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## **SECTION 2-GENERAL REGULATIONS**

## AT&T HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS SUPPORT PROGRAM: (Cont'd) 2.17

## 2.17.5 **RATES AND CHARGES**

The following prices adjustments will be available to eligible rural health care providers, except subparagraph c., which shall be available to all eligible health care providers, regardless of location:

- A reduced rate for telecommunications services, using a bandwidth capacity of up to 1.544 Mbps, not to exceed the highest tariffed or publicly available rate charged to a commercial customer for a similar service provided over the same distance in the nearest city in New York State with a population of at least 50,000.
- An exemption from some mileage charges for any telecommunications services, using a bandwidth capacity of up to 1.544 Mbps, that is necessary for the provision of health care services. The exempted mileage includes the distance between the rural health care provider and the most distant perimeter of the nearest city in New York State with a population of 50,000 or more in the state.
- Each eligible health care provider that cannot obtain toll-free access to an Internet service provider is entitled to receive toll charge credits for tall charges imposed for connecting to an Internet service provider as per the F.C.C. Rules. Such toll charge credits are available pursuant to applicable toll tariffs.

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