

## State of New Jersey

## DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES

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**TO:** County Welfare Agency/Board of Social Services

**SUBJECT:** Transfer of Disability Determinations Function

The Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services is pleased to announce the transfer of the Medicaid disability determination functions from the Bureau of Medical Affairs, Division of Public Welfare to our Office of Eligibility Policy and Operations. The "new" Disability Review Section will continue to operate in accordance with the established policies and will retain the services of Mary Donna Wasilewski and Alice Merritt and will also include Ronald Wood, M.D. as Medical Consultant. We look forward to providing the same level of service and support which you have come to expect from the Division of Public Welfare.

Effective April 3, 1989, please forward all disability packets and inquiries concerning the status of pending cases to the new unit, as follows:

State of New Jersey Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services Disability Review Section CN 712 Trenton, New Jersey 08625 (609) 588-2934

We hope that this consolidation of the critical eligibility component with the other eligibility functions of this Division will enhance the delivery of services to our clientele.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Russo, Director Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services

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cc: Marion Reitz, Director Division of Public Welfare

> William Waldman, Director Division of Youth and Family Services

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