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To: Department of Transitional Assistance Staff
From:  Sarah Stuart, Associate Commissioner for Change Management
Re: Cross Program: Federal Mileage Rate

Overview

The new federal mileage rate of 56 cents must be used when calculating allowable transportation costs to be used as a medical deduction or a dependent care deduction. The new mileage rate represents a decrease when compared to last year.

Purpose

The purpose of this Online Guide Transmittal is to advise staff of the updated federal mileage rate for 2021.

**Revised Online
Guide Pages**

Topic: SNAP
Book: Expenses and Deductions
Chapter: Dependent Care Expenses
Page: Federal Mileage Rates – Dependent Care

Topic: SNAP
Book: Expenses and Deductions
Chapter: Health Insurance/Medical Expenses
Subchapter: Medical Expenses
Page: Federal Mileage Rates - Medical

Questions

If you have any policy or procedural questions, after conferring with the appropriate TAO personnel, please have your Systems Information Specialists or TAO management email them to DTA.Procedural Issues.

Systems issues should be directed to the Systems Support Help Desk.
