487.92 \$467.58	\$407.73 \$390.72	\$442.16 \$423.72	\$406.18 \$389.24	\$388.99 \$373.37	
ı A I	September 20		Ψ407.30	ψυσυ.12	ψ+20.12	ψ303.24	ψυι υ.υι	