

As part of the cost reconciliation formula, the cost summary worksheets must take into account who is receiving the services. This worksheet serves to provide three rates for proper cost allocation. Three key rates are:

1. Individualized Education Program (IEP) Rate;
2. Standard Medicaid Eligibility Rate; and
3. IEP-Related Services Student Medicaid Eligibility Rate.

Each rate is designed for a specific purpose. For services delivered to IEP students, the **IEP Rate** identifies the percentage of Medicaid students in a provider’s district with IEPs compared to total IEP students. Through the Electronic Data Interchange partnership, the district submits all students with IEPs to the Ohio Department of Medicaid’s Medicaid Management Information System for Medicaid matching. The system will determine the number of students with IEPs who are actually eligible. This information entered into *Sheet 3 “Statistics”* calculates the IEP Rate.

$$\text{IEP Rate} = \frac{\text{Medicaid Students with IEPs}}{\text{Total IEP Students}}$$

The standard Medicaid Eligibility Rate (**MER**) identifies the number of students who are Medicaid eligible compared to total students within the provider’s district. Again, via the Electronic Data Interchange partnership and at the same time the number of IEP students is sent to the Medicaid Management Information System for matching, the total student population of the district also is sent. The system will complete a match of the total students submitted to determine the number of students who are Medicaid eligible. Note: the Medicaid Eligibility Rate matches all students, regardless if they have IEPs.

$$\text{MER} = \frac{\text{Medicaid Eligible Students}}{\text{Total Students}}$$

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~~**IEP-Related Service Students-Medicaid Eligibility Rate**~~

~~For purposes of program integrity and accountability, MSP provider districts should seek interim claiming for all MSP reimbursable **IEP related services for students**. Not all IEPs will indicate (billable) related services, (e.g., ‘consult-only’ IEPs). Therefore, this Cost Report measures the ratio between the total of IEP students with paid claims compared to total number of IEP students with MSP billable related services.~~

~~$$\frac{\text{IEP-Related Service Students}}{\text{Total Number of IEP Students with Paid Claims}^1} = \frac{\text{Number of IEP Students with MSP Billable Services}}{\text{Total Number of IEP Students with Paid Claims}^1}$$~~

Transportation Statistics: REVISED

MSP reimburses districts for allowable transportation costs. Allowable costs include costs per trip (\$5.20) for a student on days when a MSP-reimbursable service are delivered. Additionally, personnel costs, ‘other transportation’ costs and purchased service costs associated with allowable transportation are reimbursable. These costs can be determined from the Ohio Department of Education’s T2 Report indicating allowable transportation costs. All transportation costs are prorated against the number of Medicaid-eligible students.

¹ The interim paid claims service date shall be within the same cost reporting period.

