



TEXAS HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION

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EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

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To: Texas Home Living Providers
Financial Management Services Agencies

Subject: **Information Letter 13-63**
Approved Rates for the Texas Home Living Program, Effective September 1, 2013

Dear Provider,

The purpose of this information letter is to notify providers that the Health and Human Services Commission has approved new rates for the Texas Home Living (TxHmL) program.

The rates may be viewed at <http://www.hhsc.state.tx.us/rad/long-term-svcs/thl/index.shtml>.
Scroll down to Payment Rate Information and select Effective September 1, 2013 to Current.

The new TxHmL provider rates became available in the CARE system September 11, 2013. If providers have billed for these services September 1, 2013, or later based on rates in effect prior to September 1, 2013, the CARE system will recoup the difference between the former and now current rates. If providers have any questions related to the CARE changes, you can submit them via email to txhtml@dads.state.tx.us.

Financial Management Services Agencies should follow the procedures outlined in the Department of Aging and Disability Services Information Letter 13-54.

Please let me know if you have questions or need additional information. Judy Myers, Senior Rate Analyst, serves as the lead staff on this matter and can be reached at 512-707-6085 or by email at judy.myers@hhsc.state.tx.us.

Sincerely,

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