CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL NO. 07-05, NCHC CLASSIFICATION CHANGES

DATE: SEPTEMBER 28, 2004

Manual: Family and Children's Medicaid

Change No: 07- 05

To: County Directors of Social Services

Effective: October 1, 2004

I. BACKGROUND

It is currently difficult for the counties to make classification corrections to North Carolina Health Choice cases during an existing 12 month coverage period. Work began with the BlueCross and BlueShield to allow county case workers to change class, maintenance and income. It was determined that counties need to be able to make corrections into EIS to any Medicaid class within NCHC for the ongoing effective months.

II. CONTENT OF CHANGE

The following changes were made:

- A. MA-3255, NC Health Choice, policy is changed to allow for a NCHC case approved into an incorrect classification in error to be changed during the enrollment period, effective the ongoing month.
- B. The Attachment 5, Change in Household Situation, chart is changed to reflect the ability to make this code change.

III. EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION

This change is effective October 1, 2004.

IV. MAINTENANCE OF MANUAL

Remove: MA-3255, NC Health Choice, pages 17, 18, and 25 through 48.

Insert: MA-3255, NC Health Choice, pages 17, 18 and 25 through 49, dated

10/1/04.

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Remove: MA-3255 Attachment 5, Changes in Household Situation

Insert: MA-3255 Attachment 5, Changes in Household Situation dated

10/1/04.

If you have any questions, please contact your Medicaid Program Representative.

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