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1 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

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Session about shared living, 23 pending changes. I am super excited that everybody is here because I am excited to share with you. The simplicity.

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Of the new shared living design um, of course this is all pending we are still on hold for assurance of our new rate structure. Um, but.

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We didn't want to wait until after approval to introduce you to the changes because once we have approval that starts immediately. So we want to give you an idea of how those look how it's going to look what you can look for.

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Um, and just what to expect in the coming months as we're as we're waiting. So we'll go ahead and get started.

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So, do you have a little bit of agenda? Just it helps me keep track of, um, the subject matter and.

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Structure my thoughts and so we're going to talk a little bit at 1st, about urban versus rule and how we are handling that.

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We're going to look at the pending rate structure and how that operates in tears. How designs that what the daily rates are.

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We're going to demo the new rate determination form that you'll be using to decide what rates authorize and then we're going to talk about once we get approval. What does that look like? How are we going to implement that?

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Um, it's the future enhancement planning for shared living.

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00:01:30.780 --> 00:01:35.670

So, urban versus rule, our goal was to eliminate.

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The differential between urban versus rule, and we were successful at doing that in the waiver right methodology. So, once we have CMS approval, there will no longer be an urban versus rule distinction.

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For waiver authorizations now, there still is going to be an urban versus rural distinction for room and board methodology,

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but only until we can get the work group together and determine what those room and boards should be. Um, we can't just simply pick a number to change to. We need to have evidence of what's actually necessary.

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We need to think that through. So that's something we're going to be doing.

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If we can have a decision made before CMS gives us approval for the waiver rates, we'll be able to implement that at the same time. So stay tuned. We may be able to simplify the room on board again.

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However, when I show you the rate determination form, you're going to realize that it's super easy anyway and you're not gonna have to you're only gonna have to know 2 things about the person.

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To fill out the form and the forms going to do the rest of the work for, you.

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00:02:48.240 --> 00:02:52.440

So our pending rate structure is going to be a daily rate.

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And it's going to be 3 tiers.

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00:02:55.620 --> 00:03:00.780

Each tier is associated with 1 or more rate allocation scores.

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00:03:00.780 --> 00:03:05.430

So, it's going to be more similar to how we operate.

22 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:05.430 --> 00:03:09.360
Currently under and group home, a core daily rate.

23 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:09.360 --> 00:03:14.760
Based on the daily rate is all encompassing.

24 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:14.760 --> 00:03:22.080
It includes the hosting companion, costs your professional manager cost administration and relief hours.

25 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:22.080 --> 00:03:28.890
So it is 1 daily rate, just like services or a daily rate.

26 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:28.890 --> 00:03:38.820
The, the will still be authorized separate from in its own separate authorization. Like it is. Now, this is just the component.

27 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:38.820 --> 00:03:47.250
For the hosts or companion, the great thing about this is since it is a daily rate, that encompasses everything.

28 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:47.250 --> 00:03:52.020
Providers will no longer have to do variance reporting once this implements.

29 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:52.020 --> 00:03:58.860
So that means they'll be able to close out the last fiscal year and or fiscal year.

30 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:03:58.860 --> 00:04:03.420
22, and then once we have seen as approval.

31 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:04:03.715 --> 00:04:06.895
That will, they won't have to track and report variance.

32 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:04:07.105 --> 00:04:19.915
It is just a figure and allotment of that daily rate for the host and the administrative agency to determine what's really needed and how to use that funding.

33 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:04:20.250 --> 00:04:29.819

So, there won't be a minimum a maximum. It's it's this is what you have to meet the needs of the individual and you all figure out what that looks like.

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00:04:29.819 --> 00:04:40.829

The other really good thing about this new structure is we're going to be able to implement a default process for the like we do for initial placement into.

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00:04:41.124 --> 00:04:54.024

I sell services, so that's really great because I know it's been a struggle in the past. When we've had to someone is interested in shared living. They do not have a rate allocations score and you guys are beating.

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00:04:54.024 --> 00:04:59.034

The Bush is trying to go through the process of getting that before a budget can be designed.

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00:04:59.429 --> 00:05:10.589

That won't have to happen anymore. Once we have approval, it will operate like the group home that the person comes in as a default. And then.

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The request is made notified to the assessment team that you have a new person to placement, and roughly 3 months later, right? Allocation score will be administered through the mass.

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00:05:21.959 --> 00:05:36.569

And then we'll go back to date of implementation and and change the budget if necessary. So super nice we're getting everything. All of all of our residential rate structures are coming into line and are going to be consistent in practice and implementation.

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So these are, um, this is a breakdown of the new daily rates. So you can see in your, um, in the table here that we have.

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00:05:48.719 --> 00:05:51.899

The, um, the tier.

42 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:05:51.899 --> 00:05:57.329

And the bite here, and then subsequently, what daily rates.

43 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:05:57.329 --> 00:06:04.409
So, a tier 1 is going to equal an 1 a tier 2 is going to equal a 2 or 3.

44 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:04.409 --> 00:06:07.499
A tier 3 is going to equal a 4 or 5.

45 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:07.499 --> 00:06:10.559
And there was the daily rate that will be paid.

46 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:10.559 --> 00:06:15.419
I did not put the procedure codes there. Um.

47 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:15.419 --> 00:06:19.739
Intentionally, we're hoping that in the near future.

48 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:19.739 --> 00:06:29.099
A year from now, when connection is live, we're trying to design that so connection will code these tiers or these.

49 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:29.099 --> 00:06:35.879
Where you just have to select the code in the, and and the authorization creates itself like, you would for group homes.

50 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:35.879 --> 00:06:41.009
So, we're hoping to eventually not need a rate determination form is what I'm saying.

51 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:41.009 --> 00:06:45.779
But right now we do, which is still simpler than what we're having.

52 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:45.779 --> 00:06:49.499
In the future, determining the rates.

53 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:49.499 --> 00:06:56.009
Lots of simplification here providers are no longer going to submit budgets. Once CMS approves this.

54 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:56.009 --> 00:06:59.669
The support coordinator will use a rate determination form.

55 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:06:59.669 --> 00:07:05.999

And that form is going to tell them exactly what to authorize by entering 2 pieces of information.

56 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:06.444 --> 00:07:20.994

So that's going to be really simple so it's going to simplify and expedient authorizations by not having to process budgets from provider to support coordinator to their supervisor, et cetera, et cetera.

57 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:21.234 --> 00:07:23.154

So it's going to make it very simple.

58 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:23.429 --> 00:07:34.709

And we tried to formulate our rate determination for them to do all of the work for the support coordinator. So there shouldn't be any stressing about how it works. So, we're super excited about that.

59 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:34.709 --> 00:07:38.669

So, a couple of things like, um.

60 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:38.669 --> 00:07:42.359

Like, all of our other rates currently, um.

61 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:42.359 --> 00:07:49.499

We are under an f map maintenance of effort. Therefore no rates will be reduced.

62 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:49.499 --> 00:07:55.259

So, when we're using the rate determination for them, we have to look at the person's current daily rate.

63 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:07:55.259 --> 00:08:00.599

In Seymour, and if what is in Seymour is higher than the rate.

64 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:00.599 --> 00:08:07.619

Determined by the rate determination, form the current daily rate, and see more remains in place. And that's what you authorize.

65 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:07.619 --> 00:08:18.149

Okay, this also means because we have a standard rate determination form, and it's either the higher existing now or the rate determination form.

66 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:18.149 --> 00:08:24.119

There will be no individual waiver budget adjustments.

67 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:24.119 --> 00:08:29.159
So, it is what it is, and, um.

68 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:29.159 --> 00:08:37.919
You know, it's either that daily rate, or it's this rate determination form and that is the totality of the authorization.

69 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:37.919 --> 00:08:51.059
Someone asked just to pop into question. It's a good, good point in time for questions. Someone asked if the TCM in the past has as complete the budgets, we won't do that any longer. Correct?

70 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:08:51.059 --> 00:09:03.119
So, right now the shared living budget that exists is completed by the provider and signed by the provider. Once CMS approves our new rate structure. There is no budget for the provider to sign.

71 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:03.119 --> 00:09:10.499
It is simply it is simply determining what right needs authorized and since that's based on the rate allocation score.

72 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:10.499 --> 00:09:19.289
The provider doesn't need to generate anything the support portal, just pull up this little form and our 2 pieces of information and they'll know exactly what they need to do.

73 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:20.214 --> 00:09:35.214
Okay, so this is just a brief gives a preview of what that rate determination form looks like. And then I'm going to pull it up and I'm going to share it with you. But this is the basic format of what it looks like.

74 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:35.214 --> 00:09:36.594
And the only thing.

75 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:36.929 --> 00:09:48.149
The, the only thing that the support coordinator needs to know, and I guess I was wrong. There's 3 to 3 things they need to know they need to know is this person receiving hoster companion services.

76 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:48.149 --> 00:09:54.599
They need to know what the person's rate allocation for and they need to know whether it's urban versus rule.

77 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:09:54.599 --> 00:10:04.109
Right for the room report so 33 pieces of information that's the same too. So I'm going to pull up the rate determination for them and I'm going to show you just.

78 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:04.109 --> 00:10:07.889
How easy it's going to be hi.

79 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:08.909 --> 00:10:15.389
So, we are getting ready to do an ISP. We're going to pull up this form and we're going to go.

80 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:15.389 --> 00:10:20.549
This person is host is it urban or is it rule.

81 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:20.549 --> 00:10:27.539
Or is it companion urban and rule so, for the sake of this example, we're gonna say hosts.

82 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:27.539 --> 00:10:31.559
Urban notice it populated a room and board them out.

83 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:31.559 --> 00:10:35.459
So, it's a Pre populated that's all they got to do.

84 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:35.459 --> 00:10:41.369
Then they go, what's the person's rate? Allocation score and we're going to say that person is an.

85 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:41.369 --> 00:10:47.369
And it's going to populate what that monthly rate should be authorized as.

86 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:49.229 --> 00:10:52.709
So, we put some little hope some little notes down here.

87 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:10:52.709 --> 00:11:02.184
Um, other would be something I mean, you don't have to fill it in, because no one's gonna turn in this form. Um, the support team might want to keep it with the person's ISP.

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00:11:02.184 --> 00:11:15.954

So they remember why, or how they authorized that, but no one's turning it in for someone else's signature. But why would we use other? We would use other if the current monthly rate reflected in Seymour is higher than this rate.

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00:11:16.289 --> 00:11:24.959

Okay, a reminder that the minimum of 60 units per year must be authorized to the R. N code and the code to use.

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00:11:24.959 --> 00:11:33.839

And hosting companion, transportation is included in the rate, and not authorized in addition to the shared living code.

91 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:11:33.839 --> 00:11:41.219

Wanted if you click on this hoster companion, like Wanda, I can't remember what it.

92 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:11:41.219 --> 00:11:44.729

What urban versus rule is, if you click on the heading.

93 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:11:44.729 --> 00:11:57.749

I've got it written in in there, so urban or just these counties indicated here. So you don't have to go and refer to a manual. You don't have to go somewhere else to look. It's all in here.

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00:11:57.749 --> 00:12:03.419

The note for most recent CIS or mass, whichever is higher.

95 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:12:03.419 --> 00:12:08.819

Um, so just little little tidbits, hidden notes there. If you remember those are there.

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00:12:10.199 --> 00:12:14.069

It's a, There'll be no, 2nd guessing a form tells you.

97 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:12:14.069 --> 00:12:22.679

So, I'm going to click on those boxes and delete them and I can pick something else. And let's pick, um, that it's a rule.

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00:12:22.679 --> 00:12:28.439

And that there are 5 rule room and board pops up.

99 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:12:28.439 --> 00:12:32.249
And so does the waiver authorization.

100 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:12:32.249 --> 00:12:41.939
Notice that the codes, the waiver codes are in here so it clarifies and people don't get confused about which, which 1 has the modifier which 1 does it.

101 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:12:41.939 --> 00:12:46.229
So, hopefully this will provide a lot of clarity for people. Um.

102 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:12:46.229 --> 00:12:51.269
And help them really get that a little more succinctly and quickly.

103 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:12:51.269 --> 00:13:01.649
And then, even though shared loving is based on a, is authorized as a monthly rate, it's based on a daily. So we broke this down here.

104 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:02.819 --> 00:13:11.879
Um, and someone asks will be completing the rate determination provider or support coordinator. It's the support coordinator. There's no budget.

105 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:11.879 --> 00:13:21.929
There's no budget anymore. It's just like, when you do group home, a support coordinator goes into Seymour and they select.

106 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:21.929 --> 00:13:26.789
The group home code t20163.

107 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:26.789 --> 00:13:34.979
Right so the is deciding what code to use the provider's not giving them a budget.

108 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:34.979 --> 00:13:42.269
So that this is the same concept they fill out 2 pieces of information. It tells them what code and what amount to authorize.

109 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:43.319 --> 00:13:48.209
Um, so someone asked if we could demonstrate other others.

110 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:48.209 --> 00:13:54.779
Other again, if you go in to see more and that person is.

111 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:54.779 --> 00:13:58.169
And that person is.

112 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:13:58.169 --> 00:14:03.899
The room board is above, you can simply just type in the number.

113 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:03.899 --> 00:14:14.879
To remind yourself what you're supposed to be entering same with other.
If if their current Seymour authorization for host is more than this.

114 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:14.879 --> 00:14:25.919
You just go in here and it's for you. This is for your your note, the
support president so they know oh, their current authorization is more.
Um.

115 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:25.919 --> 00:14:31.949
And so, and, you know, I could change that other 2 current authorization.

116 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:31.949 --> 00:14:39.179
Um, it's other under room and board because it's current authorization
and, um.

117 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:39.179 --> 00:14:43.859
Some of them may be itemized, so that's why the other is there.

118 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:43.859 --> 00:14:55.559
Um, so, let me see, so someone asked a question about provider awareness
of new rates and going to cover that here in a little bit.

119 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:14:55.559 --> 00:15:04.229
Someone asked, how is this going to cover the rent for homes? And the
landlords for our homes are all different um.

120 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:15:04.229 --> 00:15:07.679
So, shared living has standard room and board rates.

121 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:15:07.679 --> 00:15:11.999
Post home, the person lives with their hosted is the host's home.

122 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:15:11.999 --> 00:15:24.359

So, it's the host responsibility to manage those funds and pay that rent in that room and board and all of those kinds of things that are necessary. So, it's not intended.

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00:15:24.359 --> 00:15:31.559

To be a, it's not intended to be an itemized line item for room and board.

124 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:15:32.609 --> 00:15:42.684

It's intended to be a flat rate for room board. So that's what we'll be taking back to the, um, work group is what does that ruined board right?

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00:15:42.684 --> 00:15:51.264

Mean need to be so we'll probably be asking some people for some analysis of what they're currently paying. So, we can show what those rates need to be.

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00:15:51.599 --> 00:16:00.869

Because we don't believe there needs to be a difference between urban versus rural, but maybe there does, depending on what the data actually shows us.

127 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:00.869 --> 00:16:11.069

Someone asked what procedure do we follow for a child's specific contract individual this budget does not.

128 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:11.069 --> 00:16:14.639

Does not dictate what children's division follows.

129 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:14.639 --> 00:16:21.479

We didn't design this budget for children's division. We designed the budget for waiver service recipients.

130 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:21.479 --> 00:16:27.509

So understanding that child's specific contracts do not have a rate allocations scores.

131 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:27.509 --> 00:16:36.869

You know, that that's really for you to work through with children's division, and they may need to come up with their own format or interpretation of what this means.

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00:16:39.029 --> 00:16:49.049

I, when a person living and share living, host home or group home settings.

133 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:49.049 --> 00:16:52.499

Has these that cannot be met within the current rate structure.

134 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:52.499 --> 00:16:57.659

Will they be required to move and receive services?

135 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:16:57.659 --> 00:17:10.769

Shared living is, this is what it is this is the construct of the daily rates so if the person can't be supported within the daily rate, identified for shared living, then they need to examine other services.

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00:17:10.769 --> 00:17:15.749

What that is what combination that is, could be a wide variety of things.

137 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:17:15.749 --> 00:17:24.749

But that, yes, if shared living doesn't work for them, if the budget construct doesn't work for them, they do need to evaluate other methods.

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00:17:25.889 --> 00:17:31.529

In our individual agreements will follow the same budgetary process.

139 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:17:31.529 --> 00:17:43.919

Um, eventually the mosque is supposed to because an individual agreement is someone who receives waiver that's how they get an individual agreement. So they do follow the same methodology.

140 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:17:43.919 --> 00:17:47.909

The mass is intended.

141 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:17:47.909 --> 00:17:53.009

To eventually reach all service recipients, regardless of age.

142 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:17:53.009 --> 00:17:59.369

So, eventually we will be able to assess those children for a rate allocation score.

143 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:18:01.014 --> 00:18:11.424

And to what we've been doing currently is they've been a default 1 if they didn't have a rate allocations for, in the old format, we use the violent violence.

144 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:11.454 --> 00:18:17.034
The new format doesn't have actually the existing format we're using now doesn't use a violent.

145 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:17.399 --> 00:18:26.759
Either so, yes, we will disseminate a copy of the redetermination form. We'll actually posted online.

146 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:26.759 --> 00:18:31.739
So, you can access it anytime you need to just like the budget.

147 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:31.739 --> 00:18:44.219
And staffing pattern, the someone asked what about getting mileage approved for the release staff the shared living budget and compasses transportation.

148 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:44.219 --> 00:18:48.929
That daily rating compasses the transportation for the host the release staff.

149 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:48.929 --> 00:18:52.979
That's what they have to work with. So that is between the administering agent.

150 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:52.979 --> 00:18:56.309
And the host or release staff, whichever way.

151 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:18:57.779 --> 00:19:02.789
Um, well, the daily rate, the, what is.

152 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:19:02.789 --> 00:19:14.309
Paid to host home provider, or split with the placement contract provider. So, the, that again is a discussion between the administering agent and their host home.

153 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:19:15.084 --> 00:19:21.264
This includes administrative costs this daily rate includes administrative costs and professional manager.

154 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:19:21.624 --> 00:19:32.124

So most assuredly if the administering agency passes, every single dollar onto the admin, the host home, they're not going to be able to afford to pay their professional manager.

155 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:19:32.489 --> 00:19:37.619

So, assumedly, some of this would remain with the administration agents.

156 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:19:37.619 --> 00:19:41.159

But how much is up to the contractor and their hosts.

157 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:19:42.719 --> 00:19:48.839

Um, how will rates be reflective of people going or not going to do program.

158 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:19:48.839 --> 00:20:00.719

Those are, those are already kind of figured into the tiers, 12 and 3. there was a determined number of hours of support for each of those levels. So.

159 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:00.719 --> 00:20:07.259

This is the daily rate, depending on their, and they can still go to day program if that's appropriate for them.

160 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:08.369 --> 00:20:12.329

Well, community specialists are in a mileage, be separate requests.

161 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:12.329 --> 00:20:20.879

Community specialists, and our in our separate mileage for the post home companion relief are built into this daily rate.

162 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:24.659 --> 00:20:34.799

Our urban host receive a room and board some negotiated by the team client Guardian will this system enable those with currently higher room and board songs to continue to receive those sums?

163 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:34.799 --> 00:20:39.419

Yes, so if their current monthly rate.

164 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:39.419 --> 00:20:48.749

For room and board, or the shared living code is higher than this form generates they can continue to receive that.

165 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:48.749 --> 00:20:54.359

And that's something we're trying to address, um, with our work group.
reconvening.

166 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:20:54.359 --> 00:21:01.619

To look at what those should be, because there is a number of issues with
individualizing room and board.

167 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:01.619 --> 00:21:08.669

And having fluctuating rates, so we want to kind of get together and come
up with a plan.

168 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:08.669 --> 00:21:17.159

To, um, to address those. Okay, so I'm going to you guys are probably a
good questions.

169 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:17.159 --> 00:21:27.989

Glad I did my homework. Okay. So let me pop back up. And when we get
through this, we can come back and look at any of these slides. If we, if
we have time.

170 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:27.989 --> 00:21:33.149

All right, so, because this is slide 8 of 11.

171 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:33.149 --> 00:21:41.699

So process for 7122ratesonce, we have CMS approval.

172 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:41.699 --> 00:21:44.999

We will go back to 7, 122.

173 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:44.999 --> 00:21:51.029

And we will rebuild them. So how do you're probably thinking, how do we
know what that looks like?

174 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:51.029 --> 00:21:56.549

And we already have a spreadsheet that shows everyone living in, um.

175 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:21:56.549 --> 00:22:00.599

It receiving shared living services and what they're already is.

176 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:22:00.599 --> 00:22:07.739

And whether the amount that would be generated by the rate, determination
form is higher than the current amount or not.

177 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:07.739 --> 00:22:11.489
And so that will be uploaded to see more.

178 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:11.489 --> 00:22:21.719
And again, I know I've said it before a couple times, but it stands just to just to reiterate that if the current daily rate is higher, they get to keep the current daily rate.

179 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:21.719 --> 00:22:30.839
And 2 instances where it could change and go up, would be the person gets a new rate allocation score that increases the budget.

180 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:30.839 --> 00:22:35.519
Because it's going to follow the same processes as and group home, right?

181 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:35.519 --> 00:22:42.239
So, if they get a new and it increases that rate contamination form, then their authorization get increased.

182 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:42.239 --> 00:22:48.419
When we're at the end of the maintenance of effort for the enhanced f map.

183 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:48.419 --> 00:22:53.579
Then the rates may be adjusted in accordance with standardization.

184 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:55.139 --> 00:22:59.129
So, after that information gets into Seymour.

185 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:22:59.129 --> 00:23:03.989
Pr will send a list to each provider of who their people are.

186 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:23:03.989 --> 00:23:14.369
And what the rates are, so the provider can verify, because sometimes our, our reports won't pull in if say, a person doesn't have an active authorization. It won't pull when that person.

187 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:23:14.369 --> 00:23:24.659
So, there might be people missing, so we will send the list out and we'll work with the business office and the provider to get anyone who was missed or anyone who could be an error.

188 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:23:24.659 --> 00:23:29.579

Um, didn't translate correctly from the report to see more to get those fixed.

189 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:23:31.739 --> 00:23:43.709

Um, future enhancement planning, so we are just to give you a little preview we are working on a modifier for the shared living our end oversight.

190 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:23:43.709 --> 00:23:47.639

And we plan to match that rate with and group home oversight.

191 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:23:47.639 --> 00:23:57.479

Um, so that's something that's in progress that we're looking into until then it remains under, which is going to increase the 2029 for 15 minute unit.

192 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:23:57.479 --> 00:24:05.999

When CMS approves, so just give me a little tidbit because I know there's a lot of confusion over. Why aren't they the same why aren't they the same, right? It's something that we're working on.

193 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:05.999 --> 00:24:11.069

I mentioned earlier that in connection, we hope to have billing codes specific.

194 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:11.069 --> 00:24:14.939

For each, so you just go in and pick post.

195 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:14.939 --> 00:24:20.519

1, and it generates it, and at that point, we won't need a rate determination form.

196 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:20.519 --> 00:24:25.169

So that's going to be super cool. Um.

197 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:25.169 --> 00:24:36.599

And this is not new, I just wanted to remind because this has come up in a couple of conversations here recently that if a shared living provider wants to do out of home respite.

198 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:36.599 --> 00:24:43.349

In a vacant postpone or really home they do 1st need to get certified.

199 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:43.349 --> 00:24:46.799

For out of home respite prior to actually billing it.

200 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:46.799 --> 00:24:51.569

There's been some confusion around that, but out of home respite is now a certified service.

201 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:51.569 --> 00:24:56.369

So they have to get that certification before they can start doing respite.

202 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:24:56.369 --> 00:25:02.219

To non residential individuals in their vacant hosts or relief.

203 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:02.219 --> 00:25:12.899

And to clarify vacant means that host cannot have any authorizations for host home services in order to provide respite in their home.

204 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:12.899 --> 00:25:17.969

There's just been a little bit of confusion around that. So I just wanted to provide a reminder.

205 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:17.969 --> 00:25:21.179

I did have 1 more question pop up.

206 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:21.179 --> 00:25:26.189

Said how our relief hours determined is it up to the provider and included in the right.

207 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:26.189 --> 00:25:34.619

Yes, it is included in the rate and it is up to the provider and they're postponed to work through what are the necessary supports that that person needs.

208 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:34.619 --> 00:25:41.909

And again, because it's included in that, right? The variance process will no longer be applicable.

209 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:43.769 --> 00:25:48.659

Just a few other reminders, um, that.

210 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:48.659 --> 00:25:51.869

This is the 1st of 3.

211 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:25:51.869 --> 00:26:00.389

We thought these at different points in the month, and at different times to try to get maximum participation because we have so many people.

212 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:00.389 --> 00:26:05.879

Utilizing share of living services, we want everyone to be able to get it into their schedule.

213 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:05.879 --> 00:26:10.109

So, the next train is August 19th at 9. am.

214 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:10.109 --> 00:26:13.589

And then we have in August 24th at 10 am.

215 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:13.589 --> 00:26:23.609

And we do have a provider meeting on August 18th, and I will do a really brief overview, but we'll not be doing the full training just some highlights.

216 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:23.609 --> 00:26:31.649

Someone else submitted a question how will that go along with the Department of labor and the overtime threshold?

217 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:31.649 --> 00:26:36.419

The daily rate that we are providing is the new current contracted rate.

218 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:36.419 --> 00:26:43.019

It is up to the provider to design a service that fits within the contracted rate that we're willing to fund.

219 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:43.019 --> 00:26:50.759

So we will no longer be individually evaluating shared living budgets. It is either the rate determination form.

220 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:26:50.759 --> 00:26:54.749

Or the current daily rate, whichever is higher.

221 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:27:00.179 --> 00:27:06.239

Uh, someone asked if I could do a rate allocation of.

222 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:27:06.239 --> 00:27:09.599
2, um.

223 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:09.599 --> 00:27:14.189
So, assuming that's for a host, it would look like.

224 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:14.189 --> 00:27:24.599
Yeah.

225 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:25.649 --> 00:27:29.549
I think I answered the question.

226 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:29.549 --> 00:27:37.079
Hopefully, I answer the question. Someone asks to get about relief hours determined and I think I've responded that a couple of times.

227 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:37.079 --> 00:27:45.029
Um, so, um.

228 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:46.649 --> 00:27:51.629
So, anyway, so that is what I have to share with, you.

229 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:51.629 --> 00:27:58.529
I know that was a quick rundown, but really that rate determination form simplifies so many things.

230 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:27:58.734 --> 00:28:13.164
So we're super excited, you guys have lots of excellent questions and I, thank you for that based on that, and anticipating that, perhaps I will get just as many, I might expand the time for the next 2 by another 15 minutes,

231 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:28:13.194 --> 00:28:16.344
just in case there wasn't enough time, however.

232 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:28:16.679 --> 00:28:21.599
If you still have questions and you don't have the availability.

233 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:28:21.599 --> 00:28:24.719
To email them right now.

234 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)
00:28:24.719 --> 00:28:34.049

You can send those to me at Wanda dot Crocker at the dot Mo dot. Gov. And I will get them added to the Q and a.

235 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:28:34.049 --> 00:28:39.899

And 1, last question, if prior budget hire, how do we submit.

236 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:28:39.899 --> 00:28:46.139

You do not have to you do not have to submit the support query will simply authorize.

237 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:28:46.139 --> 00:28:50.729

What's in either the higher or the right determination form?

238 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:28:50.729 --> 00:28:58.379

So, um, and if you go back through the PowerPoint.

239 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:28:58.379 --> 00:29:03.119

Um, there will instead of what makes up each tier.

240 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:03.119 --> 00:29:09.839

I'm not sure what that means by what makes up, but the associated with each tier.

241 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:09.839 --> 00:29:13.679

Is indicated here okay.

242 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:13.679 --> 00:29:17.249

And we are hoping.

243 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:17.249 --> 00:29:21.899

We're praying that we have approval by the end of September.

244 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:21.899 --> 00:29:26.999

But but CMS is dealing with a lot of amendments right now.

245 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:26.999 --> 00:29:33.539

All the states with enhanced f, map are requesting amendments to their waivers and so they are very stacked.

246 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:33.539 --> 00:29:41.129

And so we're praying, we're working our information is all submitted and we're just waiting to be able to work through them.

247 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:42.449 --> 00:29:50.579

All right, and Lauren, I saw your question, and I'll answer that in the Q and a. okay so I don't have to leave everyone on.

248 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:50.579 --> 00:29:59.549

But thank you so much for all of your questions, thank you for listening and think your questions help us think about ways to do things.

249 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:29:59.549 --> 00:30:09.089

Or things that we've not made clear so, um, hopefully that he will hopefully everyone will like this much simpler process with shared living.

250 "Wanda Crocker" (1750346752)

00:30:09.089 --> 00:30:21.024

Then our current budget structure, so we'll continue to look for enhancements and all ideas are welcome. So thank you so much for attending. And I hope you have a great rest of your day.