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TO:

All County Welfare Directors

All County Administrative Officers

All County Medi-Cal Program Specialists/Liaisons

Letter No.: 95-09

THE REMOVAL OF THE E-MAIL FOR QUALIFIED DISABLED WORKING INDIVIDUALS (QDWI) AND SPECIFIED LOW-INCOME MEDICARE BENEFICIARY (SLMB) FORM FROM THE EMC2 SYSTEM

Ref.: All County Welfare Directors Letter No. 93-08

The QDWI/SLMB for on EMC2 was originally designed to report to the state QDWIs and SLMBs participating in the Medicare Buy-In program prior to the assignment of aid codes which would allow these eligibles to be added to Medi-Cal Eligibility Data System (MEDS).

System changes were implemented November 1, 1994 which allow county representatives to input these cases directly to MEDS, on the Special Program Segment Screen. The aid codes assigned are 8A for QDWI and 8C for SLMB. For information on how to input to the Special Program Segment Screen, please refer to the MEDS Network Users Manual, Section 10.10 to add a new recipient record and Section 10.12 to modify an existing MEDS record.

The QDWI/SLMB form has therefore been removed from the E-Mail, EMC2, system.

If you have any questions, please call Vicki Partington at (916) 323-9539.

Sincerely,

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