



## **Division of Specialized Care for Children**

December 4, 2023

Dear Nursing Agency,

Thank you for your continued service to those enrolled with DSCC's Home Care Program that is operated on behalf of the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS).

The Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services is in the process of implementing a rate increase that will impact DSCC Home Care participants with a goal of implementing these new rates by January 1, 2024.

There are several factors that must be considered while preparing to implement these rate increases. HFS will be updating 2352s for DSCC Home Care participants to reflect the new rates. The updated 2352s will be coming in batches and will be sent to the nursing agencies as they have been entered into the DSCC system.

DSCC is working quickly to be prepared to issue payments to nursing agencies with the updated rates. Please be patient with our team as we are working to make these changes. DSCC will share more information about these rate increases as we have it available.

We thank you for your continued service to the participants that we jointly serve. If you have any questions, please contact your DSCC nursing agency liaison or DSCC claims department contact.

Thank you,

The DSCC Team