GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Department of Health Care Finance

Office of the Senior Deputy Director



Transmittal No. 14-12

TO:

Home Health Agencies Providing Personal Care Aide Services under Medicaid

FROM:

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JAN 1 3 2014

DATE:

SUBJECT: Medicare Enrollment Requirement for Medicaid Participation

The purpose of this Transmittal is to request that all home health agencies providing Personal Care Aide (PCA) submit their Medicare Supplier Letter to the Department of Health Care Finance to verify enrollment in the Medicare program by Feb. 28, 2014.

Under Section 5001.1 of Title 29 DCMR, each home health agency providing PCA services under Medicaid must be enrolled as a Medicare home health agency qualified to offer skilled services. Section 5001.3 (d) requires the Medicare Supplier Letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Laurie Rowe, Manager in the Division of Public and Provider Services. Ms. Rowe can be reached by phone on 202/698-2044 or by email at Laurie.rowe@dc.gov.