CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL NO. 10-11, CCNC/CA MANDATORY ENROLLMENT OF SAA RECIPIENTS & FIGURES/ATTACHMENTS REMOVAL

DATE: JUNE 27, 2011

Manual:	Family and Children's Medicaid
Change No:	10-11
То:	County Directors of Social Services

Effective: July 1, 2011

I. BACKGROUND

The North Carolina State Plan was amended in January 2011 to add Special Assistance for the Aged (SAA) recipients, as recipients to enroll in Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA). The Medicaid manual sections regarding SAA are revised to reflect this.

DMA is converting all figures and attachments either into a form or incorporating them into the policy. Figures/attachments are excluded from the policy manuals and the links are changed from the figure/attachment to forms. This procedure will be done in all Family and Children's (FC) and Aged, Blind, and Disabled (ABD) sections over the next few months.

II. CONTENT OF CHANGE

MA-3435, Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA), is revised to:

- A. Remove figures 1 through 12 and any reference to figures.
- B. Add SAA recipients to the mandatory/optional CCNC/CA coverage chart.
- C. Remove Medicaid Services for the Blind (MSB) as a valid Aid Program Category from the mandatory/optional coverage chart. This coverage program has moved to Special Assistance for the Disabled (SAD).
- D. Add Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA) phone number.
- E. Add Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA) hours of operation.

F. Remove reference to the CCNC/CA letters as templates. CCNC/CA letters were previously converted to forms.

G. Include Ex Parte review reference for Medicaid for Infants and Children (MIC) and North Carolina Health Choice (NCHC) Re-Enrollments.

III. EFFECTIVE DATE

This policy is effective upon receipt. Apply this policy to Medicaid applications, reapplications or redeterminations taken on or after 01/01/2011 as well as to those presently in process.

IV. MAINTENANCE OF MANUAL

- A. Remove: MA-3435, Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA), pages 3-26 and Figures 1-12.
- B. Insert: <u>MA-3435</u>, Community Care of North Carolina/Carolina Access (CCNC/CA), pages, 3-26 dated 07/01/11.

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

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