



Illinois State Board of Education

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DATE: June 12, 2023

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Private Facility Administrators

FROM: Andy Krupin, Director, Funding and Disbursements

SUBJECT: **Delay in Special Education Private Facility Rates**

Please be advised that the Department of Funding and Disbursements has experienced significant turnover and retirements in the past year, leaving both Special Education Facility Rate Analyst positions vacant. Although ISBE staff are working together with the Illinois Purchased Care Review Board (IPCRB) to set tuition rates and room and board rates for school year 2023-24 in the most expeditious manner possible, not all rates will be set prior to the start of the school year for your program(s).

In the event that the rate(s) for your program(s) are not set prior to the start of the school year, you should use the prior school year rate for any placement contracts and/or billing to districts.

Rates that are set and approved by the IPCRB will be retroactive back to the start of the school year pending ISBE program approval, unless the Board determines that another effective date is warranted.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact 217-782-5256 or ILPCRB@isbe.net.