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Subject: NSIP Clarification

Trident AAA/ADRC ran the MUSR IIIB-D and noticed that there is not a column for the NSIP as previously discussed.

Does the LGOA plan to have the NSIP column added to the MUSR prior to August 21st?

Please advise us as soon as possible on this matter as we are beginning to complete Pass Through Payment Requests.

Thanks,

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Dear PSA Directors and AAA/ADRC Directors:

NSIP was discussed in the PSA meeting yesterday. Here is further clarification on how NSIP will be reimbursed this fiscal year.

The key point is a meal should be procured at the same price regardless of the funding source. If the contract with the provider is for a \$5.50 meal, the provider will always be reimbursed the \$5.50 for the meal minus the 10% match since C1, C2, and NSIP all have a 10% local match.

The PSA will be reimbursed against the \$5.50 for each eligible meal, however, the funding for the meal will come from C1 or C2, NSIP, and the matches. When NSIP funds run out, the eligible meal will still be reimbursed against the \$5.50, just from C1 or C2 and the matches.

The MUSRb-dm will have a column on the far right labeled NSIP. Every C1 and C2 eligible meal will draw a fixed amount from the region's NSIP funding until it is exhausted, with the balance for the meal coming from C1 or C2.

Once the NSIP funds are exhausted, the full unit cost will come from C1 or C2. So for a particular C1 or C2 line on the MUSRb-dm report, the sum of the NSIP column and the C1 or C2 column should equal the total reimbursement for the month's eligible meals (unit cost times eligible meals).

In order to make sure all NSIP funds are expended in the current fiscal year, the rate will be \$1.50 per eligible C1 and C2 meal.

Thank you for your continued partnership in our mission to enhance the lives of seniors and adults with disabilities in South Carolina.

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