

Administrator Alert

*Policy updates & rule clarifications for Assisted Living,
Residential Care & Nursing Facilities*

Office of Licensing & Quality — Oregon Department of Human Services

January 6, 2009

EXPEDITED MEDICAID PAYMENT – DECEMBER 2008

Dear Administrator,

The Department of Human Services (DHS) has made a decision to offer an expedited payment to nursing facilities for December 2008 dates of service.

In order to receive an expedited payment for December 2008, you must have an authorized facility representative complete the attached request form and submit it to DHS. The amount of the expedited payment will be calculated using one of the following methods:

1. The estimated payment will be based on the amount you received in October 2008, or
2. If you have had an increase or decrease in census or expenses since October 2008, you can fill in the amount you want to request from DHS.

Note: You must submit claims for the December 2008 dates of service. DHS will recoup the amount of the expedited payment from subsequent claims submit and paid in the replacement MMIS.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact Terry Layman at (503) 945-6501 or Dave Allm at (503) 945-6407.



For more information, contact the DHS Office of Licensing and Quality of Care, 1-800-232-3020. Visit the DHS Web site at www.oregon.gov/DHS/