NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA February 4, 2021

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TO: Human Service Zones

Division of Juvenile Services

Tribal Social Services

CFS Field Service Specialists

FROM: Kelsey Bless, Permanency Administrator

SUBJECT: Facility Maintenance Rates (DBGR Minot & Fargo)

PROGRAMS: 623-05-20-40, Foster Care Maintenance Payments

RETENTION: Manualize

The following qualified residential treatment program (QRTP) facility rate was adjusted based on NDAC 75-03-15 administrative rules. The new rate increase for the facility QRTP rate is effective **January 1, 2021:**

Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch (Minot) = \$488.72/day

Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch (Fargo Youth) = \$488.72/day

To Do:

- DBGR may have to re-issue bills to match the payments for January 2021.
- CFS eligibility unit and/or Human Service Zone eligibility workers authorizing payments, please review the January billings to ensure the new rate is billed by the facility.
- NDDHS and Children and Family Services will initiate a work order for a formal payment mass adjustment in CCWIPS for the placements and payments which have already received payment due for January yet reimbursed the previous lower rate.

The rates are updated in CCWIPS. If you have any questions or need technical assistance, please contact me at 701-328-3581.

Thank you.