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**Subject:** FW: Medicaid Transportation Rates Memorandum

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## **Medicaid Contacts:**

Please see the email below that contains information sent to ESE and Student Services Directors, as well as Transportation Directors and Finance Officers in each district.

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FYI!

From: "Verra-Tirado, Monica" < Monica. Verra-Tirado@fldoe.org>

Date: Friday, August 17, 2018 at 5:20 PM

**Subject:** Medicaid Transportation Rates Memorandum

Dear Colleagues,

The Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA), Florida's state Medicaid agency, reimburses school districts for daily district transportation provided to Medicaid-eligible students who have the need for certain types of transportation referenced on their individual educational plans. Transportation services are reimbursed on a one- way trip basis when a Medicaid-covered service is received by the student in school.

District-specific transportation trip rates were promulgated by the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) and approved by AHCA in the 1990s. Those rates exist today for each district, unless the district has submitted necessary documentation to AHCA to increase its rates.

AHCA developed a transportation trip-rate calculation guide and accompanying worksheet to assist districts in determining if their rates can be increased. These documents can befound at <a href="http://sss.usf.edu/resources/topic/medicaid/index.html">http://sss.usf.edu/resources/topic/medicaid/index.html</a>. You are encouraged to use the guide to examine your district's current rate and determine if it can be increased.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, contact Anne Glass, Medicaid consultant, Student Support Services, FDOE, at <a href="mailto:Anne.Glass@fldoe.org">Anne.Glass@fldoe.org</a> or 850-245-7838. If you have questions about the calculations, the AHCA contact's information can be found within the calculation guide.

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