September 1, 2006

Dear Assisted Living for the Elderly Waiver Provider:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of an increase in the per diem rate for the Assisted Living for the Elderly waiver.

Effective July 1, 2006, the per diem rate has increased from $28.00 per day to $32.20. You do not need to take any action to receive this rate increase. The increase will be applied automatically.

The Assisted Living for the Elderly Waiver and Assistive Care Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook is under revision to include this change.

If you have questions, you may contact Carol Schultz in the Bureau of Medicaid Services at (850) 922-7349 or your area Medicaid office.

Sincerely,

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