

December 7, 2022

## DEAR COUNTY DIRECTORS OF SOCIAL SERVICES

DEAR EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS OF LICENSED CHILD PLACING AGENCIES

ATTENTION: DIRECTORS, PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS, MANAGERS, SUPERVISORS, AND SOCIAL WORKERS

SUBJECT: TAILORED CARE MANAGEMENT RESOURCES FOR CHILD WELFARE STAFF

**REQUIRED ACTION:** \_\_\_ Information Only \_\_\_ Time Sensitive \_\_\_ Immediate Acton

On December 1, 2022 children and youth in foster care who are eligible began receiving Tailored Care Management. The Division of Health Benefits/NC Medicaid provided webinar trainings on Tailored Care Management for child welfare staff on November 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>. The training materials and a recording of the webinar Transition to Tailored *Care Management for Children/Youth Served by the Child Welfare System: A Resource for County DSS and Other Stakeholders* will be posted at <a href="https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/tailored-care-management#previous-webinars-and-meetings">https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/tailored-care-management#previous-webinars-and-meetings</a> and are included in the attachments with this letter.

The Division of Health Benefits/NC Medicaid has also developed two reference guides for use by child welfare workers; *Tailored Care Management for Children and Youth Served by the Child Welfare System - Quick Reference Guide* and the 12/1 Tailored Care Management Launch for Children/Youth in Foster Care FAQs. These documents are attached.

Please contact <u>Medicaid.NCEngagement@dhhs.nc.gov</u> if you have questions regarding Tailored Care Management.

Sincerely,

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## Attachments:

- 1. Tailored Care Management for Children and Youth Served by the Child Welfare System Quick Reference Guide
- 2. 12/1 Tailored Care Management Launch for Children/Youth in Foster Care FAQs
- 3. Transition to Tailored Care Management for Children/Youth Served by the Child Welfare System: A Resource for County DSS and Other Stakeholders