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MEMORANDUM

DATE:	September 9, 2019
SUBJECT:	Update to State Plan for Health Benefits (295)
FROM:	Arthur Becton, State Plan Amendment Coordinator
TO:	DHB Management & State Plan E-mail Subscribers

The following changes were made in the NC Medicaid State Plan Manual. You may view the Plan on DHB's website at <u>https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/get-involved/nc-health-choice-state-plan</u>.

SPA 19-0001 (Physician Services UPL): This state plan amendment will increase the number of eligible medical professional providers by 60 and supplemental payments paid to the eligible physicians who are a part of either the School of Medicine of East Carolina University or the University of North Carolina Health Care System.

OLD PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 5, pages 2; 2a (NEW)
NEW PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 5, pages 2; 3 (REMOVE)

<u>SPA 19-0002 Local Health Department (LHB) Labs</u>: This state plan change is to remove lab service payments from cost settlement altogether and reimburse them at the Medicare Fee Schedule amount in addition to an administrative correction to correct the numbering sequence.

OLD PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 9, pages 1.2 and 1.3
NEW PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 9, pages 1.2 and 1.3

<u>SPA 19-0003 Laboratory:</u> This state plan change is to remove lab service payments for Local Health Departments (LHDs) from cost settlement and reimburse them at the Medicare Fee Schedule amount.

OLD PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 3, page 1
NEW PAGE(S):	Attachment 4.19-B, Section 3, page 1

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