

SENIOR & LONG TERM CARE DIVISION COMMUNITY SERVICES BUREAU Medicaid Hospice Policy Manual

Title: Hospice Policy 602

Section: PAYMENT FOR HOSPICE CARE

Subject: Hospice Cap Payment

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HOSPICE CAP

Medicaid reimbursement to a hospice in a cap period is limited to a cap amount established using Medicare principles.

The Department will notify the hospice of the determination of program reimbursement at the end of the cap year.

Payments made to a hospice during a cap period, which exceed the cap amount, are overpayments and must be refunded.