or.

State of California—Health and Human Services Agency Department of Health Services



ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER Governor

SANDRA SHEWRY

May 19, 2004

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS Letter No.: 04-20 ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALISTS/LIAISONS ALL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: CHANGES TO MAILING ADDRESSES FOR THE THIRD PARTY LIABILITY BRANCH

The Third Party Liability Branch (TPLB), in the Payment Systems Division, is changing its mailing addresses for the programs it administers. For the present, the U.S. Post Office is forwarding to the new P.O. box numbers, any correspondence addressed to the old P.O. box numbers. However, we have heard that occasionally some mail sent to the old address has been returned to sender. If that should occur, please contact Mr. Jerry Walters, Chief of the TPLB Administrative Support Unit, at (916) 650-6574

Please review the following for the new address assigned for the respective program.

RECOVERY PROGRAMS

Correspondence relating to the:

Estate Recovery Program Personal Injury Program including Special Needs Trusts Workers' Compensation Recovery Program Overpayments to Providers and Beneficiaries

OLD ADDRESS:

NEW ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 2471 Sacramento, CA 95812 MS 4720 P.O. Box 997425 Sacramento, CA 95899-7425 All County Welfare Directors Letter No.: 04-20 Page 2

Checks relating to the:

Estate Recovery Program Personal Injury Program including Special Needs Trusts Workers' Compensation Recovery Program Overpayments to Providers and Beneficiaries

OLD ADDRESS:

NEW ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 2946 Sacramento, CA 95812 MS 4720 P.O. Box 997421 Sacramento, CA 95899-7421

HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAMS

Correspondence relating to:

Medicare Buy-In Cost Avoidance Health Insurance Premium Payment Program Other Health Coverage Medicare Operations

OLD ADDRESS:

NEW ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 1287 Sacramento, CA 95812 MS 4719 P.O. Box 997422 Sacramento, CA 95899-7422

Checks relating to:

Reimbursement from a health insurance carrier when Medi-Cal pays and it is determined that the carrier should have paid; and

Reimbursement from a provider when Medi-Cal pays and it is determined that Medicare should have paid.

All County Welfare Directors Letter No.: 04-20 Page 3

OLD ADDRESS:

NEW ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 671 Sacramento, CA 95812 MS 4719 P O. Box 997424 Sacramento, CA 95899-7424

Correspondence and checks relating to:

Working Disabled Program Health Management Systems and health insurance recoveries

OLD ADDRESS:

NEW ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 225 Sacramento, CA 95812

MS 4720 P.O. Box 997423 Sacramento, CA 95899-7423

Mail sent to an old address will be forwarded to the new address for a period of time but it is essential that the new addresses begin to be used immediately.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Joy Cheah, Workers' Compensation Specialist, Payment Systems Division, at (916) 650-0564.

Original signed by

Beth Fife, Chief Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch