

MEMORANDUM
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TO: PAYROLL/PERSONNEL OFFICERS--STATE AGENCIES

FROM: CHERYLE MASSET, BENEFIT PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATOR

DATE: APRIL 28, 2003

SUBJECT: HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM RATE CHANGE

The monthly health insurance premium rates for state employees will change effective July 1, 2003, as follows:

ACTIVE EMPLOYEES	<u>EFFECTIVE 7-1-03</u>
PER CONTRACT PER MONTH	\$488.70
LEAVE OF ABSENCE/PART-TIME TEMPORARY	
SINGLE	\$229.93
FAMILY	\$567.52
COBRA RATES	
SINGLE	\$234.71
FAMILY	\$579.08

The new rates will be in effect through June 30, 2005.

The premium rates for retirees have also been adjusted. However, because each individual's circumstances may vary, please direct these inquiries to NDPERS at 701-328-3900 within the Bismarck/Mandan calling area or call our toll free number at 1-800-803-7377.

If you have any other questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact us.