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SECRETARY

March 1, 2007

Dear Medicaid Services Recipient:

The 2004 Florida Legislature directed the Agency for Health Care Administration to create a Hospitalist program in Miami-Dade and Palm Beach Counties in certain hospitals that serve Medicaid patients.

A hospitalist is a doctor who will coordinate your care while you are in the hospital. This doctor spends most of the day at the hospital. If you choose to be admitted to one of the hospitals listed below, the hospitalist doctor will coordinate your care for you instead of your primary care physician (PCP) while you are in the hospital. Your hospitalist doctor and your PCP will be in contact on the date of admission, during your hospitalization, and on the date of your discharge to coordinate your care. When discharged, you will return to the care of your PCP. If you are not satisfied with the care received from the hospitalist physician, you will have the right to file a grievance or request a hearing.

The list of hospitals and Hospitalist companies in your area is:

Hospital	County	Hospitalist Company
Coral Gables Hospital, LTD.	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Tenet Hialeah Health Systems, Inc	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Tenet Health Systems, North Shore, Inc	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Palm Springs General Hospital	Miami-Dade	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022
Cedars Healthcare Group, LTD	Miami-Dade	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022
Parkway Regional Medical Center	Miami-Dade	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc. (888) 863-0717
Palmetto General Hospital	Miami-Dade	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc. (888) 863-0717
Mercy Hospital, Inc.	Miami-Dade	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc. (888) 863-0717
Pan American Hospital Corp.	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Aventura Hospital & Medical Center	Miami-Dade	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc (888) 863-0717

Kendall Medical Center	Miami-Dade	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022
Baptist Hospital of Miami	Miami-Dade	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022
Tenet St. Mary's, Inc.	Palm Beach	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Bethesda Healthcare System	Palm Beach	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc. (888) 863-0717
Columbia JFK Medical CTR,LP	Palm Beach	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022

When admitted as an inpatient to one of the above hospitals, as a recipient of Medicaid services, you will receive the services of the Medicaid hospitalist doctor. The Hospitalist program will begin May 1, 2007. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Thomas W. Arnold
Deputy Secretary for Medicaid



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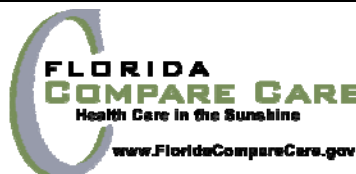
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Estimado Cliente de Medicaid:

Debido a la sesión de la legislatura del Estado de la Florida celebrada en el 2004, la Agencia para la Administración del Cuidado Medico de la Florida (siglas en inglés, AHCA) proveerá un programa “Hospitalist” en los condados de Miami-Dade y Palm Beach en ciertos hospitales que atienden a los clientes de Medicaid.

Un doctor “hospitalist” es un doctor que va a coordinar sus servicios de salud mientras usted está en el hospital. Este doctor pasa la mayoría del día en el hospital. Si usted elige ser admitido a uno de los hospitales participantes indicados abajo, el doctor “hospitalist” coordinará sus servicios de salud en lugar de su doctor de cabecera (PCP) mientras usted está en el hospital. Su doctor “hospitalist” y su doctor PCP estarán en contacto en el día de su admisión, durante su hospitalización, y en el día de su salida para coordinar sus servicios de salud. Cuando usted salga del hospital, usted volverá a ser tratado por su doctor PCP. Si usted no esta satisfecho con los cuidados recibidos del doctor “hospitalist,” usted tiene el derecho de someter una queja o pedir una vista o audiencia administrativa. Los hospitales y compañías de doctores “hospitalist” en su area son:

Hospital	Condado	Compañía Hospitalist
Coral Gables Hospital, LTD.	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Tenet Hialeah Health Systems, Inc	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Tenet Health Systems, North Shore, Inc	Miami-Dade	Hospitalists of America, Inc. (888) 313-2150
Palm Springs General Hospital	Miami-Dade	Florida Hospital Medicine Services, Inc. (866) 236-0022
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Parkway Regional Medical Center	Miami-Dade	Inpatient Clinical Solutions, Inc. (888) 863-0717
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Cuando usted es admitido como internado a uno de los hospitals mencionados arriba como recipiente de servicios de Medicaid, usted recibirá los servicios del doctor "hospitalist" de Medicaid. El programa "Hospitalist" empezará el primero de mayo, 2007. Gracias por su cooperación.

Sinceramente,



Thomas W. Arnold
Deputy Secretary for Medicaid

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