



February 14, 2025

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TO: REGIONAL CENTER EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: NEW FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES RATES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025

This letter provides updated Financial Management Services (FMS) rates for Participant-Directed Services, effective January 1, 2025. Previously, the FMS rates for Fiscal Employer Agent (FEA), Service Code 490, had separate per-individual monthly rates based on receiving one, two, three, four or more Participant-Directed Services. Effective January 1, 2025, there no longer are separate rates based on the number of Participant-Directed Services received per individual. FMS rates for Sole/Co-Employer, Service Code 491 will continue to be billed per individual per month, at the new higher rate below.

The new FMS rates for Participant-Directed Services are:

- Effective January 1, 2025, the rate for FMS, FEA Service Code 490 is **\$160** per individual per month.
- Effective January 1, 2025, the rate for FMS, Sole/Co-Employer Service Code 491 is **\$265 per individual per month**.

These rate increases do not apply to FMS services supporting the Self-Determination Program, which are available <u>here</u>. If you have any questions, please direct them to <u>ratesquestions@dds.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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