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To: County Agency Directors County Financial Managers

Providers Receiving CARS Payments

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From: Robert Halverson, Director

Bureau of Fiscal Services

Subject: Change to the Procedure for Submitting CARS Expenditure Report(s) for Payment

As part of an ongoing effort, by the Department of Health Services (DHS), to streamline processes, the following changes will be effective April 1, 2013:

- (1) Providers will no longer be required to submit expense reports with original signatures through the U.S. mail:
 - ✓ All expenses, submitted for payment after April 1, 2013, should be e-mailed as an attachment on form: F-00642 Community Aids Reporting System (CARS) Expenditure Report https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forms/f0/f00642.xlsm
 - ✓ All expenses should be submitted through e-mail to: DHS600RCars@wi.gov
- (2) Each month it is important to access the following internet site http://apps.health.wisconsin.gov/cars/GetIndexServlet for current CARS information:
 - ✓ Click on the "CARS System Messages." The CARS messages are updated monthly and provide news to all providers regarding contract closeouts as well as other key information.
 - ✓ Click on "CARS Reports" to view and print your agency's monthly CARS report to match your payments.
- (3) If a difference exists, on an expense report, within a \$5 variance of the expense total, CARS staff will correct the expense report, scan it and e-mail the corrected report to your agency.

If you have any questions regarding how to complete the F-00642 form, or any questions regarding the change in policy, please contact:

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