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Dear County Director of Social Services/Child Support Enforcement Agency Directors:

Subject: DSS Fiscal Manual Updates/Changes

The DSS Fiscal Manual has been reissued with the date of March 31, 2011. The reissued DSS Fiscal Manual replaces all past issuances of the DSS Fiscal Manual. The DSS Fiscal Manual is available to local DSS personnel via the DHHS Office of the Controller website. In addition, copies of the most important correspondence (e.g. Dear County Director letters and Dear Child Support Enforcement Agency Directors letters) are posted on our website for your convenience for viewing or downloading.

You may view or download the DSS Fiscal Manual from the DHHS Office of the Controller Home page: <u>http://www.ncdhhs.gov/control/</u>

Click on County Departments of Social Services Click on Fiscal Manual

The following is a brief summary of the updates/changes made to this fiscal manual reissue.

- 1) Medicaid Interpretation Services coding was added. The Part I and Part II reporting criteria for the new application codes can be found in sections III A and III B respectively.
- 2) Health Choice Interpretation Services coding was added. The Part I and Part II reporting criteria for the new application codes can be found in sections III A and III B respectively.
- 3) Correction was made on the location of General Statue regarding fees in section II A-8.
- 4) Appendix-I under the linked titled "New Updates 3rd Qtr" for a direct link to these and other DSS Fiscal Manual revisions.

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If there are questions concerning this DSS Fiscal Manual or how to access the website, please contact the County Administration Accounting Unit at (919) 733-2306.

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Sincerely,

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