



State Plan Amendment Updates

October 21, 2025



South Dakota Medicaid State Plan Amendments and 1115 Demonstration Applications

As of October 21, 2025

State plan amendments are available on our website at <https://dss.sd.gov/medicaid/medicaidstateplan.aspx>

SPAs in Tribal Consultations

SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Date Public Comment Period Ends
25-0015	SUD/IMD Template and School-Based Administrative Claiming <i>Replaces the current Attachment 3.1-L Substance Use Disorders / Institutions for Mental Diseases State Plan pages with the new template pages provided by CMS and separately updates the random moment time study cost pool list of providers that may perform school-based direct services and/or administrative claiming activities..</i>	10/01/2025	09/29/2025	10/29/2025

Anticipated SPAs

SPA Description	Anticipated Start of Tribal Consultation
Hospital Reimbursement <i>Updates hospital reimbursement methodologies including inpatient and outpatient hospital services for both in-state and out-of-state hospitals to modernize, streamline and more closely align the methodologies with industry standards.</i>	November 2025

SPAs Being Prepared for CMS Submission

SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Date Public Comment Period Ends
	None at this time.			

SPAs in CMS Review

SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Tribal Consultation End Date	Date Submitted to CMS
25-0010	SFY26 Health Home Inflationary Increase <i>Implements the inflationary rate increases appropriated by the state legislature during the 2025 legislative.</i>	07/01/25	05/12/2025	06/11/2025	09/09/2025
25-0012	SFY26 Provider Inflationary Increase <i>Implements inflationary rate increases appropriated by the state legislature during the 2025 legislative session effective July 1, 2025, and coverage and reimbursement for Rural Emergency Hospitals under the Clinic Services benefit.</i>	07/01/2025	06/23/2025	07/23/2025	07/32/25

Approved SPAs

SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Tribal Consultation End Date	Date Submitted to CMS	Date Approved
25-0007	Behavioral Health Peer Support Services and Inflationary Increase <i>Implements community mental health center (CMHC) and substance use disorder (SUD) agency rate increases appropriated by the state legislature during the 2025 legislative session and adds coverage and provider qualifications for non-clinical individual and group peer support services.</i>	06/01/25	04/28/2025	05/28/2025	06/13/2025	09/03/2025
25-0011	CY24 Care Coordination Supplemental Payments <i>Updates the care coordination provider list and supplemental payment amounts.</i>	06/01/25	05/12/2025	06/11/2025	06/13/2025	09/02/2025
25-0013	Doula and Targeted Case Management Services - Alternative Benefit Plan <i>Brings the Alternative Benefit Plan for the expanded adult population into alignment with two Medicaid State Plan amendments currently pending approval to add coverage of doula services (SPA #24-0017) and targeted case management services (SPA #25-0003).</i>	01/01/2025	04/14/2025	05/14/2025	05/23/2025	08/14/2025
25-0014	CHIP SPA - Doulas, Peer Supports, and CHWs <i>Clarifies that pregnancy-related doula services, community health worker (CHW) services, and peer support services are covered under the CHIP State Plan to align with benefits under the Medicaid State Plan.</i>	01/01/2025	06/23/2025	07/23/2025	06/27/2025	09/04/2025

SUD/IMD Template and School-Based Administrative Claiming

SD-25-0015

Brief Description:

Replaces the current Attachment 3.1-L Substance Use Disorders / Institutions for Mental Diseases State Plan pages with the new template pages provided by CMS and separately updates the random moment time study cost pool list of providers that may perform school-based direct services and/or administrative claiming activities.

Reason for Amendment:

States electing to continue coverage under the section 1915(l) state plan option are required to submit all required template pages and clarifies the provider types allowed in each cost pool for random moment time studies required for school-based administrative claiming.

Anticipated Impact to Tribes:

No impact as the current coverage is not being altered.

Important Dates:

Effective date: October 1, 2025

Comment Period: September 29, 2025 through October 29, 2025.

Hospital Reimbursement (Anticipated)

SD-25-0014

Brief Description:

Implements changes to inpatient and outpatient hospital reimbursement methodologies for both instate and out-of-state hospitals.

Reason for Amendment:

To modernize, streamline and more closely align the methodologies with industry standards.

Anticipated Impact to Tribes:

No impact as the Indian Health Service reimbursement is unchanged.

Important Dates:

Effective Date: January 1, 2026

Comment Period: November 2026