

Global Commitment Register

August 7, 2023

GCR 23-066 FINAL

Integrating Family Services Rate Increase

Policy Summary:

The Vermont Medicaid program has increased the rate paid to the Addison County Parent Child Center (ACPCC), one of the Integrating Family Services (IFS) providers. The ACPCC bundled payment increased from \$910.89 to \$1,083.79 per member per month. This change is due to updated annual caseload expectations based on a 36-month weighted average lookback. It is expected that this rate increase will support the program to be fully staffed with qualified providers.

The IFS bundled payment model supports Medicaid services for pregnant individuals and children birth through age 21 across service domains, including: mental and behavioral health, developmental disabilities, and substance use. Services reach across the continuum of prevention, diagnosis, and treatment.

Effective Date:

July 1, 2023

Authority/Legal Basis:

Medicaid State Plan

Global Commitment to Health Waiver: Waiver authority #5 [Section 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30)]; Special Term and Condition #6.8.

Population Affected:

Pregnant individuals and children birth through age 21.

Fiscal Impact:

This change is expected to be budget neutral.

Public Comment Period:

The public comment period ended on July 31, 2023. No comments were received.

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