PROVIDER ADVISORY #2017-004
PROVIDER RATE INCREASES
ACTION REQUIRED

EFFECTIVE DATE: JULY 1, 2017

APD will implement rate increases appropriated by the 2017 Legislature effective July 1, 2017. The proposed rate increases are attached to this advisory and posted online at http://apdcares.org/providers/rates-billing/. The services impacted are:

- Life Skills 3 (Adult Day Training)
- Personal Supports
- Nursing and Respite Skilled Nursing – LPN rate only
- All levels and types of Residential Habilitation
- Life Skills 2 (Supported Employment)

The Agency will adjust any service authorizations for the services listed above that are effective July 1 and forwards. Consumer budgets will be increased to accommodate for the rate changes.

Service authorizations will be available for WSCs to send to providers starting on June 26, 2017. **WSCs will be providing these authorizations no later than July 15, 2017.** If a provider has a question about their service authorizations for July 1, they should contact the WSC. As always WSCs should let providers know of any change in service provision prior to the change.