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TO: Local District Commissioners, Medicaid Directors

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SUBJECT: Correct Coding of Medicaid Applicant/Recipients' Gender

EFFECTIVE DATE: Immediately

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This GIS message reminds local districts of the importance of correctly coding a Medicaid applicant/recipients (A/Rs) gender in the Welfare Management System (WMS).

Failure to enter the correct gender code can result in the assignment of a duplicate client identification number and incorrect payment/non-payment to Medicaid providers for gender related care, services and supplies.