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Dementia Grants Program
Request for Applications (RFA)

Dear Nursing Home Administrator:

I am pleased to inform you that the Dementia Grants Program Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on the Department's website (www.health.state.ny.us/funding) on or about September 29, 2006. We've also posted a link to the website page on HPN.

An information meeting on the RFA is scheduled for October 27, 2006, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm, at the Margaret W. Krause Center, 2212 Burdett Avenue, Troy, NY 12180. Please register for the meeting, and direct all questions concerning it, to dementiagrantsprogram@nehealth.com. All questions on the RFA should also be submitted to this e-mail address. All questions must be submitted in writing and will not be accepted via telephone.

Applications must be submitted by December 29, 2006, 4:30 pm to Beth Dichter, Ph.D., Division of Quality and Surveillance, NYS Department of Health, 161 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Keith W. Servis".

Keith Servis, Director
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for Nursing Homes and ICFs/MR