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DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES

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**MEDICAID COMMUNICATION NO. 99-7**

**DATE: APRIL 14, 1999**

**TO:** County Welfare Agency Directors

**SUBJECT:** Potential NJ KidCare Plan D Case Referrals

As you are aware, effective July 1, 1999, the NJ KidCare Program will be expanded to include those children whose family incomes fall between 201% and 350% of the federal poverty level. This expanded population of eligible children will be referred to as NJ KidCare Plan D.

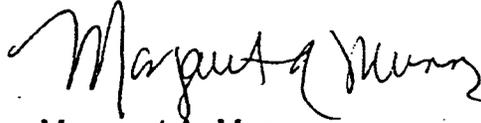
In anticipation of this expansion, the county welfare agencies may begin to refer potential NJ KidCare Plan D cases to the State designated eligibility determination agency for evaluation and processing. The mailing address is:

NJ KidCare  
P.O. Box 4818  
Trenton, NJ 08650-4818

Until the implementation of NJ KidCare Plan D, in an effort to avoid possible confusion with NJ KidCare Plan B and Plan C cases that may be currently eligible, it is requested that all potential NJ KidCare Plan D cases be forwarded under separate cover and clearly identified as such.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation. If you have any questions concerning this communication, please contact the Bureau of Eligibility Operations at (609) 588-2773.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Margaret A. Murray".

Margaret A. Murray  
Director

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