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**Attention:
Hospice Providers**

Concurrent Hospice and Personal Care Services for Adults

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Clinical Coverage Policy 3D, *Hospice Services*, has been amended to allow concurrent hospice and personal care services (PCS) to be provided to Medicaid-only and dually-eligible adults residing in their primary private residence. **On January 1, 2016**, the revised policy will become effective and will be available on the DMA website.

DMA will be conducting webinars to educate providers on this policy change and the process to coordinate hospice services and PCS. To register for a webinar, go to the following links:

- **Tuesday, Dec. 8, 2015 from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.**
<https://libertyhealthnc.webex.com/libertyhealthnc/onstage/g.php?MTID=ea98c614883458ee8680cf1d9c7c49c23>
- **Monday, Dec. 14, 2015 from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.**
<https://libertyhealthnc.webex.com/libertyhealthnc/onstage/g.php?MTID=e0dfb90e8655802a8d56826d60b1a6c0d>
- **Tuesday, December 29, 2015 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.**
<https://libertyhealthnc.webex.com/libertyhealthnc/onstage/g.php?MTID=ebd793312389e40020ce24c880abe46c9>

Providers must pre-register to attend a webinar. Once registered, providers will receive an invitation providing details about joining and participating in the webinar. There is a registration limit, so early registration is encouraged. The live sessions will be recorded and made available on the DMA website to all providers at the conclusion of the event.

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