

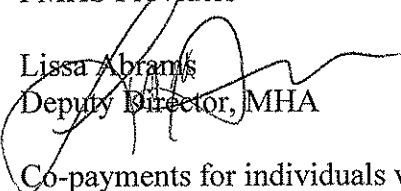


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TO: PMHS Providers  
FROM:   
Lissa Abrams  
Deputy Director, MHA  
RE: Co-payments for individuals who are uninsured  
Date: December 1, 2009

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MHA has reviewed, with ValueOptions® Maryland, the outpatient services that require a co-payment for individuals who are uninsured.

At this time, all outpatient and rehabilitation treatment services will continue to have a \$2 co-payment applied to the reimbursement rate.

For PRP, the co-payment is based on the minimum number services required, per month, times \$2.

Services that will continue to be exempt from co-payment include Supported Employment, Assertive Community Treatment, Mobile Treatment Services, Case Management, Family Psycho-Education and Residential Services.

Psychological Testing will have a \$2 co-payment applied to each hour of service billed. ValueOptions® Maryland will apply this co-payment effective for Dates of Service beginning December 15, 2009.

Any service that incorrectly had co-payments applied for Dates of Service beginning September 1, 2009, will be adjusted by ValueOptions® Maryland.