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This is to inform local departments of social services that the Medicaid Reference Guide (MRG) is now available electronically on the web. The MRG can be accessed through the Internet at:

<http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/medicaid/mrg/index.htm>

or

[www.health.state.ny.us](http://www.health.state.ny.us)

If the latter web address is chosen, click either "Info for Consumers," "Info for Providers," or "Info for Researchers" to get to the Medicaid link.

The electronic version of the MRG has a search function where you can search for a specific topic within a section. MRG updates are integrated within the body of the MRG and listed in a separate Updates section as well.

Note districts will continue to receive paper copies of the MRG and updates. In addition, within the next few months, the MRG should also be available on the New York State Human Services Intranet Site.