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APPENDIX

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**BILLING UNITS, SERVICE CODES, PAYMENT RATES, AND
BILLING MODIFIER CODES FOR WAIVER NURSING****Independent Provider Who is a Registered Nurse**

Billing Unit	Service Code	Payment Rate
Base rate (the amount paid for the first thirty-five to sixty minutes of service delivered)	T1002	\$56.26
Unit rate (the amount paid for each fifteen minutes of service delivered when the visit is greater than sixty minutes in length or less than or equal to thirty-four minutes in length)*	T1002	\$7.46

Independent Provider Who is a Licensed Practical Nurse Working at the Direction of a Registered Nurse

Billing Unit	Service Code	Payment Rate
Base rate (the amount paid for the first thirty-five to sixty minutes of service delivered)	T1003	\$48.00
Unit rate (the amount paid for each fifteen minutes of service delivered when the visit is greater than sixty minutes in length or less than or equal to thirty-four minutes in length)*	T1003	\$6.24

Employee of Agency Provider Who is a Registered Nurse

Billing Unit	Service Code	Payment Rate
Base rate (the amount paid for the first thirty-five to sixty minutes of service delivered)	T1002	\$68.44
Unit rate (the amount paid for each fifteen minutes of service delivered when the visit is greater than sixty minutes in length or less than or equal to thirty-four minutes in length)*	T1002	\$9.25

Employee of Agency Provider Who is a Licensed Practical Nurse Working at the Direction of a Registered Nurse

Billing Unit	Service Code	Payment Rate
Base rate (the amount paid for the first thirty-five to sixty minutes of service delivered)	T1003	\$58.72
Unit rate (the amount paid for each fifteen minutes of service delivered when the visit is greater than sixty minutes in length or less than or equal to thirty-four minutes in length)*	T1003	\$7.82

- * The provider will be paid a maximum of one unit if the service is equal to or less than fifteen minutes in length and a maximum of two units if the service is sixteen to thirty-four minutes in length.

Billing Modifier Codes

A provider will use the following billing modifier codes when applicable:

Billing Modifier Code	Description	Requirement
HQ	Group Visit	Used to indicate waiver nursing was provided during a group visit.
TU	Independent Provider Overtime - Entire Visit	Used to indicate the entire visit conducted by an independent provider is being billed as overtime.
UA	Independent Provider Overtime - Partial Visit	Used to indicate a portion of the visit conducted by an independent provider is being billed as overtime.
U2	Second Visit	Used to identify the second visit to provide waiver nursing to the same individual on the same date of service.
U3	Third Visit	Used to identify the third or subsequent visit to provide waiver nursing to the same individual on the same date of service.
U4	Visit Lasting 12 to 16 Hours	Used to indicate a visit that lasts more than twelve hours but does not exceed sixteen hours.