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CHANGES IN MEDICAID REGIONAL RATES

On December 26, 2003, the New York State Department of Health, Office of Medicaid Management, announced the following new regional rates to be used in calculating transfer of assets penalty periods for persons who apply for Medicaid on or after January 1, 2004 (see GIS 03 MA/029):

<u>REGION</u>	<u>MONTHLY REGIONAL RATE</u>
Central	\$5,842
Long Island	\$9,296
New York City	\$8,695
Northeastern	\$6,254
Northern Metropolitan	\$7,902
Rochester	\$6,672
Western	\$5,854

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