



UPDATE REGARDING RATE REDUCTIONS AND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDERS

In response to concerns received from professional services providers affected by the rate reductions put in place over the last year, weekly retroactive claims adjustments were postponed effective July 27, 2010. The Department will resume these adjustments beginning in late September. Providers should refer to www.lamedicaid.com on Tuesday, Aug 24, 2010 for a memorandum that will provide details. The memorandum provides a means by which providers can inquire about an alternative payment plan, request an estimated total dollar amount of the adjustment balance, or to submit questions.