

### Physician

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New York State received State Plan Amendment approval on May 30, 2013 from CMS to implement the Primary Care Rate Increase (PCRI). Fee for service payment began within payment cycle 1872 (July 4, 2013).

Beginning in September 2013, eMedNY will reprocess claims for dates of service on and after January 1, 2013 at the increased rate to providers who have submitted complete attestations by August 1, 2013. For attestations received after August 1, 2013, the increased rate will be paid effective the date the attestation is received.

Further information on managed care implementation will be forthcoming.

#### Additional resources:

- The physician, nurse practitioner and midwife PCRI fee schedules: https://www.emedny.org/ProviderManuals/index.aspx
- The PCRI FAQ's, webinar presentation and attestation form: https://www.emedny.org/info/ProviderEnrollment/physician/Option1. aspx
- The list of qualified PCRI providers: http://www.health.ny.gov/health\_care/medicaid/fees/
- PCRI questions: pcri@health.state.ny.us
- Fee-for-service Medicaid billing assistance: CSC, (800) 343-9000

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