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GCR 16-093
CLARIFICATION

Disproportionate Share Hospital 2017

Policy Summary:

This SPA was approved by CMS. Below is the policy summary for submission.

The Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA) filed Vermont Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) #16-0029 to update disproportionate share (DSH) payments. This SPA updates the date references to the DSH payment year and the source cost report data for payments made in federal fiscal year 2017. There is no change in the total DSH allotment from the prior year.

Effective Date:

Approved by CMS on March 22, 2017. Effective October 1, 2016.

Authority/Legal Basis:

These changes were made pursuant to 42 CFR §430.12(c)(1)(ii) under the [Medicaid State Plan](#).

Population Affected:

In-State Hospitals.

Fiscal Impact:

No fiscal impact.

Public Comment Period:

The public comment period was September 30, 2016 – October 30, 2016. No comments were received.

Additional Information:

Click here to view the GCR final policy for [16-093: Disproportionate Share Hospital 2017](#).

Click here for the [updated State Plan](#) on the DVHA website.

The following State Plan pages were amended:

- Attachment 4.19-A, pages 1f and 1g