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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT OF THE ALABAMA STATE PLAN FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO ALLOW THE ALABAMA MEDICAID AGENCY TO OFFER PROGRAM FOR THE ALL INCLUSIVE CARE FOR THE ELDERLY (PACE) WITHIN THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

Effective October 1, 2011, the Alabama Medicaid Agency is proposing to amend Attachment 3.1-A, pages 13-14 and Supplement 3 to Attachment 3.1-A, pages 1-7 of the Alabama State Plan for PACE.

This amendment will allow the Alabama Medicaid Agency to offer Program of the All Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) within the State of Alabama. Individuals served by this program will have the choice between nursing facility services and PACE program. The Medicaid Agency estimates that this program will be budget neutral for the State.

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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