

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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December 2, 1986

TO: All County Welfare Directors
All County Administrative Officers

Letter No.: 86-70

SUBJECT: MC 302 CARD STOCK REORDER

The Department of Health Services (DHS) is in the process of reordering the county online immediate need Medi-Cal card stock (MC 302).

The current version of the MC 302 card stock has a one inch margin on each side. Previously, the MC 302 card stock had a one-half inch margin on each side. The one inch stock was originally designed to allow for retracting the stock after removing a card on the NTI printers which are no longer in use. When the signature ID Card stock was ordered earlier this year, changes were made to allow all counties (including CPU links) to use the same card stock. That change caused screen prints to overlap the margin on the left hand side for counties who load their printers with card stock rather than paper and use the card stock to print inquiry screens, SYSM messages, etc. Several counties have requested that the Department convert back to the one-half inch margin, MC 302 stock. This would eliminate inquiry screens and SYSM messages from printing on the one inch strip area on the sides of the card stock.

Before the Department submits its MC 302 Medi-Cal ID card (MC 302) order, we would like to know if any counties would have problems with converting back to the one-half inch margin stock. Since this order must be placed one year in advance, we request your comments in writing by December 31, 1986. Please reply to:

Department of Health Services
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch
714 P Street, Room 1692
Sacramento, CA 95814
ATTN: Sherilyn Walden

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If, upon receipt of your comments, it is determined that a revision to the margin on the MC 302 stock will be made, we will notify you via an All County Welfare Directors Letter (ACWDL).

Thank you for your cooperation and if you have any questions, please contact Sherilyn Walden at (916) 445-1912.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Frank S. Martucci, Chief
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch

cc: Medi-Cal Liaisons
Medi-Cal Program Consultants

Expiration Date: March 2, 1986