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**TO: All *KyHealth Choices* Providers  
General Provider Letter Number: A-75**

**RE: Updated Implementation Date of New Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS)  
in Kentucky**

Dear *KyHealth Choices* Provider:

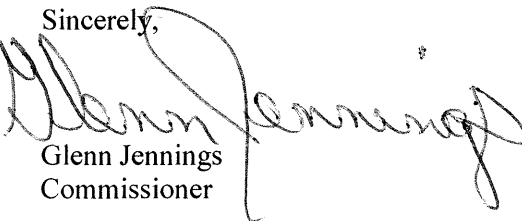
The Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) and EDS have been working to complete the testing of our new Medicaid claims payment system. Testing is proceeding well and the new MMIS will go live on June 4, 2007, with the first payment cycle scheduled for June 8, 2007.

The final claims payment cycle in the current (legacy) system will begin May 25, 2007. Electronic claim submissions for this final cycle will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. EST on May 25<sup>th</sup>. Paper claims received by EDS on or before May 18<sup>th</sup> and completely adjudicated will go into the final claims cycle. Any paper or ECS claims received before the cut-off date but are not completely adjudicated in the legacy MMIS by May 25<sup>th</sup> will be denied and must be resubmitted by the provider. Any paper claims received after May 18<sup>th</sup>, and electronic claims received after 5:00 p.m. EST on May 25<sup>th</sup>, will be processed in the new MMIS.

In order to ensure a smooth transition to the new system, DMS will remove the 21-day cash management hold for the May 25<sup>th</sup> cycle. The 21-day hold will be in effect for the first payment cycle executed in the new system June 8, 2007.

If you have any questions, please call our provider help desk at (800) 807-1232.

Sincerely,



Glenn Jennings  
Commissioner

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