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1200-13-14	TennCare Standard
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1200-13-14-.05	Enrollee Cost Sharing

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**Chapter 1200-13-14
TennCare Standard**

Emergency Rule Subparagraph (b) of Paragraph (4) of Rule 1200-13-14-.05 Enrollee Cost Sharing is deleted in its entirety and replaced with Rulemaking Hearing Rule Subparagraph (b) which shall read as follows:

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Statutory Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 71-5-105 and 71-5-109.

I certify that this is an accurate and complete copy of rulemaking hearing rules, lawfully promulgated and adopted by the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration (board/commission/ other authority) on 09/23/2010 (mm/dd/yyyy), and is in compliance with the provisions of TCA 4-5-222.

I further certify the following:

Notice of Rulemaking Hearing filed with the Department of State on: 07/22/2010

Rulemaking Hearing(s) Conducted on: (add more dates). 09/15/2010

Date: 9/23/2010

Signature: D. J. Gordon

Name of Officer: Darin J. Gordon

Director, Bureau of TennCare

Title of Officer: Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration



Subscribed and sworn to before me on: 9/23/10

Notary Public Signature: Cheryl D Kline

My commission expires on: 9/31/2012

All rulemaking hearing rules provided for herein have been examined by the Attorney General and Reporter of the State of Tennessee and are approved as to legality pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Procedures Act, Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5.

Robert E. Cooper, Jr.
Attorney General and Reporter
10-19-10
Date

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Public Hearing Comments

One copy of a document containing responses to comments made at the public hearing must accompany the filing pursuant to T.C.A. §4-5-222. Agencies shall include only their responses to public hearing comments, which can be summarized. No letters of inquiry from parties questioning the rule will be accepted. When no comments are received at the public hearing, the agency need only draft a memorandum stating such and include it with the Rulemaking Hearing Rule filing. Minutes of the meeting will not be accepted. Transcripts are not acceptable.

There were no public comments on this rule.

Regulatory Flexibility Addendum

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 4-5-401 through 4-5-404, prior to initiating the rule making process as described in T.C.A. § 4-5-202(a)(3) and T.C.A. § 4-5-202(a), all agencies shall conduct a review of whether a proposed rule or rule affects small businesses.

(If applicable, insert Regulatory Flexibility Addendum here)

Not applicable.

Impact on Local Governments

Pursuant to T.C.A. 4-5-220 and 4-5-228 "any rule proposed to be promulgated shall state in a simple declarative sentence, without additional comments on the merits of the policy of the rules or regulation, whether the rule or regulation may have a projected impact on local governments." (See Public Chapter Number 1070 (<http://state.tn.us/sos/acts/106/pub/pc1070.pdf>) of the 2010 Session of the General Assembly)

The rule is not anticipated to have an impact on local governments.

Additional Information Required by Joint Government Operations Committee

All agencies, upon filing a rule, must also submit the following pursuant to TCA 4-5-226(i)(1).

- (A)** A brief summary of the rule and a description of all relevant changes in previous regulations effectuated by such rule;

The rule replaces an emergency rule that revises the TennCare copayment amounts to agree with copayments approved by CMS in amendments to the Tennessee Medicaid Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver.

- (B)** A citation to and brief description of any federal law or regulation or any state law or regulation mandating promulgation of such rule or establishing guidelines relevant thereto;

The rule is lawfully adopted by the Department of Finance and Administration to comply with CMS approved amendments to the Tennessee Medicaid Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver and in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated §§ 4-5-202, 71-5-105 and 71-5-109.

- (C)** Identification of persons, organizations, corporations or governmental entities most directly affected by this rule, and whether those persons, organizations, corporations or governmental entities urge adoption or rejection of this rule;

The persons and governmental entity most directly affected by this rule are the enrollees and the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration.

- (D)** Identification of any opinions of the attorney general and reporter or any judicial ruling that directly relates to the rule;

The rule was approved by the Tennessee Attorney General. No additional opinion was given or requested.

- (E)** An estimate of the probable increase or decrease in state and local government revenues and expenditures, if any, resulting from the promulgation of this rule, and assumptions and reasoning upon which the estimate is based. An agency shall not state that the fiscal impact is minimal if the fiscal impact is more than two percent (2%) of the agency's annual budget or five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), whichever is less;

The promulgation of this rule is anticipated to produce a minimal increase in TennCare expenditures. Thus, there would be a minimal increase in State expenditures.

- (F)** Identification of the appropriate agency representative or representatives, possessing substantial knowledge and understanding of the rule;

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- (G)** Identification of the appropriate agency representative or representatives who will explain the rule at a scheduled meeting of the committees;

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- (H)** Office address, telephone number, and email address of the agency representative or representatives who will explain the rule at a scheduled meeting of the committees; and

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(l) Any additional information relevant to the rule proposed for continuation that the committee requests.

None

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Emergency Rule

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