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TO: Hospitals Participating In The Nebraska Medicaid Program.

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RE: Peer Review Organization

The Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services Division of Medicaid & Long-Term Care has contracted with Qualis Health, a Peer Review Organization (PRO). They will perform utilization review services for Nebraska Medicaid patients not enrolled in a Managed Care Organization (MCO) beginning November 1, 2007. These reviews were previously conducted by the Nebraska Foundation for Medical Care (NFMC).

You will receive additional information from Qualis Health under separate cover. Qualis Health may be contacted at the following:

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This contract with the PRO will not affect the current policies and procedures governing the Nebraska Medical Assistance Program.

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