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MEDICAID COMMUNICATION NO- 93-9

DATE: 3/30/93

TO: County Welfare Agency Directors

SUBJECT: Deferring the use of LOOPS and State Wage Reporting System for Medicaid Applicants

Medicaid Communication No. 92-16 advised the county welfare agencies that access of the Local Office On-Line Payments System (LOOPS) and the State Wage Reporting System was required for all Medicaid Only, New Jersey Care, and Medically Needy cases at the time of application and that a copy of the appropriate screen(s) must be placed in the case record.

It had been anticipated at that time that LOOPS would be available to the county staff through the OTIS Medicaid Eligibility System allowing easy access to the information required. Regrettably, LOOPS is not yet available through OTIS. Therefore, previous instructions requiring a copy of the LOOPS screen(s) in the case record shall be deferred until further notice.

Questions regarding this communication should be referred to the Medicaid field staff assigned to your county.

Sincerely,

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