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# Memo

**To:** Debbie Duespohl, UMR  
**From:** Charlotte Stover, Director of Operations  
**Date:** December 19, 2019  
**Re:** Air Ambulance Rates

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Effective 1/1/2020, the PEIA's reimbursement for medically necessary Air Ambulance transportation will be the rates below.

Air ambulance, one way, fixed wing transport	A0430	\$4,384.25
Air ambulance, one way, rotary wing transport	A0431	\$5097.35
Fixed wing air mileage	A0435	\$13.40
Rotary wing air mileage	A0436	\$35.75

The \$75 per crew member will NOT be allowed with these new rates.

This reimbursement rate will apply to Air Ambulance transportation both in West Virginia and outside the state, with the exception of United Health Care (UHC) contracted providers, outside of West Virginia. The UHC rates will be allowed for these providers. The maximum payment per occurrence will not exceed \$25,000.

cc: Ted Cheatham, PEIA, Jason Haught, PEIA, Scott Senalik, UMR, Stacy Shamblin, CHIP