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Action Request Transmittal

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Topic: Medical Benefits

Due Date: 04/23/08

Subject: New Noncitizen Codes for Person Alias\Update

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Children, Adults and Families | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors and People with Disabilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |

Action Required: New codes have been added to the "Cit" (citizenship) field on Person Alias/Update to track noncitizen status for DHS medical programs. The new noncitizen codes do not require a verification source code. Please begin using the new codes immediately.

Including the new codes, the Cit field codes are:

N: Noncitizen who meets Medicaid/SCHIP alien status requirements, i.e., is eligible for full medical benefits (is not limited to CAWEM). **A documentation source code is not allowed for persons with an N in the Cit field.**

C: Noncitizen who has not yet met the Medicaid/SCHIP alien status requirements (if otherwise meets medical program requirements may receive CAWEM benefit package). **A documentation source code is not allowed for persons with a C in the Cit field.**

A: Citizen who has provided the citizenship documentation as required for Medicaid clients by the Deficit Reduction Act (DRA). **Entering an A in the Cit field also requires a source code (birth certificate, BBCN, passport, etc.) to indicate what was used to verify citizenship.**

D: Citizen who has not provided the DRA required citizenship documentation. **A documentation source code is not required for persons with a D in the Cit field.**

Reason for Action: The new N and C values will be used to exclude clients from DRA citizenship documentation reports.

Field/Stakeholder review: Yes No

If yes, reviewed by:

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