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SUBJECT: Implementation Delay for Resource Attestation

EFFECTIVE DATE: Immediately

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This is to inform social services districts that the Medicaid-related systems changes scheduled for the August migration are being delayed until the September migration. Districts are advised not to implement the new attestation of resources policies described in 04 OMM/ADM-6 until September 20, 2004.

Facilitated enrollers had previously been notified to begin the attestation of resource policy for applications begun on or after August 1, 2004. Although facilitated enrollers have been notified of the delay, some applications may have already been forwarded to districts, without resource documentation. In this situation, districts should determine eligibility based on the attested amount of resources. If otherwise eligible, the person should be given limited coverage (Coverage Code 10).

If you have any questions, please contact the Bureau of Local District Support at (518) 474-8216 Upstate and (212) 268-6855 for New York City.