DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Indian Health Service

Reimbursement Rates for Calendar Year 2018

AGENCY: Indian Health Service, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is given that the Acting Director of the Indian Health Service (IHS), under the authority of sections 321(a) and 322(b) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 248 and 249(b)), Public Law 83–568 (42 U.S.C. 2001(a)), and the Indian Health Care Improvement Act (25 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.), has approved the following rates for inpatient and outpatient medical care provided by IHS facilities for Calendar Year 2018 for Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries, beneficiaries of other Federal programs, and for recoveries under the Federal Medical Care Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. 2651–2653). The inpatient rates for Medicare Part A are excluded from the table below as they are paid based on the prospective payment system. Since the inpatient per diem rates set forth below do not include all physician services and practitioner services, additional payment shall be available to the extent that those services are provided.

Inpatient Hospital Per Diem Rate (Excludes Physician/Practitioner Services)

Calendar Year 2018

Lower 48 States $3,229
Alaska $3,277

Outpatient Per Visit Rate (Excluding Medicare)

Calendar Year 2018

Lower 48 States $427
Alaska $653

Outpatient Per Visit Rate (Medicare)

Calendar Year 2018

Lower 48 States $383
Alaska $595

Medicare Part B Inpatient Ancillary Per Diem Rate

Calendar Year 2018

Lower 48 States $740
Alaska $1,061

Outpatient Surgery Rate (Medicare)

Established Medicare rates for forstanding Ambulatory Surgery Centers.

Effective Date for Calendar Year 2018 Rates

Consistent with previous annual rate revisions, the Calendar Year 2018 rates will be effective for services provided on/or after January 1, 2018, to the extent consistent with payment authorities, including the applicable Medicaid State plan.


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RADM, Assistant Surgeon General, U.S. Public Health Service, Acting Director, Indian Health Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is hereby given of the following meetings. The meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: Biological Chemistry and Macromolecular Biophysics Integrated Review Group.

Name of Committee: Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering Integrated Review Group.

Name of Committee: Surgical Sciences.
**Contact Person**: Donald Scott Wright, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5108, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435–8363, wrightds@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Vascular and Hematology Integrated Review Group, Hypertension and Microcirculation Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Hilton Garden Inn Orlando East UCF, 1959 N. Alafaya Trail, Orlando, FL 32822.

**Contact Person**: Al-Ping Zou, M.D., Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4118, MSC 7814, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–408–9497, zouai@mail.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Endocrinology, Metabolism, Nutrition and Reproductive Sciences Integrated Review Group, Integrative Nutrition and Metabolic Processes Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Westin Grand, 2350 M Street NW, Washington, DC 20037.

**Contact Person**: Gregory S Shelnas, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6156, Bethesda, MD 20892–7892, 301–537–3793, greg.shelnas@nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Bioengineering Sciences & Technologies Integrated Review Group, Nanotechnology Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Baltimore Marriott Waterfront, 700 Aliceanna Street, Baltimore, MD 21202.

**Contact Person**: James L Li, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5148, MSC 7849, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–755–4335, macarthurlh@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Neuroscience Integrated Review Group, Cellular and Molecular Biology of Glia Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: St. Gregory Hotel, 2033 M Street NW, Washington, DC 20036.

**Contact Person**: Linda MacArthur, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4187, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–537–9986, macarthurhl@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Integrative, Functional and Cognitive Neuroscience Integrated Review Group, Auditory System Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: The Westgate Hotel, 1055 Second Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101.

**Contact Person**: Ying-You Kong, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5185, Bethesda, MD 20892, ying-you.kong@nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Emerging Technologies and Training Neurosciences Integrated Review Group, Neurosciences and Ophthalmic Imaging Technologies Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Renaissance Washington, DC Downtown Hotel, 999 Ninth Street, Washington, DC 20001.

**Contact Person**: Yvonne Bennett, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5199, MSC 7846, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–379–3793, bennettys@nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Risk, Prevention and Health Behavior Integrated Review Group, Behavioral Medicine, Interventions and Outcomes Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Doubletree Guest Suites Santa Monica, 1707 Fourth Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401.

**Contact Person**: Lee S Mann, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 3224, MSC 7808, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–435–0677, mannls@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Musculoskeletal, Oral and Skin Sciences Integrated Review Group, Skeletal Biology and Development and Disease Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Westin Baltimore Washington Airport, 1100 Old Eldridge Landing Road, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090.

**Contact Person**: Aruna K Behera, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4211, MSC 7814, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–435–6809, beheraka@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Neuroscience Integrated Review Group, Cellular and Molecular Biology of Neurodegeneration Study Section.

**Date**: February 8–9, 2018.

**Time**: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: SpringHill Suites San Diego Downtown/Bayfront, 900 Bayfront Court, San Diego, CA 92101.

**Contact Person**: Laurent Taupenot, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4183, MSC 7850, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–435–1203, taupenotl@csr.nih.gov.

*Name of Committee*: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Integrative Nutrition and Metabolic Processes.

**Date**: February 8, 2018.

**Time**: 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Agenda**: To review and evaluate grant applications.

**Place**: Westin Grand, 2350 M Street NW, Washington, DC 20037.

**Contact Person**: Gary Hunnicutt, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6164, MSC 7892, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–435–0229, hunnicuttgr@csr.nih.gov.


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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT


Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing: Extension of Deadline for Submission of Assessment of Fair Housing for Consolidated Plan Participants

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice advises that HUD is extending the deadline for submission of an Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) by local government consolidated plan program participants to their next AFH submission date that falls after October 31, 2020. Such program participants will not be required to submit an AFH using the current Office of Management and Budget (OMB)-approved version of the Assessment of Fair Housing Tool for Local Governments (OMB Control No: 2529–0054), but must continue to comply with existing obligations to affirmatively further fair housing. Local government program participants that have already submitted an AFH that has been accepted by HUD must continue to execute the goals of that AFH.

DATES: Applicability Date: January 5, 2018.

Comment Due Date: March 6, 2018.