

**INFORMATION MEMORANDUM**

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**TO:** Area Agency on Aging Directors

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**SUBJECT:** State Taxonomy and NAMIS Updates

**CONTENT:** Area Agency on Aging FY16 Plans and NAMIS data entry have been reviewed. Several services were not being offered as part of an Area Plan and were not being documented in NAMIS. The following services have been removed from the State Taxonomy and have been de-activated in NAMIS.

- Mental Health Counseling
- Home Health Aide
- Employment Placement

Some services were not being used in NAMIS and in FY16 Area Plans. These services were not part of the State Taxonomy. The following services have been de-activated in NAMIS.

- Interpretation/Translation
- Supportive Services/Senior Help
- Care Management Short Form
- Care Management Quality Assurance

Two services were re-named to have a more consistent naming format and to denote the service's funding source. The services were updated in the State Taxonomy and in NAMIS.

- **Public Information** was renamed to **Information Services – III B**
- **Care Management Title III Fund** was renamed to **Case Management – III B**

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