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TO: Local District Commissioners

FROM: Martin J. Conroy, Acting Deputy Commissioner, Health & Long Term Care and Ellen J. Anderson, Dept. of Health Dir. of Managed Care

SUBJECT: September 3, 1996 Meeting

EFFECTIVE DATE: Immediately

CONTACT PERSON: Jennifer Dean, (518) 486-9015

There will be a meeting of all local district commissioners and/or managed care coordinators in Albany on September 3, 1996 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Desmond Americana Hotel (site of the Annual Managed Care Conference which begins the following morning).

Discussions at the meeting will include procedures for the implementation of the new model contract. In addition, we are in receipt of a draft response from the Health Care Financing Administration which outlines the terms and conditions for the implementation of the 1115 waiver. Negotiations will begin shortly with HCFA. We will give an update on the status of the 1115 waiver.

Please note that your attendance at this meeting does not guarantee registration into the conference. You must have registered for the conference separately to attend. Please confirm your attendance by COB August 30, 1996. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Dean at (518) 486-9015.