

**SANTA FE COUNTY
RESOLUTION NO. 2013-1-IB**

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE TYPES OF HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS
ELIGIBLE TO SUBMIT CLAIMS TO SANTA FE COUNTY
AND AUTHORIZING AMBULANCE SERVICES AND PROVIDERS AND CERTAIN
HOSPITALS TO SUBMIT CLAIMS TO SANTA FE COUNTY PURSUANT TO THE
INDIGENT HOSPITAL AND COUNTY HEALTH CARE ACT**

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County ("County"), acting through its Board of County Commissioners ("BCC"), has passed an ordinance adopting a County Gross Receipts Tax for the purpose of providing funding for indigent medical care ("Indigent Fund");

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Indigent Hospital and County Health Care Act, Section 27-5-5, NMSA 1978 ("Indigent Act"), the BCC acts in its official capacity as the County Indigent Hospital and County Health Care Board;

WHEREAS, the County has previously funded certain types of health care providers for services provided to indigent patients;

WHEREAS, Section 27-5-6(L) of the Indigent Act requires a determination of the types of health care providers that will be eligible to submit claims under the Indigent Hospital and County Health Care Act;

WHEREAS, in 2003 the BCC adopted Resolution No. 2003-07, specifying providers eligible for and entitled to receive Indigent Fund moneys from the County; and

WHEREAS, the BCC is now prepared to update that resolution and establish the types of health care providers eligible to submit claims under the Indigent Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County, in its official and statutory capacity as the Santa Fe County Indigent Hospital and County Health Care Board, that:

1. The following types of health care providers shall be eligible to submit claims to Santa Fe County pursuant to the Indigent Act:
 - a. Primary care provider, as defined by Section 27-5-4(N)(5) of the Indigent Act;
 - b. Prenatal care provider, as defined by Section 27-5-4(N)(4) of the Indigent Act;
 - c. Drug rehabilitation centers, as defined by Section 27-5-4(K) of the Indigent Act;
 - d. Alcohol rehabilitation centers, as defined by Section 27-5-4(L) of the Indigent Act; and

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- e. Mental health centers, as defined by Section 27-5-4(M) of the Indigent Act.
- 2. Ambulance providers and services, as defined by Section 27-5-4(A) of the Indigent Act, may submit claims to Santa Fe County pursuant to the Indigent Act.
- 3. The following health facilities may submit claims to Santa Fe County pursuant to the Indigent Act, if licensed, or, in the case of out-of-state hospitals, approved by the department of health: (1) for profit hospitals; (2) state-owned hospitals; and (3) licensed out-of-state hospitals where treatment provided is necessary for the proper care of an indigent patient when that care is not available in an in-state hospital.
- 4. Santa Fe County Resolution No. 2003-07 is repealed and replaced by this Resolution.
- 5. This Resolution will sunset two years from the date of adoption, unless earlier repealed.

APPROVED, ADOPTED AND PASSED this 27th day of August, 2013.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Kathy Holian
Kathy Holian, Chairman

Attest:

Geraldine Salazar
Geraldine Salazar, County Clerk 8/27/2013



Approved as to Form:

Stephen C. Ross
Stephen C. Ross, County Attorney

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Deputy Marcella Salazar Geraldine Salazar
County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

