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**To: All SARC Providers:**

Re: Assembly Bill (AB) 79 Rate Increase effective January 1, 2021  
Service codes: 116

**Dear Service Provider:**

This is to notify you that with the enactment of Assembly Bill (AB) 79, section 4691.12(b) was added to the Welfare and Institutions Code providing the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) with time-limited funding for rate increases for specified services listed above. The rate increase will be effective January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021 and shall be suspended at the end of this period unless certain conditions, as specified in AB 79, apply.

As a result, the total increase of 5% is in effect January 1, 2021 for the above service codes. Your payment for January 2021 billing will be paid at the new rate.

Should you have any questions, please contact Maria S. Moreto, Fiscal Supervisor, at 408.341.3492 or [mmoreto@sarc.org](mailto:mmoreto@sarc.org).

Sincerely,

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Controller