GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Department of Health Care Finance



Office of the Senior Deputy Director/Medicaid Director

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TO:

ALL Home Health State Plan Providers

FROM:

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DATE:

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SUBJECT:

Medicaid State Plan Personal Care Aide Services when multiple PCA's provide service

in the same day

In July 2012 the Department of Health Care Finance (DHCF) implemented requirements for Home Health Agencies (HHA) enrolled in the District of Columbia's Medicaid Program to include the individual Personal Care Aide's (PCA) National Provider Identifier (NPI) number on all State Plan PCA Services Claims.

Beginning on August 1, 2015, all Home Health Agencies will be required to bill individual claims with the specific PCA's NPI number on the claim when multiple PCA's provide service on the same day. To comply with audit and reporting requirements it will no longer be acceptable to bill one claim with only one NPI number when multiple PCA's provide service on one date of service.

DHCF will continue to monitor Home Health Claims for compliance over the coming months. Claims that do not comply with this requirement will be subject to recoupment.

If you have any questions regarding this transmittal, please contact Provider Services at (202) 698-2000.