August 30, 2013

Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) LTC Policy Transmittal 13-03

Applicable to:
- Capitated Managed Care Plan Contract Type
- LTC Plan Type
  - LTC HMO

- Fee-for-Service PSN Contract Type
- LTC Plan Type
  - LTC FFS PSN

Re: SMMC Long-term Care (LTC) Utilization Report

Dear LTC HMOs and LTC Fee-for-Service PSN:

The purpose of this policy transmittal is to notify long-term care (LTC) plans that the utilization data required in the LTC Contract (Attachment II, Exhibit 5, Section V, Covered Services-LTC Plans, and Exhibit 12, Section XII, Reporting Requirements-LTC Plans) is not required to be reported until the quarter beginning January 1, 2014 for LTC plans that are operational between August 1, 2013 and December 31, 2013. Therefore, the first Utilization Report will be due within thirty (30) calendar days after March 31, 2014 for the January through March 2014 reporting quarter from LTC plans operational at that time. The SMMC LTC Report Guide will be revised to reflect this change.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your Bureau of Health Systems Development contract manager at (850) 412-4004.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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Deputy Secretary for Medicaid

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