

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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September 24, 1993

TO: All County Welfare Directors  
All County Administrative Officers  
All County Medi-Cal Program Specialists/Liaisons  
All County Pickle Coordinators

Letter No.: 93-69

SUBJECT: Pickle Date When SSI Last Received and Title II Amounts On MEDS

The purpose of this letter is to advise the counties that they can now use the Pickle 503 Leads Report message (enclosed) "SSI-LAST-RECEIVED" and date as the official date SSI was last received for a potential Pickle individual. This information can also be verified on the INQO MEDS screen (enclosed) which indicates the "SSI-LAST-RECEIVED" date. Counties will no longer have to query the Social Security Administration (SSA) for this information.

In addition, counties can use the INQB MEDS screen (enclosed) "Bendex Title II Information" which indicates the "CUR-BENEFIT-AMT" (Current Benefit Amount) needed to compute the financial status information for the potential Pickle eligible individual. Accessing this information from the Bendex will preclude the need to query SSA or to see the award letter. These new procedures should serve to shorten the Pickle program's processing time.

If you have any questions, please contact Sylvia Finberg at (916) 657-0080.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY  
Glenda Arellano

Frank S. Martucci, Chief  
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch

Enclosures

REPORT NO. REPORT DATE TITLE DISTRICT WORKER  
HR-MED820-0003 12/15/87 503 LEADS FILE REPORT 999 A1

CASE-NAME COUNTY-ID MEDS-ID BIRTHDATE SEX ELIG-STATUS  
DOE 99-99-99999999-9-99 999-99-9999 11-08-955 F 001  
DOE JANE A PICKLE-TICKLER SSI-LAST-RECEIVED LAST-PICKLE-CHG  
ANY PLACE CO 12-87 12-11-87  
ANY STREET  
ANY TOWN, CALIFORNIA ZIP

CASE-NAME COUNTY-ID MEDS-ID BIRTHDATE SEX ELIG-STATUS  
SMITH 99-99-99999999-9-99 999-99-9999 09-30-944 M 001  
SMITH JOHN Z PICKLE-TICKLER SSI-LAST-RECEIVED LAST-PICKLE-CHG  
744 P STREET CO 12-86 12-10-86  
SACRAMENTO CA 95814

CASE-NAME COUNTY-ID MEDS-ID BIRTHDATE SEX ELIG-STATUS  
NEUMAN 99-99-99999999-9-99 999-99-9999 04-01-936 M 003  
NEUMAN ALFRED E PICKLE-TICKLER SSI-LAST-RECEIVED LAST-PICKLE-CHG  
714 P STREET CO 12-87 12-11-87  
SACRAMENTO CA 95814

CASE-NAME COUNTY-ID MEDS-ID BIRTHDATE SEX ELIG-STATUS  
BOND 99-99-99999999-9-99 999-99-9999 04-19-927 M 596  
BOND JAMES PICKLE-TICKLER SSI-LAST-RECEIVED LAST-PICKLE-CHG  
744 P STREET CO 12-87 12-11-87  
SACRAMENTO CA 95814

SAMPLE

INQO

\*\* OTHER MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION \*\*

FBG - 08/13/93

MEDS-ID 561-02-5410 NAME FAGUN , FRANCIS M BIRTHDATE 11-27-1917

PHONE AUTH-REP-NAME  
ETHNIC 1 LANGUAGE 7 AUTH-REP-ADDR  
SSN-VER-BIRTHDATE  
DEATH-POSTED

COUNTRY-OF-ORIGIN INS-ENTRY-DATE 04-75 SDX-ALIEN-STATUS F  
PICKLE-TICKLER C1 LAST-PICKLE-CHG 08-05-93 SSI-LAST-RECEIVED 12-92

LAST-MC/CP-CHG 08-05-93 LAST-FS-CHG LAST-OTHER-CHG 06-10-93  
LAST-MC/CP-TRANS LAST-FS-TRANS LAST-OTHER-TRANS  
FILE-FIX-DATE

PGM-ELIG: MC/CP C H SP1 SP2 FS AFDC  
1993===== > 1992===== >  
08-93 PEND JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC

CRIG-AID  
NEG-ACTN

OPTION \_ < PRESS PF13 FOR LIST OF VALID OPTIONS > \* ENTER KEY RETURNS TO LIST

INQB

\*\* BUY-IN AND BENDEX INFORMATION \*\*

FBG - 08/13/93

MEDS-ID 561-02-5410 NAME FAGUN , FRANCIS MEDS-CUR-MMY 08-93

===== MEDICARE PART "B" BUY-IN INFORMATION =====

HIC-NO 561025410A HIC-SOURCE 3 BUY-IN-ELIG-CD M

CUR-BUY-IN-STATUS 1161 BUY-IN-EFF-DT 01-93 LAST-PART-B-CHG 02-18-93  
DOME-DT

===== MEDICARE PART "A" BUY-IN INFORMATION =====

CUR-BUY-IN-STATUS BUY-IN-EFF-DT LAST-PART-A-CHG  
DOME-DT

===== BENDEX TITLE II INFORMATION =====

CLAIM-NO 561025410A LAST-BENDEX-CHG 01-14-93  
INITIAL-ENTL-DATE 01-81 BENDEX-PAY-STATUS CP COMMUNICATION-CODE MATCHED  
OLD-BENEFIT-AMT \$ 0552.00 HI-ENTL-DATE 11-82 SMI-ENTL-DATE 11-82  
CUR-BENEFIT-AMT \$ 0602.00 HI-TERM-DATE SMI-TERM-DATE  
DUAL-ENTL-IND 2 HI-OPTION-CD E SMI-CODE Y  
PREMIUM-PAYOR 050

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