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| LOCAL COMMISSIONERS MEMORANDUM |
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Division: Health & Long Term
Care

TO: Local District Commissioners

SUBJECT: Consolidation of Managed Care Functions at the State
Department of Health

ATTACHMENTS: Staff Contact Chart (Attached)

The 1995 Cooperative Agreement between the Departments of Health (SDOH) and Social Services (SDSS) designated the Department of Health as primarily responsible for overall management and operation of the State's managed care program. To accomplish this task in the most efficacious manner the commissioners of the departments have agreed to reassign managed care functions and staff from the Division of Health and Long Term Care in SDSS to the Office of Managed Care in SDOH. The reassignment will affect staff and functions performed by five units. The managed care policy/grant monitoring, contracts, local district support, interface and program impact monitoring units will move to the Department of Health. This action will further consolidate managed care activities under the leadership of the Commissioner of Health as was the intent of the Governor. Only those functions which are specific to managed care are being transferred; all other functions remain at the Department of Social Services.

Attached is the current staff contact chart for the local district support unit. Transition details must be worked out over the next few weeks. New staff contact information, telephone numbers and ongoing internal responsibilities will be communicated on-line as assignments are finalized.

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