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DEAR COUNTY DIRECTORS OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ATTENTION: CHILD WELFARE ADMINISTRATORS AND SUPERVISORS

SUBJECT: CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES REVIEWS (CFSRs)

The Division of Social Services would like to announce the schedule of Child and Family Services Reviews (CFSRs) for January – June 2012. The Division will be reviewing the following counties:

Jan. 9-13	Onslow
Jan. 23-27	Robeson
Feb. 6-10	Alexander
Feb. 20-24	Forsyth
Mar. 5-9	Durham
Mar. 19-23	Stokes
Apr. 10-13	Polk
Apr. 23-27	Dare
May 7-11	Orange
May 21-25	Buncombe
June 4-8	Person
June 18-22	Caldwell

The focus of the CFSR process is on continuous quality improvement to achieve the positive outcomes of safety, permanency and well-being for children and families. The review of the cases is designed to measure practice and progress towards successfully meeting those outcomes. Forty-five days prior to the review, the Division will provide the case sample and other information needed to facilitate the review to the agency director. Both the CFSR protocol (DSS-5287) and the CFSR on-site review tool (DSS-5223) are available to review and utilize in preparation for the upcoming reviews. Any questions regarding this letter should be directed to Daphne Green (daphne.green@dhhs.nc.gov | 919-334-1163).

Sincerely,

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