
WISCONSIN MEDICAID UPDATE

JUNE 17, 1997

UPDATE 97-19

TO:
Nursing Homes

Revised ICF Accommodation Codes

Revised accommodation codes

Effective for dates of service on and after July 1, 1997, Wisconsin Medicaid will revise accommodation codes for intermediate care facility (ICF) levels of care 2 and 3. The other ICF codes, and all other accommodation codes, remain the same. Providers must use these codes for dates of service on and after July 1, 1997. See the list on this page for the current and revised accommodation codes.

For current residents affected by these changes, we will send providers a copy of the PPOC control sheets (Request for Title XIX

Care Level Determination, Form DOH-2256). Wisconsin Medicaid will automatically change the codes for these residents.

For new residents, nursing homes must assign the proper codes.

Final nursing homes rates

The Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services will set separate ICF 1 and 2 rates and a combined ICF 3-4 rate. Regardless of when final nursing home rates are set, providers must start using the new accommodation codes for dates of service on and after July 1, 1997.

Accommodation Codes

| <u>Current Code Description</u> | <u>Current Code</u> | <u>Code Effective July 1, 1997</u> |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| ICF 1 (Intermediate) | 21 | 21 |
| ICF 2 (Limited) | 21 | 22 |
| ICF 3 (Personal) | 22 | 23 |
| ICF 4 (Residential) | 23 | 23 |
| ICF 1 Hospital Bedhold | 31 | 31 |
| ICF 2 Hospital Bedhold | 31 | 32 |
| ICF 3 Hospital Bedhold | 32 | 33 |
| ICF 4 Hospital Bedhold | 33 | 33 |
| ICF 1 Therapeutic Leave | 41 | 41 |
| ICF 2 Therapeutic Leave | 41 | 42 |
| ICF 3 Therapeutic Leave | 42 | 43 |
| ICF 4 Therapeutic Leave | 43 | 43 |

POH 1563