Hospice providers will be eligible to receive 95% of the private room add-on rate for Medicaid residents enrolled in Hospice who are receiving services in an approved NF private room.  ODM will reimburse private room add-on incentive payments for NF Medicaid residents enrolled in Hospice, through the Hospice Room and Board claim.  The FFS process for receiving the add-on payments will mirror the process currently used for Hospice members receiving ventilator services in an approved NF.

The Private Room add-on payment will be available to the Hospice provider of record at 95% of the following private room daily rates in addition to the routine room and board reimbursement:

* Category 1 private rooms: $30 per day
* Category 2 private rooms: $20 per day

For fee-for-service (FFS) members, Hospice providers should follow these steps to receive the NF private room add-on payment:

1. Bill the claim as usual for room and board (T2046).
2. Enter the billed charges as 95% of the NF room and board daily rate plus 95% of the appropriate (category 1 or category 2) private room daily rate add-on for the date of service on each detail line.
3. Submit the claim and document the claim number.
4. The claim will auto-process at the regular hospice room and board payment.
5. Once the claim has been submitted, please send an email to MCDHospice@medicaid.ohio.gov with “Hospice claim with private room add-on” in the subject line to notify ODM that the claim has been submitted and to provide the ICN.

The claim will be reprocessed to include the private room add-on amount in the hospice room and board payment.

FFS Questions should be directed to Hospice mailbox at MCDHospice@medicaid.ohio.gov.