

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE STATE MEDICAID PLAN

The Department of Social Services (DSS) proposes to amend its Medicaid State Plan on October 1, 2011

In accordance with Public Act 11-44, Section 85(d), DSS intends to amend Attachments 3.1-A and 3.1-B of the Connecticut Medicaid State Plan pertaining to podiatry services. Under State Plan Amendment 11-028, DSS will restore coverage of services provided by independent podiatrists for clients 21 years of age and older. The final fiscal impact for this change has not been determined.

Copies of the proposed changes may be obtained at each of the DSS's regional offices and on the DSS web site: www.dss.state.ct.us. Go to "Publications" and then to "News and Updates". For information please contact 860-424-5486.

Written comments may be sent by October 11, 2011 to:

Director of Medical Care Administration
Re: 11-028, State Plan Amendment for Podiatry Services
Department of Social Services
25 Sigourney Street, 11th floor
Hartford, CT 06106

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Supersedes
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Approval Date _____

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