



State of Vermont
Agency of Human Services
280 State Drive, Center Building
Waterbury, VT 05671-1000

Global Commitment Register

March 29, 2017

GCR 17-004
PROPOSED

Adult High Technology Services Rate

Policy Summary:

The Agency of Human Services (AHS) is proposing to increase the rate for adult high technology services. AHS worked with the Home Health Agency provider group to reassess those receiving high tech care to ensure they are receiving appropriate services and to ensure providers are receiving adequate reimbursement. As a result of this work, the rate was increased from \$10.07/unit to \$12.50/unit in order to better assist home health providers in hiring nursing staff to meet the needs of beneficiaries receiving adult high tech services.

Effective Date:

April 15, 2017

Authority/Legal Basis:

These changes are being made under the [Medicaid State Plan](#).

Population Affected:

Medicaid beneficiaries 21 years of age or older who meet clinical criteria.

Fiscal Impact:

	State Fiscal Year 2017	State Fiscal Year 2018
State	\$6,945	\$27,825
Federal	\$8,305	\$33,175
Total	\$15,250	\$61,000

Public Comment Period:

3/29/17 – 4/10/17

Send comments to:

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Or submit via e-mail to AHS.MedicaidPolicy@vermont.gov.

There is no public meeting scheduled at this time. If one should be scheduled, that information can be found at: <http://dvha.vermont.gov/> either through the calendar or listed under upcoming events.