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MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH · Secretary

SUSAN OSBORNE · Assistant Secretary for County Operations for Human Services

May 31, 2019

Subject: County Holiday Schedule

Dear County Directors of Social Services:

HUMAN SERVICES

Please indicate on the attached sheet your county's holidays or days your agency will be closed all day for business from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020. This information is critical to ensure automated notices to recipients reflect the correct ten business days for the appeal period. Once automated notices are mailed with calculated appeal dates, the State cannot retroactively change county holiday schedules. Changes to the holiday schedule must be submitted to the State DSS thirty (30) calendar days prior to the requested day to be changed. This will ensure that dates for automated notices and application reports are calculated correctly. Please fax the completed attachment to DSS Information Support, ATTN: Gwen Minter at (919) 334-1052 or email to Dhhs.dss.automation@dhhs.nc.gov by August 31, 2019.

Some counties are unable to comply within the requested time frame because holidays have not been approved by their county commissioners. If this is the case, please indicate by August 31, 2019, when this information will be made available. The State holiday schedule will be used for your county until the county's holiday schedule is received. For your convenience, the State holiday schedule is attached.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Gwen Minter with Information Support at (919) 527-6270.

Sincerely,

Sharma Shaw

Shauna Shaw, Chief Performance Management

Attachments

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NC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES • DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES •

PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SECTION

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HOLIDAYS OR DAYS AGENCY WILL BE CLOSED FOR BUSINESS FROM JANUARY 1, 2020 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2020

Please list each date separately. Give month and day.

HOLIDAY

MONTH AND DAY

Please fax or email by August 31, 2019 to:

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NC Department of Health and Human Services 2020 Holiday Schedule

Holiday	Observance Date	Day of Week
New Year's Day	January 1, 2020	Wednesday
Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday	January 20, 2020	Monday
Good Friday	April 10, 2020	Friday
Memorial Day	May 25, 2020	Monday
Independence Day	July 3, 2020	Friday
Labor Day	September 7, 2020	Monday
Veterans Day	November 11, 2020	Wednesday
Thanksgiving	November 26 & 27, 2020	Thursday & Friday
Christmas	December 24, 25 & 28, 2020	Thursday, Friday & Monday