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TO: Medicaid Providers/Presumptive Providers

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RE: Citizenship and Presumptive Eligibility for Pregnant Women

EFFECTIVE DATE: Immediately

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH ADMINISTRATIVE, CLINICAL AND
BILLING STAFF

This Bulletin is being distributed to inform you that, effective immediately, an attestation form is required when you take a presumptive eligibility application. Because eligibility will now be determined based on the pregnant woman's eligibility, rather than the unborn's eligibility, her citizenship status must be evaluated.

Presumptive Eligibility. Presumptive eligibility is available for pregnant women. An attestation form for declaration of citizenship status will need to be completed and included with the MS-91 application. That form may be accessed at www.das.state.ne.us/lb403/attestation_form.pdf.

Questions regarding this memo should be addressed to your Medicaid Program Specialist or to Margaret Ahola in Eligibility Policy at (402) 471-1689. See the following web site:
<http://www.hhs.state.ne.us/med/contacts.htm>