30-10-20. Payment of claims. (a) Payment to participating providers. Each participating provider shall be paid, at least monthly, a per diem rate for nursing facility services, excluding resident liability, rendered to eligible residents if all of the following conditions are met:

(1) The agency is billed on the paper claim form or electronic claim submission furnished by the contractor serving as the fiscal agent for the medicaid/medikan program.

(2) The paper claim form or electronic claim submission is verified by the administrator of the facility or a designated key staff member.

(3) The claim is filed no more than 12 months after the time the services were rendered pursuant to K.S.A. 39-708a, and amendments thereto.

(4) The claim does not include services for the date of discharge.

(b) Resident's liability. The resident's liability for services shall be the amount determined by the local agency office in which a medicaid/medikan resident or the resident's agent applies for care. The resident's liability begins on the first day of each month and shall be applied in full before any liability incurred by the medicaid/medikan program. The unexpended portion of the resident's liability payment shall be refunded to the resident or to the resident's agent if the resident dies or otherwise permanently leaves the facility. Providers shall not charge fees or finance charges related to late payment of resident liability.

(c) The payment of claims may be suspended if there has been an identified overpayment and the provider is financially insolvent.

(d) This regulation shall be effective on and after May 1, 2005. (Authorized by