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## MEMORANDUM FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES STAFF AND STAKEHOLDERS

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FROM: Veronica Jameson, Bureau Chief

Bureau of Policy and Quality Enhancements

SUBJECT: FY 26 Cost Maximum Adjustment and Rate Change for SFCW and Home Delivered Meals

Effective July 1, 2025, the cost maximum for the average statewide monthly cost for care in a nursing facility will increase to \$5,262.08. The amount will increase to \$3,157.25 for participants who are restricted to the 60% of the monthly cost maximum.

The unit rates remain the same, with the exception of an increase for the Structured Family Caregiving Waiver (SFCW) and Home Delivered Meals (HDM).

The policies outlined below have been updated in the <u>HCBS Policy Manual</u> to reflect these changes.

>	3.00 Appendix 1	Home and Community Based Service Units and Rates	<ul> <li>Updates include:</li> <li>SFCW and HDM reimbursement rate</li> <li>Personal Care unit changes due to the cost maximum update</li> </ul>
	3.00 Appendix 2	Home and Community Based Cost Maximums	<ul> <li>Updates include:</li> <li>Increase to the 60% cost maximum and the 100% cost maximum</li> <li>Monthly units for Agency Model, RCF/ALF Basic Personal Care and Consumer Directed Services Personal Care Assistance</li> </ul>

Questions should be directed to the Bureau of Policy and Quality Enhancements via email at LTSS@health.mo.gov.

Unless otherwise noted, the policy revisions are effective upon receipt.

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