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Medical and Moving Mileage Rates Decrease Effective January 1, 2009

Effective January 1, 2009, the optional standard mileage rates for medical and moving purposes have decreased from the current rate. As a reminder, the use of an automobile to obtain medical care may be a deductible medical expense if the expense is primarily for, and essential to, medical care.

Medical and moving Mileage Reimbursement Current – December 31, 2008	Medical and moving Mileage Reimbursement Effective January 1, 2009
\$.27 per mile	\$.24 per mile

The official IRS announcement may be viewed online at <http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-drop/rp-08-72.pdf>.