

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets omitted material is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 439.150 and 439.200.

A REGULATION relating to health; revising the fees to be charged for early intervention services for infants and toddlers with disabilities provided by the Bureau of Early Intervention Services of the Health Division of the Department of Health and Human Services; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 442.210 is hereby amended to read as follows:

442.210 1. The State Board of Health ~~establishes the following fees to be charged and collected for services performed in the special children's clinics of the Bureau of Family Health Services of the Health Division:~~

| CODE | SERVICE | FEE |
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| 90825 | Projective testing (1 hour) | —\$89.00 |
| 90830 | Psychometric testing (1 hour) | —89.00 |
| | Psychotherapy, verbal or play therapy, or both, behavior modification | |
| 90844 | (45-50 minutes) | —89.00 |
| 90853 | Group therapy for eight persons or less, per person per hour | —22.00 |
| 99205 | Initial medical history and comprehensive physical examination (60 | —109.00 |

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| | minutes) | |
| 92204 | Intermediate service for a new patient (45 minutes) | 88.00 |
| 92506 | Evaluation of speech and language (30 minutes) | 40.00 |
| 92507 | Speech or language therapy, or both, for one person (30 minutes) | 22.00 |
| 92508 | Group therapy per person (30 minutes) | 7.00 |
| 92551 | Audiometry (basic screening, pure tone, air) | 17.00 |
| 92552 | Testing for pure tone threshold (air only) | 27.00 |
| 92553 | Testing for pure tone threshold (air and bone) | 33.00 |
| 92555 | Testing for speech threshold | 17.00 |
| 92556 | Testing for speech threshold and discrimination | 33.00 |
| 92557 | Basic comprehensive audiometry | 67.00 |
| 92567 | Testing for impedance | 30.00 |
| 92582 | Conditioned play audiometry | 27.00 |
| 92590 | Hearing aid examination and selection; monaural | 25.00 |
| 92591 | Hearing aid examination and selection; binaural | 30.00 |
| 92592 | Hearing aid check; monaural | 10.00 |
| 92593 | Hearing aid check; binaural | 15.00 |
| 92594 | Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid: monaural | 15.00 |
| 92595 | Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid: binaural | 20.00 |
| 92599 | Unlisted otorhinolaryngological screening | 75.00 |
| 92599 | Unlisted otorhinolaryngological diagnostic | 125.00 |

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| | Physical therapy—activities to increase physical coordination, | |
| 97110 | strength or range of motion or a combination (30 minutes)— | —28.00 |
| 97145 | Additional 15 minutes under 97110- | —14.00 |
| 97520 | Orthotics training (30 minutes)— | —33.00 |
| 97530 | Kinetic activities (30 minutes)— | —41.00 |
| 97540 | Activities of daily living evaluation (30 minutes)— | —33.00 |
| 97541 | Additional 15 minutes under 97540- | —11.00 |
| 97700 | Orthotic evaluation test of measurement (30 minutes)- | —50.00 |
| 97701 | Additional 15 minutes under 97700- | —17.00 |
| 97720 | Physical therapy extremity testing (30 minutes)- | —41.00 |
| 97721 | Additional 15 minutes under 97720- | —20.00 |
| | Unlisted special service or report—rehabilitative therapy—individual | |
| 99199 | (60 minutes)— | —94.00 |
| | Unlisted special service or report—rehabilitative therapy—group— | |
| 99199 | group rate, per person, per hour— | —25.00 |
| 99213 | Office visit (15 minutes)— | —36.00 |
| 99215 | Comprehensive reexamination (40 minutes)- | —58.00 |
| 99241 | Weight check, nutrition (15 minutes)— | —44.00 |
| 99242 | Nutrition follow up after initial visit (30 minutes)— | —69.00 |
| 99243 | Extended nutrition follow-up (40 minutes)— | —89.00 |
| 99244 | Nutrition evaluation (60 minutes)— | —124.00 |

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| 99362 | Diagnostic team conference with physician, speech therapist, psychologist and social worker (45 minutes) | —235.00 |
| 99499 | Medical case management (30 minutes) | —72.00 |
| E02006 | Rehabilitative therapy—individual (60 minutes) | —62.50 |
| E02007 | Group therapy for six persons or less, per person, per hour | —16.50 |
| X09028 | Case management (60 minutes) | —62.50 |

~~2.—The codes and the descriptions of the services set forth in subsection 1 are from Physicians’ Current Procedural Terminology, 1992 edition, which is published by the American Medical Association and which is hereby adopted by reference. A copy of this publication may be obtained from Book and Pamphlet Fulfillment: OP-361/6, American Medical Association, P.O. Box 10950, Chicago, Illinois 60610-0946, for the price of \$38.~~

~~3.—Unless specifically prohibited by federal law, the Bureau of Family Health Services shall require the parents of a child who receives services performed in a special children’s clinic to pay a portion of the cost of the services received, if the parents’ adjusted gross annual income exceeds 200 percent of the level of poverty designated by the United States Department of Health and Human Services for a family the size of the child’s family. For each \$100 or portion thereof that the parents’ monthly income exceeds that threshold, the parents shall contribute an amount equal to 10 percent of the cost set forth in subsection 1 for each service performed in the special children’s clinic. The cost so paid by the parents may not exceed 100 percent of the cost set forth in subsection 1.~~

~~—4. For the purposes of subsection 3:~~

~~—(a) The parents’ “adjusted gross annual income” is equal to their gross annual income minus all medical expenses for the calendar year; and~~

~~—(b) The “monthly income” of the parents is equal to the adjusted gross annual income divided by 12.]~~ *will charge and collect fees for early intervention services provided to an infant or toddler with a disability by the Bureau of Early Intervention Services of the Health Division of the Department of Health and Human Services. The fees must be based upon and not exceed the actual cost to the Health Division to provide such services.*

2. The State Board of Health will maintain a copy of the current schedule of fees at each location in which services are provided by the Bureau of Early Intervention Services. A copy of the schedule of fees may be obtained, free of charge, from the Bureau of Early Intervention Services at the Internet address <<http://health2k.state.nv.us/BEIS/>>, by mail at 3427 Goni Road, Suite 108, Carson City, Nevada 89706, or by telephone at (775) 684-3460.

3. The Bureau may develop a sliding schedule of fees for families that receive early intervention services to pay a percentage of the full fee based on the size and income of the family as set forth in the federal guidelines of poverty established by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.

4. As used in this section:

(a) “Early intervention services” has the meaning ascribed to it in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1432(4); and

(b) “Infant or toddler with a disability” has the meaning ascribed to it in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1432(5).