



ATTENTION FREE STANDING END STAGE RENAL DISEASE (ESRD) FACILITIES IMPLEMENTATION OF DECEMBER 1, 2010 RATE REDUCTIONS

Effective with dates of service on or after December 1, 2010, the reimbursement rates for Free Standing ESRD Facilities are reduced by 2%, and these changes have been loaded in the system. A systematic adjustment of claims will be unnecessary due to timely implementation. Providers will begin seeing these reductions on the RA of December 7, 2010. Refer to the Office of the State Register's website at <http://doa.louisiana.gov/osr/> for published rules detailing these reductions. Contact the Provider Relations unit at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040 with questions related to the implementation of the rate reductions.