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To: Stephen Barnard, Deputy Commissioner for Management & Budget, Department of Mental Health

From: David Garbarino, Director of Pricing Strategy, Office of Medicaid *DG*

Re: DMH Charges for Room and Board in the Community

Date: April 18, 2018

On April 14, 2018, the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) approved the request of the Department of Mental Health for the following average monthly amount to be used as a maximum allowed by vendors to charge clients for room and board in community residential settings.

Service	Unit	Average Monthly Cost
Cost of Providing Room and Board to a Client	Bed/Month	\$1,056

These costs were calculated using generally accepted accounting principles and current financial information. If you have questions, please direct them to Steve Freedman or Kim Smith at the Center for Health Information and Analysis at (617) 701-8100.

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