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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO ALABAMA STATE PLAN FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Effective July 1, 2010, the Alabama Medicaid Agency is proposing to amend Attachment 3.1-D, Page 1, of the Alabama State Plan for Non-Emergency Transportation Services.

The purpose of the amendment to Attachment 3.1-D, Page 1, is to change the Non-Emergency Transportation Services terminology from a voucher system which has been converted to an Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) system for recipients requesting transportation reimbursements. The EBT system replaced the paper-based voucher system effective March 1, 2010. The NET payment methodology and reimbursement rates were not affected by this change.

A copy of the proposed changes will be made available upon request for public review at the State Office of the Alabama Medicaid Agency.

Written comments concerning this change are welcome and should be mailed to Administrative Secretary, Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, P.O. Box 5624, Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5624. All written comments will be available for review by the public during normal business hours at the above address.

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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT OF THE ALABAMA STATE PLAN FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO EXPAND COVERAGE FOR THE PERSONAL CHOICES PROGRAM BY ADDING MOBILE, ESCAMBIA, AND BALDWIN COUNTIES.

Effective July 1, 2010, the Alabama Medicaid Agency is proposing to amend Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A, pages 6-7 of the Alabama State Plan for Self-Directed Personal Assistance Services State Plan Amendment.

This amendment will allow the Alabama Department of Senior Services (ADSS) to offer consumer-directed approaches based on the Cash and Counseling model of the current Personal Choices Program. It will expand the Personal Choices Program by adding Mobile, Escambia, and Baldwin counties.

A copy of the proposed changes will be made available upon request for public review at each county office of the Department of Human Resources and the State Office of the Alabama Medicaid Agency.

Written comments concerning this change are welcome and should be mailed to Administrative Secretary, Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, P.O. Box 5624, Montgomery, AL 36103-5624. All written comments will be available for review by the public during normal business hours at the above address.

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