

Office of Health Insurance Programs

Division of Long Term Care

MLTC Policy 13.09(a): Transition of Semi-Annual Assessment of Members to Uniform Assessment System for New York

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This memo is to remind Plans of MLTC Policy 13.09: *Transition of Semi-Annual Assessment of Members to the Uniform Assessment System for New York* which indicates that effective October 1, 2013, the Uniform Assessment System for New York (UAS-NY) will replace the Semi-Annual Assessment of Members (SAAM).

As per the statewide implementation plan, Plans must use the UAS-NY for all new members who are scheduled to enroll effective **October 1, 2013**; the SAAM assessment must **not** be used for these new enrollees. Additionally, the UAS-NY must be used for *all* reassessments beginning **October 1, 2013**.

All SAAM assessments conducted from June 16, 2013 through September 30, 2013 must be submitted to the Department of Health by October 31, 2013 via the regular SAAM submission process.