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MEDICIAD MANUAL (VOLUME II) TRANSMITTAL NO. 3

TO: County Departments of Family and Children
Services State Staff

FROM: Steven E. Love, Acting Director
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RE: Elimination of the Work Transition Medicaid Class of Assistance and Miscellaneous Changes

PURPOSE:

This manual transmittal removes all references to the Work Transition Medicaid Program from the manual. This transmittal also includes a new Section on AFDC Deprivation – Unemployed Parent and other miscellaneous updates or clarification to policy.

DISCUSSION:

Family Medicaid -The Work Transition Medicaid Class of Assistance has been eliminated effective July 1, 2002 due to budgetary considerations. Instructions for making the transition from two years of extended Medicaid coverage to one year of extended coverage (Transitional Medical Assistance) are found in Medicaid e-mail number 02-08 posted on the ARM.Helpdesk.

Children in Placement - Several sections in Chapter 2800, Assistance to Children in Placement have been revised to reflect policy updates or clarifications. Section 2826, AFDC Deprivation – Unemployed Parent has been added to the Chapter.

Adult Medicaid – Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA) figure has been added to the income chart. Clarification on policy related to retirement funds, Q-track budgeting procedures as well as other updates are included in this transmittal.

Manual Transmittal 3 includes information found in Medicaid e-mails numbered 02-01 through 02-08.

UPDATES:

Section	Instructions for Manual Maintenance	Comments
2052	Remove and replace.	remove WTM references
2060	Remove and replace	add AFA as an acceptable form of application
2065	Remove and replace	remove WTM references and remove Form 247 as acceptable form of application, specify 10 day SOP for newborns regardless of Class of Assistance
2132	Remove and replace	added a statement to clarify that the PNA is the same as the Medicaid CAP
2137	Remove and replace	clarified policy to include length of stay may be a combination of days in either a Medicaid or Non- Medicaid facility
2143	Remove and replace	added an exception regarding a change in Q-track budgeting procedures for couples who are ineligible for any Q-track COA
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2160	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2162	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2164	Remove this section in its entirety	removes WTM policy
2166	Remove and replace	remove WTM references, clarify TMA policy affected by the removal of WTM
2170	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2201	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2210	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2215	Remove and replace	clarifies that eligibility determination continues while waiting for secondary verification. Terminate Medicaid if secondary verification verifies unqualified alien status
2220	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2245	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2250	Remove and replace	add TMA as a CSE referral exception
2255	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2301	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2317	Remove and replace	miscellaneous changes to correct typographical or grammatical errors
2332	Remove and replace	clarified retirement fund policy
2334	Remove and replace	clarified retirement fund policy
2399	Replace pages 2399-11 through 2399-14	clarified statement under Pension Plan
2551	Remove and replace	addresses Nursing Home transfers from out of state and how to compute PL for the month of admission to the Georgia facility
2553	Remove and replace	Miscellaneous updates
2555	Remove and replace	adjusted IME list to read "health and/or dental insurance premiums)
2557	Remove and replace	miscellaneous changes to correct typographical or grammatical errors

2559	Remove and replace	added procedures on how to compute CS and PL for individuals who go from CCSP to NH and from NH to CCSP
2579	Remove and replace	SGA Figure updated
2710	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2714	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2715	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
2815	Remove and replace	provides some updates to IV-E Foster Care policy
2817	Remove and replace	provides updates to IV-E Adoption Assistance policy and procedures
2820	Remove and replace	Clarifies Voluntary Relinquishment
2826	Place this section immediately after Section 2825	Adds Unemployed Parent Deprivation policy to the manual
2835	Remove and replace	corrects an error on the AFDC income chart
2850	Remove and replace	Procedures on how to handle Adoption Assistance for children placed out of state added to this section
2930	Remove and replace	provides updates to Health Check policy
Appendix A1 2002	Remove and replace	Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA) added
TOC 2100	Remove and replace	remove WTM references
TOC 2800	Remove and replace	
TOC Manual	Remove and replace pages 11 and 12	remove WTM references

Pen and Ink Changes:

TOC Manual: Strike through Section 2164 on Page TOC-3
Update the Record of Receipt of Manual Transmittals for Volume 2.