

North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services **Division of Medical Assistance**

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Beverly Eaves Perdue, Governor Lanier M. Cansler, Secretary

Craigan L. Gray, MD, MBA, JD, Director

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Re: Medicaid Program Representative Retirement

Dear County Director of Social Services:

Vickie Lewis, Medicaid Program Representative in the Northeastern part of the state, will be retiring effective Friday, May 1. Travel and hiring are currently restricted which prevent us from hiring a replacement for Mrs. Lewis. As such, we are temporarily assigning MPR's to each of Mrs. Lewis' counties for email and telephone consultation. Their phone numbers and email addresses are available on the DMA website at http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/county/mprcontact.pdf.

Please note the MPR temporarily assigned to the following counties. We ask that the Income Maintenance Directors and Medicaid / NCHC Supervisors for those counties ensure that calls and inquiries are directed to the assigned MPR unless their on-line schedule or voice mail indicates that they are unavailable. As always, should the assigned MPR be on leave or unavailable, you may contact another for assistance.

Bertie -Regina Massie Camden -Elizabeth Odell Chowan -**Judith Strong** Currituck -Joyce Fritts Dare -Oriel Homan Gates -Valerie Sutton Hertford -Beverly Lamb Northampton - Rhonda Dalton Pasquotank -**Judith Strong** Perquimans Michael Winfield Tyrrell -Oriel Homan

Thank you for your understanding during these difficult times of budget reductions. We will inform you when we are able to fill the position vacated by Mrs. Lewis. Please direct questions to your Medicaid Program Representative.

Sincerely,

Craigan L. Gray, MD, MBA, JD



