CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL NO. 19-04, REOPENING EMERGENCY APPLICATIONS

DATE: MAY 14, 2004

Manual: Aged, Blind, and Disabled Medicaid

Change No: 19-04

To: County Directors of Social Services

Effective: June 1, 2004

I. CONTENT OF CHANGE

MA-2304, Processing the Application, and MA-2504, Citizen/Alien Requirements, are changed regarding reopening emergency applications. If a favorable decision of emergency dates is received from DMA after the application is denied, reopen the application as an administrative application using the original date of application.'

Further clarification has been added regarding the number of days to authorize for labor and delivery.

II. IMPLEMENTATION

This policy is effective June 1, 2004. Apply this policy to any emergency applications for emergency services that you are currently processing upon receipt of this material.

III. MAINTENANCE OF MANUAL

A. Remove: MA-2304, Processing the Application, page 9 and 10.

Insert: MA-2304, Processing the Application, page 9 and 10 effective June 1.

2004.

B. Remove: MA-2504, Citizen/Alien Requirements, page 17 through 22

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June 1, 2004.

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

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