
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR
FROM: RILEY
SUBJECT: MEDICAID STATE PLAN AMENDMENTS
DATE 9/6/01
CC: FILE

The Division of Medicaid has requested your signature on the attached state plan amendments.

State Plan Amendment #2001-19 is being filed to allow Medicaid to reimburse for physician assistant services furnished by a physician assistant who is licensed by the State Board of Medical Licensure and is practicing with physician supervision under regulations adopted by the board. Reimbursement shall not exceed 90% of the reimbursement rate of comparable services rendered by a physician.

State Plan Amendment #2000-20 is being filed to specify that Medicaid reimbursement for psychiatric services rendered in a doctor's office, outpatient hospital, or rural health clinic will be limited to a combined total of 12 visits per fiscal year.

Rica has reviewed these changes and is requesting your approval of these amendments.
Please check approved, date and sign both of the attached amendments.