

APPENDIX K / ARPA RATE INCREASES FAQ

What are the important dates to remember?

Important Dates	Definition	Duration
Federal Medical Assistance Percentages (FMAP) Earning Dates	Time period in which states will receive a temporary 10% increase in federally matched funds to improve HCBS programs.	April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022
ARPA Rate Increase Dates	Time period in which providers can bill for services delivered at the new rate	July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2023
Adjusted Claims	Providers will be able to retroactively bill for all services (EXCEPT CD Services) by submitting adjusted claims	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Starts January 1, 2022 For services delivered after July 1, 2021
New Service Codes and Modifiers for ResHab Services Activated in INSPIRE	New ResHab Services will be available in INSPIRE identifying the TYPE OF HOME: Adult Foster Homes and Licensed Homes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Start Authorizing – January 1, 2022 Plan Years Starting April 2022

When correcting claims for retroactive billing, will providers need to send the original claim, or can providers resend a replacement claim using the same claim number for the claim that was previously paid?

Providers should resubmit their previously billed claims referencing the claim reference number (CRN) that was paid originally. The provider will then change the billed amount to include the new rate. This would void the original CRN and then create a new CRN with the increased payment amount.

Should providers submit all their corrected claims at one time?

Once the new rates go live, Conduent recommends only doing a few the first week so providers can get used to how it will appear on the remittance advice. When providers are comfortable with the remittance, DDD is encouraging all providers to submit as many claims as possible by March 31, 2022.

If participant's plan year begins March 2022 and the participant's ISP is in January 2022, do we authorize the new ResHab service that will be active in INSPIRE?

No, new ResHab Services will be authorized for plan years that begin on or after April 2022. New ResHab services will be authorized in March 2023.

For ResHab services, what new services will case managers see in INSPIRE?

The new ResHab services that will be in INSPIRE on January 1, 2021 are:

- For Certified Homes –
 - Residential Habilitation, Adult Foster Homes, Tier 1
 - Residential Habilitation, Adult Foster Homes, Tier 2
 - Residential Habilitation, Adult Foster Homes, Tier 3
- For Licensed Homes –
 - Residential Habilitation, Licensed Homes, Tier 1
 - Residential Habilitation, Licensed Homes, Tier 2
 - Residential Habilitation, Licensed Homes, Tier 3

