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MEDICAID BULLETIN

TO: Medicaid Providers of Home Delivered Meals

SUBJECT: Community Long Term Care (CLTC) Reimbursement Changes for Home Delivered Meals

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) will increase the rate of reimbursement for Home Delivered Meals for dates of service **on or after October 1, 2007**. The current rate for Home Delivered Meals will be increased from \$5.00 per meal to \$5.50 per meal.

Claims for participants receiving Home Delivered Meals in the Community Choices and HIV/AIDS waivers will continue to be filed through the Care Call system. **Claims may not be filed outside the Care Call system for these participants.** The following table lists the current procedure code utilized in waivers that have Home Delivered Meals as a service, the new rate, and effective date.

Program	Procedure Code	Procedure Description	Reimbursement Rate on or after Oct 1, 2007
Community Choices	S5170	Home Delivered Meals	\$5.50/meal
HIV/AIDS	S5170	Home Delivered Meals	\$5.50/meal

CLTC will be sending amended contracts to all providers to sign. If you have any questions concerning the above information, please contact your Program Manager at (803) 898-2590. Thank you for your continued participation in the South Carolina Medicaid program.

/s/

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Director

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