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**AGING PROGRAM DIRECTIVE**

**SUBJECT:**           **Temporary Moratorium on Reimbursement Rates for Services**

**TO:**                   EXECUTIVE STAFF                                   PA COUNCIL ON AGING  
                          AREA AGENCIES ON AGING                   COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
                          ASSOCIATION OF PA  
                          COMPTROLLER

**FROM:**



Nora Dowd Eisenhower  
Secretary  
DEPARTMENT OF AGING

**REGULATORY REFERENCES:**           NA

**PURPOSE:**           The purpose of this directive is to establish a temporary moratorium on changes to reimbursement rates for services reimbursed by the Area Agency on Aging network. Given current budget constraints, the Department is evaluating the existing competitive procurement policy and has decided to freeze existing unit of service cost reimbursement rates until a revised Contract Management Policy is issued.

Effective immediately for all existing service contracts, AAAs are directed not to increase the unit price for any service agreement until a new Contract Management policy has been issued by the Department. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call Lou Sprague at (717) 783-7668.