



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

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Dear County DSS Director:

Attached is a Public Notice representing a proposed change to include a reimbursement methodology to cost settle the NC Health Choice Program enacted by Session Law 2015-264, Section 89. The amendment will become effective July 1, 2016.

Please post this notice in your facility so that interested parties may be made aware of this proposed change and may comment as necessary. The posting can be removed after ninety days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

Teresa J. Smith

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Administrative Service Manager

Attachment: Public Notice (SPA 15-0001 Health Choice LHD Cost Settlement)

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PUBLIC NOTICE
(Title XXI SPA 15-0001 Cost Settlement LHD)

The Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance hereby provides notice of its intent to amend the Child Health Plan under Title XXI Children's Health Insurance Program, for the purpose of including a reimbursement methodology to cost settle covered services rendered by Local Health Departments to North Carolina Health Choice recipients. Effective July 1, 2016, Local Health Departments will be reimbursed their allowable cost for rendering covered services to North Carolina Health Choice recipients. North Carolina Health Choice allowable cost will be determined using the same methodology that is used for Medicaid covered services.

The filing of this SPA is pursuant to Session Law 2015-264, Section 89.

This amendment will become effective July 1, 2016.

The annual estimated state fiscal impact of this change is:

- a. SFY 2017 \$ 0.00
- b. SFY 2018 \$ 0.00

A copy of the proposed public notice may be viewed at the county department of social services. Questions, comments and requests for copies of the proposed State Plan amendment should be directed to the Division of Medical Assistance at the address listed below:

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