UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

HIV AND HEPATITIS POLICY INSTITUTE et al.,
Plaintiffs,

v.

Civil Action No. 22-2604 (JDB)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES et al., Defendants.

ORDER

Upon consideration of [13] plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment and [27] defendants' cross-motion for summary judgment, and the entire record herein, and for the reasons stated in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion issued on this date, it is hereby

ORDERED that [13] plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment is **GRANTED**; it is further **ORDERED** that [27] defendants' cross-motion for summary judgment is **DENIED**; it is further

ORDERED that the HHS Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters for 2021 is **VACATED** to the extent that it amends 42 C.F.R. § 156.130(h), see 85 Fed. Reg. 29164, 29261 (May 14, 2020), and that the matter is **REMANDED** to defendants for further consideration consistent with the Memorandum Opinion issued on this date; and it is further

ORDERED that [8] defendants' motion to dismiss is **DENIED** as moot. **SO ORDERED.**

/s/ JOHN D. BATES United States District Judge

Dated: September 29, 2023