

**North Carolina Division of Aging and Adult Services
Administrative Letter No. 14-12**

**North Carolina Division of Social Services
Administrative Letter No. CWS-AL-02-14**

TO: County Directors of Social Services; Adult Services Supervisors;
Children Services Supervisors

DATE: September 18, 2014

SUBJECT: Medicaid Administrative Claiming for Adults and Children

As you know, At-Risk Case Management Services for Adults and Children terminated on June 30, 2014. **Effective July 1, 2014**, county departments of social services are allowed to claim reimbursement for a set of activities known as Medicaid Administrative Claiming (MAC) Please see link below.

http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/bulletin/pdfbulletin/0614_Special_Bulletin_MAC.pdf

The Divisions of Aging and Adult Services, Social Services, and Medical Assistance along with the Public Consulting Group jointly conducted webinars during the month of June and live classroom trainings beginning in July 2014. These trainings have provided an in-depth presentation of MAC and the allowable activities, including case examples as well as presenting the new SIS service codes and descriptions.

The Division of Medical Assistance has subsequently provided additional guidance to the Divisions of Aging and Adult Services and Social Services that outlines the framework for billing activities to MAC. The memorandum is the basis upon which the two divisions are conducting training, consultation, technical assistance, and monitoring beginning later this state fiscal year. (Please see link below)

http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/county/MAC_AdminMemo_0814.pdf

The Adult Services Section Training Resource web page includes the updated MAC Desk Guide that describes the MAC SIS codes and activities; the revised staff travel and transportation guide; the updated adult services case study; the current Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) and all of the training materials for MAC. (See link below)

http://www.ncdhhs.gov/aging/adultsvcs/afs_training/2014/MACAC/macac.htm

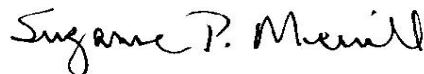
The Divisions of Aging and Adult Services and Social Services are continuing to conduct joint MAC trainings. See the link below for information about these training events.

<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/aging/adultsvcs/TrainingCalendar.pdf>

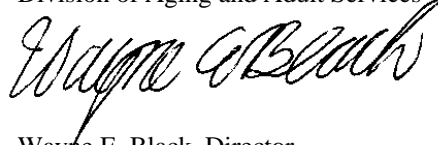
(Note: although MAC training is listed on the Division of Aging and Adult Services' website, it is open to both children and adult staff, including training materials for both divisions)

If you have questions about this information, please submit them to the Adult Services List Serve <http://www.ncdhhs.gov/aging/adultsvcs/aprlist.htm> for adult questions and to Child Welfare List Serve <http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dss/team/CPRLlist.html> for child welfare questions.

Sincerely,



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