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Marie Zimmerman, State Medicaid Director  
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Dear Ms. Zimmerman:

Enclosed for your records is an approved copy of the following State Plan Amendment:

Transmittal #16-0003      --Clarifies the maximum amount to be paid for Medicare Part B coinsurance and deductibles for services provided by rural health clinics and federally qualified health centers.

--Effective Date: January 1, 2016

If you have any additional questions, please have a member of your staff contact Sandra Porter at (312) 353-8310 or via e-mail at [Sandra.Porter@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:Sandra.Porter@cms.hhs.gov).

Sincerely,

/s/

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Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosures

cc:      Ann Berg, MDHS  
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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: MINNESOTA

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES -  
OTHER TYPES OF CARE

Payment of Medicare Part A and Part B Deductible/Coinsurance

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**Item A. Nursing Facility Payment, Part A Coinsurance**

Medicaid payment is the lesser of the actual coinsurance amount or the amount by which the Medicaid State plan case mix payment rate exceeds the Medicare rate less the coinsurance amount.

**Item B. Part B Coinsurance and Deductibles**

Medicaid Payment is the Medicare allowed amount for the following services:

- Mental health services, except for psychiatrist services and advanced practice nurse services.
- Dialysis for end stage renal disease.
- Durable medical equipment subject to the Medicare Durable Medical Equipment Prosthetics/Orthotics and Supplies (DMEPOS) competitive bidding program.
- Services provided by a federally qualified health center or a rural health clinic.

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