



May 16, 2024

Assessment Rate Notification for SFY25 (July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025)

On May 14, 2024, the Children's Health Account – Rhode Island (CHA-RI) set the State Fiscal Year 2025 (SFY25) assessment at **\$9.20 per month per child** contribution enrollee.

The SFY25 assessment rate of \$9.20 will be used to determine amounts due on the following dates (for their corresponding measuring months):

- **July 30, 2024** (April through June 2024)
- **October 30, 2024** (July through September 2024)
- **January 30, 2025** (October through December 2024)
- **April 30, 2025** (January through March 2025)

The Rhode Island legislature passed RI Gen L § 42-7.4-3, which took effect on January 1, 2016. This law established the Health Services Funding Contribution and introduced a new methodology for calculating contributions to the Children's Health Account under RI Gen L § 42-12-29. To enhance transparency and reduce administrative burdens for payers, CHA-RI has been established as a distinct assessment that can be processed similarly to how entities handle vaccine payments.

CHA-RI will automatically calculate all payer obligations based on the quarterly reports submitted in accordance with the Rhode Island Vaccine Assessment Program (RIVAP) requirements. For more information, please visit www.RIvaccine.org. Provided these reports are filed correctly and on time, no additional reporting is necessary for payers to remain compliant with CHA-RI regulations.

We are thankful to the payer community for their consistent and timely reports over the past year, which have greatly contributed to the program's success. We also appreciate your ongoing support of the Children's Health Account - Rhode Island. Additionally, we extend our sincere gratitude to the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) for their outstanding guidance and diligent efforts during the assessment process. We invite you to visit the CHA-RI website (www.CHA-RI.org) to learn more about the program.