ALABAMA MEDICAID AGENCY

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

RULE NO. & TITLE: 560-X-16-.01(f) – Pharmacy Services - General

INTENDED ACTION: Amend 560-X-16-.01(f)

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The above-referenced rule is being amended to accommodate a waiver (obtained thru Medicaid Medical Services) that will cover smoking cessation products for pregnant females. Currently the Administrative Code for Pharmacy Services has smoking cessation products listed as a coverage exclusion. The above mentioned rule will be changed to include coverage of smoking cessation products for pregnant females only.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Written or oral comments may be submitted to the Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, Post Office Box 5624, Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5624, 334-242-5833. Agency business hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:.

Written/Oral comments concerning this change must be received by the Alabama Medicaid Agency no later than December 4, 2009.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: William O. Butler, III, Administrative Secretary, Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, Post Office Box 5624, Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5624.

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