NURSING FACILITIES,
INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES
FOR
THE MENTALLY RETARDED &
HOSPICE
ROOM AND BOARD

MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT TRAINING

March 2009
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Counties: Cherokee, Chester, Chesterfield, Clarendon, Darlington, Dillon, Fairfield, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Kershaw, Lancaster, Laurens, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Newberry, Richland, Spartanburg, Sumter, Union and Williamsburg
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Nurse Aide Training and Competency Evaluation Program Evaluator
Required Documents for Billing:

*Level of Care FORM 185
*DHHS FORM 181

*NOTE:
Both forms are 2 sided.
Please review the instructions on the back of each form.
SOUTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY LONG TERM CARE
LEVEL OF CARE CERTIFICATION LETTER
FOR
MEDICAID-SPONSORED NURSING HOME CARE

NAME: _______________________________ COUNTY OF RESIDENCE: _____________________

SOCIAL SECURITY #: ___________________ MEDICAID #: _______________________________

LOCATION AT ASSESSMENT:

South Carolina Community Long Term Care has evaluated your application and has determined that:

☐ According to Medicaid criteria, you do not meet requirements for skilled or intermediate care.
This does not mean that you do not need personal or other medical care, and does not mean that
you cannot be admitted to a long term care facility. It does mean that the Medicaid program
will not be responsible to pay for your care in a long term care facility. Please do not hesitate
to contact this office if there is a change in your health status or you become more limited in
your ability to care for yourself.

☐ According to Medicaid criteria, you meet the requirements to receive long term care at the

following level:  ☐ SKILLED  ☐ INTERMEDIATE

This Certification Letter is not an approval for financial eligibility for Medicaid. You must establish financial eligibility with the
County Department of Social Services.

This letter must be presented to the long term care facility to which you are admitted. IF YOU HAVE NOT ENTERED A
FACILITY BY THE EXPIRATION DATE BELOW, YOU MUST CONTACT THE CLTC OFFICE AT _______ TO
REAPPLY. Telephone No.
If you change locations from where your assessment was made (i.e., hospital to home) your assessment must be updated and a new
effective period established.

Medicaid certification is automatically cancelled when a client enters a facility with a payment source other than Medicaid; you
must again be certified before a Medicaid conversion will be allowed.

☐ ADMINISTRATIVE DAYS  ☐ SUBACUTE CARE

☐ If the location of care is hospital, your assessment must be re-evaluated and a new effective period established
PRIOR TO TRANSFER TO A LONG TERM CARE FACILITY.

FOR LONG TERM CARE FACILITY USE

☐ TIME-LIMITED CERTIFICATION. LTC FACILITY STAFF MUST SUBMIT AN ASSESSMENT AT LEAST FIVE WORKING DAYS BEFORE THE
EXPIRATION DATE DUE. (See Expiration Date Below)

☐ THIS CLIENT HAS BEEN RECEIVING HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES FROM CLTC. CONTACT THE DSS
OFFICE IN THE CLIENT’S COUNTY OF RESIDENCE TO DETERMINE IF THE 30 CONSECUTIVE DAYS REQUIREMENT HAS
BEEN MET.

Effective Date: _________________________ Expiration Date: ____________________________

Nurse Consultant Signature: ___________________________ Date: __________________________

☐ CLIENT  ☐ CO. DSS  ☐ LTC FACILITY  ☐ PHYSICIAN  ☐ HOSPITAL  ☐ OTHER
SENT: Date: ___________________________ Initials: _________________________________

SCDHHS FORM 185 (Nov 2003)
APPEALS

As a Medicaid nursing home or home and community-based waiver applicant/recipient, you have the right to a fair hearing regarding this decision. To initiate the appeal process, you or your representative must submit a written request to the following address no later than thirty (30) days from the receipt of this notification.

Division of Appeals and Fair Hearings
Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206

You may be eligible to receive continued benefits pending a hearing decision. If you are interested in continued benefits you must contact your CLTC representative before the effective date of the action indicated above. If the hearing decision is not in your favor, you may be required to repay Medicaid benefits received pending the decision to the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services.

Please attach a copy of this notification with your request. You or your representative will be notified of the date, time and place the hearing will take place.

In your request for a fair hearing you must state with specificity, which issues(s) you with to appeal.

Unless a request is made within thirty (30) calendar days of receipt of this notification, this decision will be final and binding.

A request for a fair hearing is considered filed if postmarked by the thirtieth (30th) calendar day following receipt of this notification.
### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
#### MEDICAID PROGRAM

**NOTICE OF ADMISSION, AUTHORIZATION AND CHANGE OF STATUS FOR LONG TERM CARE**

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SCDHHS MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY APPROVAL AUTHORITY __________________ DATE __________________

SCDHHS FORM 181
SUMMARY OF INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING USE OF THE DHHS FORM 181

I. GENERAL INFORMATION:

The SCDHHS FORM 181 is utilized by Nursing Facilities (NF’s), Intermediate Care Facilities/Mental Retardation (ICF/MR’s), Institutions for Mental Disease (IMD/NF’s), Swing-Bed Hospitals (SB’s), and/or SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Workers. The SCDHHS FORM 181 is authorization to the Department of Health and Human Services for payment and reimbursement on NF, ICF/MR, IMD/NF and SB services rendered the eligible recipient. A separate form must be prepared for each eligible recipient receiving Provider Services.

II. DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS:

A. How prepared – Typewritten or clearly printed in triplicate, (set).

A. Section I – Identification of Provider and Patient:

This section is self-explanatory and will be completed in its entirety by the originating party. Please note the “HIB” suffix (Health Insurance Benefit code) of the Social Security Claim Number under item 6. This suffix (either, alpha, numeric or both) relates specifically to Medicare qualifying beneficiaries, indicating benefits under Medicare, Title XVIII (Medicare Identification Card).

B. Section II – Type of Coverage and Statistical Data:

The Provider of services and/or the SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Worker may initiate this section. This section is used to show the patient’s level of care, changes in type of care, Medicaid or Medicare admission dates, transfers/readmissions from other facilities or hospitals, terminations and for reporting coinsurance dates.

C. Section III – Authorization and Change of Status:

The SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Worker is responsible for the completion of this section. The SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Approval Authority/Supervisor or authorized representative must sign and date each form for all new admissions, income changes, and discharges home that affect income liability. In the case of filing for Medicare Coinsurance, a SCDHHS FORM 181 must be completed for each coinsurance period billed using a copy of the initial signed authorization. Coinsurance dates must be supported by Medicare Remittance Advices, must not cross a calendar month and the service dates must be consecutive. The coinsurance authorization expires if the spell of illness is broken or after 80 days of coinsurance, whichever comes first. Coinsurance claims cannot be added to the monthly computer turn-around billing document. NOTE: Effective with dates of service 12/01/01, SCDHHS no longer reimburses nursing facilities for Part A SNF coinsurance.

III. PREPARATION AND ROUTING OF FORM:

The Provider of services will normally initiate these forms. The SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Worker initiates them for all income changes and certain terminations. The Provider of services must forward the entire three page set of forms to the appropriate SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Worker only when signature authorization in Section III is required (see D above). In cases when signature is not required, the Canary copy of the SCDHHS FORM 181 must be immediately forwarded to the appropriate local SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Approval Authority Office.

IV. DISTRIBUTION OF FORM:

A. Original - Used for billing.
Canary Copy - Retained and kept on file by the appropriate SCDHHS Medicaid Eligibility Worker.
Pink Copy - Retained and kept on file by the Provider of services.

B. The Provider of services must attach the original white form to the current month’s computer billing for each change. The Provider of services will then mail the computer billing and Form 181/CLTC Certification attachments to:

MEDICAID CLAIMS RECEIPT – NF CLAIMS SECTION
POST OFFICE BOX 100122
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA  29202-3122

SCDHHS FORM 181
HOSPICE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
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4. PATIENT’S RESIDENT ADDRESS
(SREET NO., NAME., CITY, STATE & ZIP)

5. COUNTY OF RESIDENCE

6. SOCIAL SECURITY CLAIM NO. – HIB SUFFIX

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(CITY & STATE)

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SECTION III – AUTHORIZATION AND CHANGE OF STATUS:

12. RECOMMENDATION OF SCDHHS MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY WORKER (CHECK APPLICABLE BOXES AND COMPLETE)

   (A) ✓ AUTHORIZATION TO BEGIN: DATE 09/15/08 (MO) (DAY) (YR)
   (B) PATIENT NOT QUALIFIED FOR LONG TERM CARE BECAUSE
   (C) ✓ PATIENT’S INITIAL APPLICABLE RECURRING INCOME (TOTAL INCOME LESS PERSONAL ALLOWANCE) $ 0
   (D) ✓ CHANGE IN PATIENT’S INCOME (TOTAL INCOME LESS PERSONAL ALLOWANCE) EFFECTIVE: 10/08 $ 558
   (E) □ NAME CHANGE: FROM ____________________ TO ____________________ (MO) (YR)
   (F) □ OTHER (SPECIFY) ____________________

Signed by SCDHHS Eligibility Authority ____________________ Dated by SCDHHS Eligibility Authority ____________________

SCDHHS MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY APPROVAL AUTHORITY ____________________ DATE ____________________
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| MEDICAID I.D. NUMBER                         |
| PATIENT’S COUNTY                             |
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| 5. PROVIDER’S NAME & ADDRESS (CITY & STATE) |
| FACILITY’S ADDRESS                          |
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| 10. PROVIDER’S MEDICAID I.D. NO.            |
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  - DATE:  
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  - DATE:  
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  - DATE:  
- **(E)** NAME CHANGE: FROM  
  - TO  
- **(F)** OTHER (SPECIFY)  
  - DATE:  

**Signature Not Required**

SCDHHS MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY APPROVAL AUTHORITY  
DATE
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### THE DHHS PROVIDER CLAIM FOR SKILLED/INTERMEDIATE NURSING FACILITIES

**REPORT NH7555454**

S. C. STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Provider Claim Form for Skilled and Intermediate Care Services**

**For Month of _____________**

**Provider No. 123NH**

**Comfort Nursing Facility**

213 Winding Road

Quietville, SC 29000

**DAILY RATE**

$32.92

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HSP must bill at 98% of NF R&B Rate.

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### Resolution Decision

**RETURN TO:**  
Medicaid Claims Receipt  
P. O. Box 100122  
Columbia, S.C. 29202-0122  

**INSURANCE POLICY INFORMATION**  
Any Insurance Company  
123 Insurance Lane  
Anywhere, USA 123456

**PROVIDER:**  
Acme Long Term Care Facility  
P. O. Box 000000  
Anywhere  
SC 00000-0000

"PLEASE NOTE: EDIT CORRECTION FORMS RETURNED TO DHHS WITH NO CORRECTIVE ACTION WILL BE DISCARDED"
# Hospice Reimbursement Invoice

Nursing Facilities (NFs) and Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded (ICFs/MR)

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For the Month of | Year | NF Daily Rate |

Please send invoice to:

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Facility Approval Signature Authority ________________ Date ________________

*Note: Hospice Patient’s Daily Rate is determined by subtracting the patient’s Recurring Income Amount divided by the number of days in the billing month from the Nursing Facility daily rate.

Please Check: NF or ICF/MR ECF must be attached
In order for a Medicaid beneficiary to be eligible to elect hospice under Medicaid:

- The person must be certified as being terminally ill
- The person is considered terminally ill if he or she has a medical prognosis that his or her life expectancy is six months or less if, the disease runs its normal course
- Hospice coverage is available for an unspecified number of days, subdivided into election periods as follows: two 90-day periods each, and an unlimited number of subsequent periods of 60 days each

To elect the hospice benefit you must:

- Complete a Medicaid Hospice Election Statement (SCDHHS Form 149)
- Designate an effective date for the election period to begin (this is the date SCDHHS will enter in the system)
- SCDHHS Form 149 is the only election form accepted by SCDHHS
- This form must be mailed to SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program Area within 10 days of election of benefits
- A copy of the form must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR

**TIP:** Always check the interactive voice response system (IVRS) at 1-888-809-3040 or Web Tool to ensure election date has been entered in SCDHHS system prior to billing.
MEDICAID HOSPICE ELECTION FORM

EFFECTIVE DATE: **INCOMPLETE FORMS CANNOT BE PROCESSED BY SCDHHS**

RECIPIENT INFORMATION:
NAME: LAST FIRST MEDICAID ID NUMBER:
CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS: STREET SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:
CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: MEDICARE NUMBER:
HOME PHONE NUMBER: BIRTH DATE: ICD-9 NUMBER INDICATING THE PRIMARY HOSPICE DIAGNOSIS:
NAME OF NURSING FACILITY OF RESIDENCE, IF APPLICABLE: MEDICAID PROVIDER NUMBER OF NURSING FACILITY:
NAME OF PARENT, LEGAL GUARDIAN OR REPRESENTATIVE: SEX: MALE / FEMALE

HOSPICE PROVIDER INFORMATION:
NAME OF HOSPICE: NPI Number:
MEDICAID PROVIDER NUMBER:
HSP __ __ __
SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED HOSPICE AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE: HOSPICE PHONE NUMBER:
ATTENDING PHYSICIAN’S NAME: PHYSICIAN’S MEDICAID PROVIDER NUMBER:

HOSPICE BENEFIT INFORMATION:
APPLICABLE BENEFIT PERIOD:
( ) FIRST 90 DAYS ( ) SECOND 90 DAYS ( ) PERIOD OF 60 DAYS

ELECTION STATEMENT

- The South Carolina Medicaid Hospice Benefit program has been explained to me. I have been given the opportunity to discuss the services, benefits, requirements and limitations of this program and the terms of the election statement.

- I understand that by signing the election statement I am waiving all rights to regular Medicaid services except for payment to my attending physicians, treatment for medical conditions unrelated to my terminal illness, medical transportation, dental services and Medicaid pharmacy services for prescriptions not covered under hospice.

- I understand that I will be entitled to Medicaid sponsored hospice services as long as I am Medicaid eligible. These services are provided in benefit periods of an initial 90 day period, a subsequent 90 day period and unlimited subsequent 60 day periods.

- I understand that I may revoke the hospice benefits at any time by completing the appropriate form, specifying the date when the revocation is to be effective and submitting the statement to the hospice prior to that date; however, that if I choose to revoke services during a benefit period, I am not entitled to coverage for the remaining days of that benefit period. At the same time I revoke hospice services, I understand my rights to other Medicaid services of that benefit period. At the same time I revoke hospice services, I understand my rights to other Medicaid services will resume, provided I continue to be Medicaid eligible.

- I understand that I may change the designated hospice provider, one time during a benefit period, without affecting the provision of my hospice benefits. To change the designation of hospice programs, I must disenroll with the hospice from which care has been received and elect a new hospice provider.

- I understand that if I am a Medicare recipient, I must elect to use the Medicare Hospice Benefits.

- I understand that if I elected the Medicare Hospice Benefit and am eligible for Medicaid, I must also elect the Medicaid Hospice Benefit.

SIGNATURES:
RECIPIENT OF RECIPIENT REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE / DATE: WITNESS SIGNATURE / DATE:

DHHS FORM 149 Revised 06/08 Previous versions are obsolete.

** This form must be forwarded to the SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Programs within ten (10) days of election of benefits. Failure to submit this form within that time frame will result in a change of the election date to the date this form is received by SCDHHS.
MEDICAID HOSPICE ELECTION FORM
(SCDHHS FORM 149)

Instructions for completing the Medicaid Hospice Election Form

*Required areas for processing---- (if not completed, form will be returned to provider)

Section I:  (Effective Date)

1.  *Effective Election Date:
   Enter the date the individual designated to begin hospice services.

   **TIPS:**
   - The date may be the same as the first day of hospice care, but cannot be prior to the date election of benefits is made (which is the dated signature).
   - For hospice recipients in nursing facilities and intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded (ICF/MR) the effective date must match the SCDHHS Form 181.
   - A copy of the election statement must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR.
   - Only for new providers, the effective date cannot be prior to the hospice Medicaid enrollment date.

2.  *Pending Medicaid Application:
   Enter in the effective date once notified that the recipient is Medicaid eligible.

   **TIPS:**
   - If Medicaid is pending, an election form cannot be processed.
   - Provider must hold election form until the individual has been notified of his or her Medicaid eligibility.
   - Once notified, the Medicaid number and effective date of when he/she became eligible can be placed on the election form.
   - The effective date cannot be dated prior to the recipient’s Medicaid eligibility.

Section II:  (Recipient Information)

1.  *Recipient Name:
   Enter the recipient’s last and first name.

2.  *Medicaid Number:
   Enter the recipient’s Medicaid number; exactly as it appears on the Medicaid card (10) digits, no letters.
3. **Current Mailing Address:**
Enter the recipient’s current mailing address

4, 5, 6 **City, State & Zip Code:**
Enter recipient’s city, state, and zip code

7. **Home Phone Number:**
Enter recipient’s home number

8. **Social Security Number:**
Enter the recipient’s Social Security number; exactly as it appears on the Social Security card nine (9) digits, no letters.

9. **Medicare Number:**
Enter the recipient’s Medicare number; exactly as it appears on the Medicare card nine (9) digits, one (1) letter.

   **TIPS:**
   - Determine whether the recipient is Medicare Part A or B.
   - If the recipient is Medicare Part A, the provider will bill Medicare for hospice services provided to the recipient.
   - If the recipient is Medicare B only, Medicaid will pay for hospice services.
   - Only Medicaid pays for NF and ICF/MR room and board.

10. **Birth date:**
Enter in the recipient’s date of birth

11. **ICD9 Number Indicating the Primary Hospice Diagnosis:**
Enter the diagnosis code of the patient indicated in the current edition of the ICD-9-CM, Volume I.

   **TIPS:**
   - S.C. Medicaid requires the fourth or fifth digit, if applicable, of the ICD-9 diagnosis code.

12. **Name of Nursing Facility of Residence, if applicable:**
Enter in the name of the facility.

   **TIPS:**
   - If the hospice provider will be billing Medicaid for procedure code T2046, you should enter the name of the facility in which the recipient is residing.

13. **Medicaid Provider Number of Nursing Facility, if applicable:**
Enter the facility’s six (6) digit Medicaid provider number.

   **TIPS:**
   - If the hospice provider will be billing Medicaid for procedure code T2046, you should enter the facility’s Medicaid provider number in this section.
14. **Name of Parent, Legal Guardian or Representative, if applicable:**
Enter in the name of parent, legal guardian or representative if applicable.

**TIPS:**
- If recipient is unable to sign election form, the person authorized in this section should match the dated signature in Section V.

15. **Sex:**
Enter in gender

**Section III: (Hospice Provider Information)**

1. **Name:**
Enter in the hospice provider that will be providing the services

**TIPS:**
- If recipient is enrolled with another hospice provider, he or she must revoke services with current provider prior to electing services
- If recipient enrolled in Medicaid manage care plan, he or she must dis-enroll in the plan prior to electing hospice benefits.

2. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

3. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

4. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Agency Representative:**
Enter in name of the person authorized to initiate services

5. **Hospice Phone Number:**
Enter in phone number.

**TIPS:**
- Enter in a phone number in which a local person can be reached to inquire about billing, documentation, etc. for this recipient.

6. **Attending Physician:**
Enter in the Physician’s name

7. **If able, Physician’s Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter the physician’s Medicaid provider number
Section IV: (Hospice Benefit Information)

1. **Applicable Benefit Period:**
   Enter which benefit period the recipient is electing.

   **TIPS:**
   - Hospice coverage is available for an unspecified number of days, subdivided into election periods as follows:
   - Two periods of 90 days each, and
   - An unlimited number of subsequent periods of 60 days each.

Section V: (Signatures)

1. **Recipient’s or Recipient’s Representative’s Signature and Date:**
   Enter in signature and date of recipient or recipient’s designee.

   **TIPS:**
   - The designee should be the same person identified in section 2-14

2. **Witness Signatures and Date:**
   Enter in witness signature and date

Once completed the Medicaid Hospice Election Form must be sent to SCDHHS within ten (10) days of the election of benefits to the address listed below. Failure to submit this form within the timeframe will result in a delay or loss of payment for hospice services.

   **TIPS:**
   - Check web tool or IVRS prior to billing to ensure election date is in the system.
   - If date not in system, contact your Program Manager at SCDHHS @ (803) 898-2688.

Mail To
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 8206,
1801 Main Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206
ATTENTION: 7th Floor Hospice Program Area
Effective with election dates January 1, 2009, the Medicaid Hospice Benefit must be prior authorized for Medicaid-only eligible recipients. Prior authorization requests require medical documentation from the client’s physician. The documentation must include all of the following:

- A statement of terminal diagnosis
- A statement that the client has reached a phase that of illness in which end of life care is necessary.
- A statement of limited expectancy of six months or less.
- A care plan that addresses the recipients needs.

The prior authorization benefit period cannot exceed six (6) months. To continue hospice services beyond six (6) months, a new prior authorization request with medical documentation must be submitted. This form must be submitted within ten (10) days along with the Medicaid election form and physician certification form along with any supporting documentation.
**SOUTH CAROLINA MEDICAID HOSPICE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM**

(SCDHHS FORM 149A)

The Medicaid Hospice Benefit must be prior authorized. The prior authorization benefit period cannot exceed six (6) months. To continue hospice services beyond six (6) months, a new prior authorization request with medical documentation must be submitted. Request must be submitted to:

**SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program**
**Post Office Box 8206**
**Columbia, SC 29202-8206.**

Request must be submitted within ten (10) days along with the required documentation listed below.

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## STATEMENT OF TERMINAL ILLNESS

STATEMENT TO SUPPORT TERMINAL STATUS OR FUNCTIONAL DECLINE (REASON FOR HOSPICE RECOMMENDATION)

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**Required Attachments:**
- Signed Election Statement - SCDHHS Form 149
- Physician Certification/Recertification - SCDHHS Form 151
- Hospice Plan of Care
- Supporting Documentation (i.e., medical history, prognosis)
- Managed Care Disenrollment Form (if necessary)

## TO BE COMPLETED BY SCDHHS REPRESENTATIVE

- Approved  Effective Date  From:_To:_
- Denied  Reason(s):

SCDHHS Representative __________________________ Date: __________________________

Once request is approved/denied, SCDHHS will forward a completed copy of this form to the Hospice within five (5) days. If request is denied, SCDHHS will forward a completed copy of this form to the Recipient within five (5) days.
PROCEDURES FOR APPEALS

When a Medicaid recipient is denied hospice, the recipient has the right to a fair hearing regarding the decision.

The recipient or his/her representative has the right to appeal the decision within thirty (30) days from the denial date of the MEDICAID HOSPICE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION, SCDHHS FORM 149A by submitting a written request to the following address:

Director, Division of Appeals and Fair Hearings
SC Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206

A copy of the MEDICAID HOSPICE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION, SCDHHS FORM 149A must accompany the request and the request must state with specificity which issues are being appealed.

A request for a fair hearing is considered filed if postmarked by the thirtieth (30th) calendar day following receipt of the MEDICAID HOSPICE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION, SCDHHS FORM 149A. Both the Medicaid recipient and the provider will be notified of the date, time and place the fair hearing will take place. When a Medicaid recipient is denied hospice, the recipient has the right to a fair hearing regarding the decision.
MEDICAID HOSPICE
PHYSICIAN CERTIFICATION & RECERTIFICATION

SCDHHS FORM 151

FOR CERTIFICATION:
The hospice must obtain certification from a doctor of medicine that an individual is terminally ill, using the Medicaid Hospice Physician Certification/Recertification (SCDHHS Form 151). No certification or recertification forms are required if the beneficiary has also elected the Medicare hospice benefit. (Note: You must still elect the hospice benefit if the recipient is dual eligible.)

The hospice must ensure that all of the following conditions are met:

- The attending physician must be a doctor of medicine or osteopathy and be identified by the individual at the time of hospice election as having the most significant role in the determination and delivery of that person’s medical care.

- Written certification statements signed by the medical director of the hospice or the physician member of the hospice interdisciplinary group and the person’s attending physician (if the individual has an attending physician) must be obtain within two calendar days after hospice care has been initiated.

- If written certification is not obtained within two days after the initiation of hospice care, a verbal certification may be obtained within these two days, and a written certification must be obtained no later than eight days after care is initiated.

FOR RECERTIFICATION:

- The hospice must obtain, no later than two calendar days after the beginning of that period, a written certification statement completed by the medical director of the hospice or the physician member of the hospice’s interdisciplinary group.

- The certification must include the physician’s signature and a statement that the individual’s medical prognosis is of a life expectancy of six months or less if, the terminal illness runs its normal course.

- For Medicaid only recipients, a copy of this form along with a copy of the plan of care must be mailed within ten working days of the beginning of each benefit period to SCDHHS.
# MEDICAID HOSPICE PHYSICIAN CERTIFICATION / RECERTIFICATION

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**PHYSICIANS, PLEASE SIGN AND DATE TO INDICATE CERTIFICATION.**

### FIRST BENEFIT PERIOD (90 DAYS):

Having reviewed this patient’s care and course of his/her illness, I certify that this patient’s medically predictable life expectancy is six (6) months or less if the illness runs its normal case.

**SIGNATURE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**

**SIGNATURE OF HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**

### Second BENEFIT PERIOD (90 DAYS):

Having reviewed this patient’s care and course of his/her illness, I certify that this patient’s medically predictable life expectancy is six (6) months or less if the illness runs its normal case.

**SIGNATURE OF HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**

### ____ BENEFIT PERIOD (60 DAYS): 

Having reviewed this patient’s care and course of his/her illness, I certify that this patient’s medically predictable life expectancy is six (6) months or less if the illness runs its normal case.

**SIGNATURE OF HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**

### ____ BENEFIT PERIOD (60 DAYS):

Having reviewed this patient’s care and course of his/her illness, I certify that this patient’s medically predictable life expectancy is six (6) months or less if the illness runs its normal case.

**SIGNATURE OF HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**

### ____ BENEFIT PERIOD (60 DAYS):

Having reviewed this patient’s care and course of his/her illness, I certify that this patient’s medically predictable life expectancy is six (6) months or less if the illness runs its normal case.

**SIGNATURE OF HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**CERTIFICATION DATE**
The hospice must obtain certification that an individual is terminally ill in accordance with the procedures below, using the Medicaid Hospice Physician Certification/Recertification (SCDHHS Form 151).

No certification or recertification forms are required if the beneficiary has also elected the Medicare hospice benefit. In other words, the certification or recertification notification for dual eligibility, when Medicare is primary, is not required.

The hospice must ensure that all of the following conditions are met:

- The attending physician must be a doctor of medicine or osteopathy and be identified by the individual at the time of hospice election as having the most significant role in the determination and delivery of the individual’s medical care.

- For the first election of hospice coverage, the hospice must obtain, no later than two calendar days after hospice care is initiated, written certification statements signed by the medical director of the hospice or the physician member of the hospice interdisciplinary group and the individual’s attending physician (if the individual has an attending physician).

- If the hospice does not obtain a written certification within two days after the initiation of hospice care, a verbal certification may be obtained within these two days, and a written certification must be obtained no later than eight days after care is initiated.

- For recertifications, the hospice must obtain, no later than two calendar days after the beginning of that period, a written certification statement completed by the medical director of the hospice or the physician member of the hospice’s interdisciplinary group.

- The certification must include the physician’s signature and a statement that the individual’s medical prognosis is of a life expectancy of six months or less if, the terminal illness runs its normal course.
MEDICAID HOSPICE PHYSICIAN
CERTIFICATION/RECERTIFICATION FORM
(SCDHHS FORM 151)

Instructions for completing the Medicaid Hospice Certification Form

*Required areas for processing---- (if not completed, form will be returned to provider)

Section I: (Recipient Information)

1. *Recipient Name:
Enter the recipient’s last and first name.

2. *Medicaid Number:
Enter the recipient’s Medicaid number; exactly as it appears on the Medicaid card ten (10) digits, no letters.

3. Current Mailing Address:
Enter the recipient’s current mailing address

4,5,6 City, State & Zip Code:
Enter recipient’s city, state, and zip code

7. Home Phone Number:
Enter recipient’s home number

8. Social Security Number:
Enter the recipient’s Social Security number; exactly as it appears on the Social Security card nine (9) digits, no letters.

9. Medicare Number:
Enter the recipient’s Medicare number; exactly as it appears on the Medicare card nine (9) digits, one (1) letter.

10. Birth date:
Enter in the recipient’s date of birth
11. **Name of Nursing Facility, if applicable:**
Enter in the name of the facility.

*TIPS:*

- If the hospice provider will be billing Medicaid for procedure code T2046, you should enter the name of the facility in which the recipient is residing.

12. **Medicaid Provider Number of Nursing Facility, if applicable:**
Enter the facility’s six (6) digit Medicaid provider number.

*TIPS:*

- If the hospice provider will be billing Medicaid for procedure code T2046, you should enter the facility’s Medicaid provider number in this section.

13. **If applicable, Name of Parent, Legal Guardian or Representative:**
If applicable, enter in the name of the parent, legal guardian or representative.

14. **ICD9 Number Indicating the Primary Hospice Diagnosis:**
Enter the diagnosis code of the patient indicated in the current edition of the ICD-9-CM, Volume I. S.C. Medicaid requires the fourth or fifth digit, if applicable, of the ICD-9 diagnosis code.

15. **Name:**
Enter in the hospice provider

16. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

17. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

**Section II: (Certifications and Signatures)**

1. **Signature of Attending Physician and Certification Date:**
Enter in signature and date of attending physician

*TIPS:*

- If the attending physician is the medical director or physician member of the hospice IDT, only one signature is needed.
- Notated within the medical records if the medical director or IDT physician is acting as the attending physician.
2. *If not the Attending Physician, Signature of Hospice Medical Director:
Enter in signature and date of medical director

3. *Second Benefit Period:
Enter in signature and date of attending physician

4. *Subsequent Benefit 60 day Periods:
Enter in signature and date of attending physician

For beneficiaries that are Medicaid eligible only, a copy of the initial physician certification statement and a copy of the care plan in conjunction with the election form must be submitted to SCDHHS within ten (10) days of the election of the hospice benefit. Recertification statements must be submitted to SCDHHS within ten (10) days after the effective date of recertification. Failure to submit these forms within the timeframe will result in a delay or loss of payment for hospice services.

Mail To
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 8206,
1801 Main Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206
ATTENTION: 7th Floor Hospice Program Area
MEDICAID HOSPICE REVOCATION
SCDHHS FORM 153

A beneficiary may revoke the election of hospice care at any time. The individual loses any remaining days in the hospice benefit period and regular Medicaid benefits are reinstated effective the date of the revocation. The individual may at any time elect to receive hospice coverage for any other hospice election period for which he or she is eligible.

The individual can choose to revoke hospice for any of the following reasons:

- Seek aggressive treatment,
- Receive treatment not in plan of care or treatment not pre-authorized by hospice,
- Receive treatment in a facility that does not have a contract with the hospice provider.

To revoke hospice the person must do the following:

- Complete a Medicaid Hospice Revocation Form (SCDHHS form 153)
- Designate an effective date to revoke hospice (date entered in SCDHHS system)
- SCDHHS Form 153 is the only revocation form accepted by SCDHHS.
- This form must be mailed to SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program Area within 5 working days of revocation of benefits
- A copy of the form must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR

_TIP:_ Always check the interactive voice response system (IVRS) at 1-888-809-3040 or Web Tool to ensure effective date has been entered in SCDHHS system prior to billing.

_TIP:_ Hospice cannot bill for the day of discharge for T2046 and the date of death.
### MEDICAID HOSPICE REVOCATION FORM

**EFFECTIVE DATE OF REVOCATION:**

**APPLICABLE BENEFIT PERIOD:**
- ( ) FIRST 90 DAYS
- ( ) SECOND 90 DAYS
- ( ) PERIOD OF 60 DAYS

**RECIPIENT INFORMATION:**

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**REVOCATION STATEMENT:**

- The South Carolina Medicaid Hospice Services Program has been explained to me. I have been given the opportunity to discuss the services, benefits, requirements and limitation of the program and the terms of the revocation of these services.

- I understand that by signing the revocation statement that, if eligible, I will resume Medicaid coverage of benefits waived when hospice care was elected.

- I will forfeit all hospice coverage days remaining in this benefit period.

- I may at any time elect to receive hospice coverage for any other hospice benefit period for which I am eligible.

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OVERVIEW

A beneficiary or legal representative may revoke the election of hospice care at any time. The individual can choose to revoke hospice for any of the following reasons:

- Seek aggressive treatment,
- Receive treatment not in plan of care or treatment not pre-authorized by hospice, and/or
- Receive treatment in a facility that does not have a contract with the hospice provider.

When the beneficiary revokes hospice services, he/she loses any remaining days in the hospice benefit period. Regular Medicaid benefits are reinstated effective the date of the revocation. The individual may at any time elect to receive hospice coverage for any other hospice election period for which he or she is eligible.

To revoke hospice the beneficiary must complete a Medicaid Hospice Revocation Form (SCDHHS form 153) with the hospice currently enrolled. The individual has the right to designate an effective date to revoke hospice. However, that date may not be prior to the date the revocation is signed and dated.
MEDICAID HOSPICE REVOCATION FORM
(SCDHHS FORM 153)

Instructions for completing the Medicaid Hospice Revocation Form

*Required areas for processing---- (if not completed, form will be returned to provider)

Section I: (Effective Date)
1. *Effective Date:
Enter the date the beneficiary designated to revoke hospice services.

TIPS:
- The date may be the same as the dated signature, but a beneficiary may not designate an effective date earlier than the date revocation is made. (Prior to the dated signature).
- For hospice recipients in nursing facilities and intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded (ICF/MR) the effective date must match the SCDHHS Form 181.
- A copy of the revocation statement must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR.
- The person resumes Medicaid coverage of the benefits waived when hospice was elected, effective the date of revocation.
- Effective date is the date NF and ICF/MR begin billing room and board to Medicaid. Hospice providers do not bill Medicaid for the last date of service for T2046 (ex. Recipient elected 9/1/08 and revoke 9/28/08. Hospice would bill Medicaid for T2046 9/1/08 to 9/27/08. NF would begin billing 9/28/08.)

2. Applicable Benefit Period:
Enter which benefit period the recipient is revoking.

TIPS:
- Inform recipient that he/she will resume Medicaid coverage of benefits waived when hospice was elected.
- Inform recipient that he/she forfeits all hospice coverage days remaining in this benefit period.
- Inform recipient that at any time he/she may elect to receive hospice coverage during any other benefit period in which he or she is eligible.

Section II: (Recipient Information)
1. *Recipient Name:
Enter the recipient’s last and first name.

2. Social Security Number:
Enter the recipient’s Social Security number; exactly as it appears on the Social Security card nine (9) digits, no letters.
3. **Medicaid Number:**
Enter the recipient’s Medicaid number; exactly as it appears on the Medicaid card ten (10) digits, no letters.

4. **Medicare Number:**
Enter the recipient’s Medicare number; exactly as it appears on the Medicare card nine (9) digits, one letter.

  **TIPS:**
  - If the recipient is Medicare Part A, the provider will bill Medicare for hospice services provided to the recipient.
  - If recipient is Medicare B only, Medicaid will pay for hospice services.
  - Only Medicaid pays for NF and ICF/MR room and board.

Section III: (Hospice Provider Information)

1. **Name:**
Enter in the hospice provider

  **TIPS:**
  - To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services upon revoking services, the hospice provider must ensure that documentation is receive with the correct identifying information such as provider name.

2. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

3. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

  **TIPS:**
  - To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services upon revoking services, the hospice provider must ensure that documentation is receive with the correct identifying information such as provider Medicaid Number.

4. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Agency Representative:**
Enter in name of the person authorized to initiate services

5. **Hospice Phone Number:**
Enter in phone number.

  **TIPS:**
  - Enter in a phone number in which a local person can be reached to inquire about billing, documentation, etc. for this recipient.
Section IV: (Signatures)

1. **Recipient’s or Recipient’s Representative’s Signature and Date:**
Enter in signature of recipient or recipient’s representative.

   **TIPS:**
   ✗ Revocation form cannot be processed without the recipient’s or representative’s signature.

Once completed the Medicaid Hospice Revocation Form must be sent to SCDHHS within five (5) days of the effective date to the address listed below. Failure to submit this form within the timeframe will result in a delay or loss of payment for hospice services.

   **TIPS:**
   ✗ Check web tool or IVRS prior to billing to ensure a revocation date is in the system.
   ✗ If date not in system, contact your Program Manager at SCDHHS @ (803) 898-2688.

Mail To
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 8206,
1801 Main Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206
ATTENTION: 7th Floor Hospice Program Area
When discharging for reasons other than death, the hospice provider must send a copy of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement to the beneficiary or responsible party upon discharge. The individual loses any remaining days in the hospice benefit period and regular Medicaid benefits are reinstated effective the date of discharge. The individual may at any time elect to receive hospice coverage for any other hospice election period for which he or she is eligible.

A hospice provider can discharge a beneficiary for the following reasons:

- The beneficiary dies
- The beneficiary is noncompliant
- The beneficiary is determined to have a prognosis greater than six months
- The beneficiary moves out of the hospice’s geographically defined service area

When discharging a beneficiary, the hospice provider must ensure the following:

- Complete a Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement (SCDHHS Form 154)
- Designate an effective date to discontinue hospice (date entered in DHHS system)
- SCDHHS Form 154 is the only form accepted by SCDHHS.
- This form must be mailed to SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program Area within 5 working days of effective date of discharge.
- A copy of the form must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR.

**TIP:** Always check the interactive voice response system (IVRS) at 1-888-809-3040 or Web Tool to ensure effective date has been entered in SCDHHS system prior to billing.

**TIP:** Hospice cannot bill for the day of discharge for T2046 and the date of death.
# MEDICAID HOSPICE DISCHARGE FORM

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## SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED HOSPICE AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:  

HOSPICE PHONE NUMBER:

## DISCHARGE STATEMENT:

Hospice benefits for the above named recipient, enrolled with this agency since _________________ terminated _________________ for the following reason: (Check all that apply.)

- [ ] Recipient is deceased. Date of death is __ / __ / __.
- [ ] Prognosis is now more than six (6) months.
- [ ] Recipient moved out of state / service area.
- [ ] Safety of recipient or hospice staff is compromised. (Explanation must appear below.)
- [ ] Recipient is non-compliant. (Explanation must appear below and documentation of efforts to counsel the recipient must be attached.)

EXPLANATION:

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When a Medicaid recipient is discharged from a hospice program for one of the reasons listed above recipient has the right to a fair hearing regarding the decision. Procedures regarding that appeal are found on the reverse side of this page. The signature below indicates that the recipient was given this statement for his/her records/use.

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DHHS FORM 154 (10/95) (REVISED 06/08) This form must be forwarded to the SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program within five (5) working days of the effective date of the revocation.
OVERVIEW

When discharging a beneficiary, the hospice provider must submit a Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement (SCDHHS Form 154) to SCDHHS. When discharging for reasons other than death, the hospice provider must send a copy of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement to the beneficiary or responsible party upon discharge. The reverse side of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement contains the appeals process offered to each Medicaid beneficiary when an adverse action is taken against a beneficiary.

A hospice provider can discharge a beneficiary for the following reasons:

- The beneficiary dies.
- The beneficiary is noncompliant.
- The beneficiary is determined to have a prognosis greater than six months.
- The beneficiary moves out of the hospice’s geographically defined service area.
- The safety of the patient or of the hospice staff is compromised.

The hospice provider must make every effort to resolve the problem before it considers discharge an option. All efforts by the provider to resolve the problem must be documented in detail in the beneficiary’s clinical record. The provider must notify the SCDHHS hospice program manager and the state survey agency of the circumstances surrounding controversial impending discharges where noncompliance or safety issues are the cause(s) for discharge. Whatever the reason for discharge, the provider must clearly document why the patient was discharged from the hospice benefit.
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APPEAL PROCESS

When a Medicaid beneficiary is discharged from a hospice program for one of the reasons listed under “Discharge,” the beneficiary has the right to a fair hearing regarding the decision. Beneficiaries and their legal representatives have the right to appeal the hospice discharge within 30 days of the receipt of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement by submitting a written request to the following address:

Department of Health and Human Services
Director, Division of Appeals and Fair Hearings
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

The request must state specifically which issues are being appealed and must be accompanied by a copy of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement. A request for a fair hearing is considered filed if postmarked by the 30th calendar day following receipt of the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Statement. Both the Medicaid beneficiary and the provider will be notified of the date, time, and place the fair hearing will take place.
MEDICAID HOSPICE DISCHARGE FORM  
(SCDHHS FORM 154)

Instructions for completing the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Form

*Required areas for processing---- (if not completed, form will be returned to provider)

Section I: (Recipient Information)

1. *Recipient Name:
Enter the recipient’s last and first name.

2. Social Security Number:
Enter the recipient’s Social Security number; exactly as it appears on the Social Security card nine (9) digits, no letters.

3. *Medicaid Number:
Enter the recipient’s Medicaid number; exactly as it appears on the Medicaid card ten (10) digits, no letters.

4. Medicare Number:
Enter the recipient’s Medicare number; exactly as it appears on the Medicare card nine (9) digits, one (1) letter.

TIPS:

❖ If the recipient is Medicare Part A, the provider will bill Medicare for hospice services provided to the recipient.
❖ If recipient is Medicare B only, Medicaid will pay for hospice services.
❖ Only Medicaid pays for NF and ICF/MR room and board.

Section II: (Hospice Provider Information)

1. *Name:
Enter in the hospice provider

TIPS:

❖ To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services upon discharge, the hospice provider must ensure that documentation is receive with the correct identifying information such as provider name.
2. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

3. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

**TIPS:**

- To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services upon discharge, the hospice provider must ensure that documentation is receive with the correct identifying information such as provider Medicaid Number.

4. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Agency Representative:**
Enter in name of the person authorized to initiate services

5. **Hospice Phone Number:**
Enter in phone number

**TIPS:**

- Enter in a phone number in which a local person can be reached to inquire about billing, documentation, etc. for this recipient.

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**Section III: (Discharge Statement)**

1. **Termination Date:**
Enter in date recipient enrolled with the hospice provider and date the recipient terminated.

**TIPS:**

- The effective date cannot be prior to the dated signature.
- For hospice recipients in nursing facilities and intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded (ICF/MR) the effective date must match the SCDHHS Form 181
- A copy of the discharge statement must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR.
- The person resumes Medicaid coverage of the benefits waived when hospice was elected, effective on the date of discharge.
- Effective date is the date NF and ICF/MR begin billing room and board to Medicaid. Hospice providers do not bill Medicaid for the last date of service for T2046 (ex. Recipient elected 9/1/08 and discharge 9/28/08. Hospice would bill Medicaid for T2046 9/1/08 to 9/27/08. NF would begin billing 9/28/08.)

2. **Reasons for Termination:**
Check reason for termination of hospice services. If recipient is deceased, enter date of death.

**TIPS:**

- The date of death must match the date entered in SCDHHS system or the claim may reject.
- Copy of the Appeals Process must be attached to the discharge statement.
3. **Explanation:**
Enter in an explanation if you have checked that the recipient is non-compliant.

**Section IV: (Signature)**

1. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Representative:**
Enter in signature of authorizing hospice representative.

Once completed the Medicaid Hospice Discharge Form must be sent to SCDHHS within five (5) days of the termination of benefits to the address listed below. Failure to submit this form within the timeframe will result in a delay or loss of payment for hospice services.

**TIPS:**

- Check web tool or IVRS prior to billing to ensure discharge date is in the system.
- If date not in system, contact your Program Manager at SCDHHS @ (803) 898-2688.

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Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206
ATTENTION: 7th Floor Hospice Program Area
MEDICAID HOSPICE PROVIDER CHANGE REQUEST FORM
SCDHHS FORM 152

An individual may change the designation of the particular hospice from which he or she elects to receive hospice care once in each election period:

- The change of the designated hospice is not considered a revocation of election.
- To change the designation of hospice providers, individuals must notify their current hospice provider that they wish to change hospices.

The hospice provider that is releasing the beneficiary must complete the following:

- Appropriate portions of the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request, including the last day of service to be included for billing
- The provider must then forward a copy to SCDHHS within five working days
- Send a copy to the receiving hospice provider

The receiving hospice provider must receive a copy of the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request within two working days of the effective date of the change:

- The receiving hospice provider must complete the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request
- Forward a completed copy to the DHHS hospice program manager within five working days of the effective date of the receiving hospice’s first day of service to be included for billing
- A copy of the form must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR
# MEDICAID HOSPICE PROVIDER CHANGE REQUEST FORM

**EFFECTIVE CHANGE DATE:**

**APPLICABLE BENEFIT PERIOD:**
- ______FIRST 90 DAYS
- ______SECOND 90 DAYS
- ______PERIOD OF 90 DAYS

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The sending hospice must complete the above section. A copy of this form must be sent to the SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program within five (5) days of the effective date and be forwarded to the receiving hospice within two (2) days of the effective date.

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The receiving hospice must forward a completed copy to the SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program within five (5) working days of the effective date.

**SIGNATURES:**

As a recipient of hospice services, I understand that I may change hospice providers only ONCE during each hospice benefit period. I also understand that this request for a change of hospice provider is not a revocation of the remainder of my current election benefit period.

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DHHS FORM 152 (10/95) (REVISED 12/08) Each hospice must maintain a copy of this Provider Change Request Form. It is the responsibility of the receiving hospice to forward a completed copy to the SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program within five (5) days of the effective date of the change.
OVERVIEW

An individual may change the designation of the particular hospice from which he or she elects to receive hospice care once in each election period. The change of the designated hospice is not considered a revocation of election.

To change the designation of hospice providers, individuals must notify their current hospice provider that they wish to change hospices. The sending hospice provider must file a signed Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request (SCDHHS Form 152) that includes all of the following information:

- Appropriate beneficiary identification information
- Name of the hospice from which the beneficiary plans to receive care
- Date the change is to be effective as indicated in the top section of the change request form

The hospice provider that is releasing the beneficiary must complete the appropriate portions of the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request, including the last day of service to be included for billing. The provider must then forward a copy to SCDHHS within five working days. The receiving hospice provider must receive a copy of the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request within two working days of the effective date of the change.

The receiving hospice provider must complete the Medicaid Hospice Provider Change Request and forward a completed copy to the DHHS hospice program manager within five working days of the effective date of the receiving hospice’s first day of service to be included for billing.
MEDICAID HOSPICE PROVIDER CHANGE REQUEST FORM  
(SCDHHS FORM 152)

Instructions for completing the Medicaid Hospice Revocation Form

*Required areas for processing---- (if not completed, form will be returned to provider)

Section I:  (Effective Change Date)

1.  **Effective Date:**
   Enter the date the beneficiary has designated to change hospice providers.

   **TIPS:**
   - The date may be the same as the dated signature, but a beneficiary may not designate an effective date earlier than the dated signature.
   - For recipients residing in a nursing facility or intermediate care facility (ICF/MR), a copy of the form must be mailed to the nursing facility or ICF/MR.

2.  **Applicable Benefit Period:**
   Enter which benefit period the recipient is currently enrolled in.

Section II:  (Recipient Information)

1.  **Recipient Name:**
   Enter the recipient’s last and first name.

2.  **Social Security Number:**
   Enter the recipient’s Social Security number; exactly as it appears on the Social Security card nine (9) digits, no letters.

3.  **Medicaid Number:**
   Enter the recipient’s Medicaid number; exactly as it appears on the Medicaid card ten (10) digits, no letters.
4. **Medicare Number:**
Enter the recipient’s Medicare number; exactly as it appears on the Medicare card nine (9) digits, one letter.

**TIPS:**
- If the recipient is Medicare Part A, the provider will bill Medicare for hospice services provided to the recipient.
- If recipient is Medicare B only, Medicaid will pay for hospice services.
- Only Medicaid pays for NF and ICF/MR room and board.

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**Section III: (Releasing Hospice Provider Information)**

1. **Name:**
Enter in the hospice provider

**TIPS:**
- Enter in the name of the hospice provider the recipient wishes to discontinue receiving hospice services.

2. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

3. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

**TIPS:**
- To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services with new provider upon discontinuing services with current hospice provider, the provider must ensure that documentation has correct Medicaid provider number.

4. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Agency Representative:**
Enter in name of the person authorized to discontinue services

5. **Hospice Phone Number:**
Enter in phone number.

**TIPS:**
- Enter in a phone number in which a local person can be reached to inquire about billing, documentation, etc. for this recipient.
Section IV: (Receiving Hospice Provider Information)

1. **Name:**
Enter in the hospice provider

*TIPS:*

✧ Enter in the name of the hospice provider the recipient wishes to receive hospice services.

2. **NPI Number:**
Enter in your ten (10) digit NPI number

3. **Medicaid Provider Number:**
Enter in your Medicaid six (6) digit legacy number (HSP-number)

*TIPS:*

✧ To ensure that the recipient is able to receive services, the hospice provider must ensure that documentation is receive with the correct identifying information such as provider Medicaid Number.

4. **Signature of Authorized Hospice Agency Representative:**
Enter in name of the person authorized to initiate services

5. **Hospice Phone Number:**
Enter in phone number.

*TIPS:*

✧ Enter in a phone number in which a local person can be reached to inquire about billing, documentation, etc. for this recipient.

Section V: (Signatures)

1. **Recipient’s or Recipient’s Representative’s Signature and Date:**
Enter in signature and date of recipient or recipient’s representative.

*TIPS:*

✧ Form cannot be process without the recipient’s or representative’s signature.
2. **Signature of Witness:**
   Enter signature and date of witness.

Once completed, the Medicaid Hospice Provide Change Request Form must be sent to SCDHHS within five (5) days of the effective change date to the address listed below. Failure to submit this form within the timeframe will result in a delay or loss of payment for hospice services.

**TIPS:**
- Check web tool or IVRS prior to billing to ensure a revocation date is in the system.
- If date not in system, contact your Program Manager at SCDHHS @ (803) 898-2688.

**Mail To**
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 8206,
1801 Main Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206
ATTENTION: 7th Floor Hospice Program Area
HOSPICE REPORTING/BILLING
State of South Carolina
Department of Health and Human Services

Date: _______________________

To: ___________________________________________ Provider #:   HSP _________

Recipient Name: __________________________________ Medicaid ID #:  ________________

The attached Medicaid Hospice document(s) cannot be entered into the Medicaid Management Information System. Please return the required corrections/forms, along with a copy of this notice (Form #017HSP). This document has not been entered into the Medicaid Management Information System. Therefore, no hospice claims will be paid for services to this recipient until accurate, completed information is received by SCDHHS. You should immediately contact your Medicaid Program Representative at (803) 898-2590, if you need assistance with correction procedures.

☐ This version of the Medicaid Hospice form is obsolete. Please see www.scdhhs.gov for the current version.

☐ The effective date is missing or is before the date of the authorized signature.

☐ The recipient information is incomplete or inaccurate.

☐ The provider information is incomplete or inaccurate.

☐ The hospice benefit period was not indicated.

☐ The Authorized signature and/or date are missing.

☐ The Witness signature and/or date are missing.

☐ The required Medicaid Hospice Physician Certification/Recertification Form, SCDHHS Form 151 is not attached. It must be sent with the Medicaid Hospice Election Form for Medicaid only eligible recipients.

☐ The required Medicaid Hospice Prior Authorization Form, SCDHHS Form 149A is not attached.

☐ The recipient is not Medicaid eligible.

☐ The recipient is eligible for Silver Card Service only (i.e. not eligible for Medicaid).

☐ The recipient is enrolled with another Hospice Agency.

☐ The recipient is enrolled in a Medicaid Managed Care Organization

☐ Other: ____________________________________________

In accordance with HIPAA regulations, facsimiles of this form will not be accepted, please mail the corrected/completed form(s) to:

Department of Facility Services
SCDHHS Medicaid Hospice Program
P O Box 8206
Columbia, SC  29202-8206

SCDHHS Form 017HSP
Rev (02/09)
HOSPICE BILLING PROCEDURES FOR NURSING FACILITY
ROOM AND BOARD

**NOTE:** Hospice forms must be mailed to SCDHHS prior to billing. If forms are not received, there will be a delay payment.

HSP receives bill from NF for R&B
- Invoice
- ECF
- Form 181

HSP completes 1500 paper claim for R&B (T2046) based on ECF

Mail information to the address listed below:
- 1500 paper claim
- NF ECF
Medicaid Claims Control System - Hospice
PO Box 67
Columbia, SC 29202-0067

MCCS receives information and reviews documentation for initial processing.

Initial review completed.

Claim is sent to data entry for keying.

Claim is keyed in by data entry.

Claim suspends in-house to NF staff for manual pricing

START OVER

Claim priced and sent to data entry for keying.

IF clean claim, claim pays

IF no documentation or not a clean claim, claim rejects

NOTE:
Check web tool or IVRS to ensure hospice dates are entered in MMIS (i.e., election, discharge, revocation dates)

If dates are in the system then continue

Dates not in system, contact your Program Manager at DHHS

Documentation not received. Information returned to provider with 017HSP explaining reason why claim was not processed.

Provider receives information and resubmits to MCCS NF staff with requested documentation.

START OVER
Process for CMS-1500 Form Claim Submission for Procedure Code T2046

Step 1

- HSP receives invoice for NF resident receiving hospice services
- Edit Correction Forms (ECF) with edit 976 are attached to invoice. EFC dates must match dates in which NF has invoice hospice
- Form 181 must be attached for documentation purposes.

Step 2

- HSP reduces NF room and board rate by 2% (see calculation provided in packet)
- HSP incorporates residents recurring income documented on the edit correction form to determine the resident’s daily rate (see calculation provided in packet)
- Complete paper claim CMS-1500

Step 3

- Mail paper claim CMS-1500 and
- Nursing Facility Edit Correction Form to MCCS

Step 4

- MCCS receives information and reviews documentation for initial processing
- NF staff sends 1500 forms to data entry for keying

Step 5

- Information on 1500 keyed
- MCCS NF staff completes manual pricing of claim
Step 6

- Claim is priced accurately
- Claim is sent to data entry for keying

Step 7

- Claim will either P-pay, R-reject, or S-suspend
Remember: The NF Daily Rate and Monthly Recurring Income are located on the NF’s Edit Correction Form.

**CALCULATING PAYMENT**

98% of the Nursing Facility Room and Board Daily Rate – (Monthly Recurring Income / # of Days in Billing Month) = Patient’s Daily Rate

Next,

**Multiply** by the **# of Days Billing** for

**Example:**
Nursing Facility Daily Rate: $124.77
Monthly Recurring Income (RI) $558
Month of October (31 days)

Facility daily rate: 98% of $124.77 = $122.27
Billing for: 31 days

$122.27 – ($558 RI /31 days = 18)

$ 122.27 - 18 = $ 104.27

$ 104.27 * 31 = $ 3232.37

*Please Note: If patient has an Incurred Medical Expense (IME), subtract IME amount from the Monthly Recurring Income. Proceed with calculations.*
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Month of October (31 days)

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Billing for: 31 days

$122.27 – ($559RI / 31 days = 18.032)

$ 122.27 - 18.03 = $ 104.24

$ 104.24 * 31 = $ 3231.44

Note: When dividing the Recurring Income by the Number of Days in Billing Month, be sure to round up a penny when number in the thousandth place (third behind the decimal) is 5 or higher.
For example, 18.035 = 18.04; 18.036=18.04;
17.089 = 17.09; 17.085=17.09

In the example, there is no need to round up a penny since the “2” is less than 5.

**This is a critical step to calculating payment.**

*Please Note: If patient has an Incurred Medical Expense (IME), subtract IME amount from the Monthly Recurring Income.
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CMS -1500 FORM COMPLETION INSTRUCTIONS
FOR T2046

1  Medicaid
Check the Medicaid box

1a Medicaid
Enter the recipient’s 10 digit Medicaid

2  Patient’s Name
Enter the patient’s first name, middle initial and last name.

3  Patient’s Birth Date
Enter the date of birth of the patient written as month, day, and year.
Sex
Check “M” for male or “F” for female.

5  Patient’s Address
Enter the full address and telephone number of the patient.

12  Patient’s or Authorized Person’s Signature
“Signature on File” or patient’s signature is required.

21* Diagnosis or Nature of Illness or Injury
Enter the diagnosis code of the patient indicated in the current edition of the ICD-9-CM, Volume I.
SC Medicaid requires the fourth or fifth digit, if applicable, of the ICD-9 diagnosis code. Enter up to two diagnosis codes in priority order (primary, then secondary condition). Only one diagnosis is necessary to process the claim.

23** Prior Authorization Number
*For hospice, nursing facility, or ICF/MR room and board only: Enter the nursing facility’s provider number.

24A Unshaded*
Date(s) of Service
Enter the month, day, and year for procedure code T2046.
Note: If beginning and ending dates are entered on the claim form, our system will pick up the last date of service. The provider can use a beginning date. However, if an ending date is given, the provider must wait until that date has passed before filing the claim. The claim will reject with edit code 502 if the claim is entered into the system before the last (ending) date.

24B Unshaded*
Place of Service
Enter the appropriate two-character place of service code. For procedure code T2046, place of service code is 31.
24D Unshaded*

Procedures
Enter the procedure code (T2046) and, if applicable, the two-digit modifier in the appropriate field. *For hospice, nursing facility, or ICF/MR room and board only:* Enter modifier TG (Skilled) or TF (Intermediate).

24F Unshaded*

Charges
Enter the charge for each listed service. Do not use dollar signs or commas when reporting dollar amounts. Enter “00” in the cents area if the amount is a whole number. The charges must be the same as indicated in field 28 and 30.

24G Unshaded**

Days or Units
Enter the units provided for each procedure listed (days = units). The number of units identified on the 1500 claim must be equal to the number of days identified on the nursing facility ECF (976 edit correction form).

24I Shaded*

ID Qualifier

**Typical Providers:**
If applicable, enter ZZ for the taxonomy qualifier.

24J Shaded**

Rendering Provider ID #

**Typical Providers:**
If applicable, enter the hospice provider’s taxonomy code.

24J Unshaded**

Rendering Provider ID #

**Typical Providers:**
Enter the NPI of the rendering hospice provider.

25 Federal Tax ID Number
Enter the provider’s federal tax ID number (Employer Identification Number) or Social Security Number.

26 Patient’s Account Number
Enter the patient’s account number as assigned by the provider. Only the first nine characters will be keyed. The account number is helpful in tracking the claim in case the beneficiary’s Medicaid ID number is invalid. The patient’s account number will be listed as the “Own Reference Number” on the Remittance Advice.
27  Accept Assignment
Complete this field to indicate that the provider accepts assignment of Medicaid benefits.
Submitting a claim to SC Medicaid automatically indicates the provider accepts assignment.

28*  Total Charge
Enter the total charge for the services.
NOTE: Total charges must be the same as entered in field 24F.

29**  Amount Paid
If applicable, enter the total amount paid from all insurance sources on the submitted charges in item 28. This amount is the sum of 9c and 11b.

30*  Balance Due
Enter the balance due.
NOTE: Balance due must be the same as entered in field 24F.

32**  Service Facility Location Information
Note: Use field 32 only if the address is different from the address in field 33.
If applicable, enter the name, address and ZIP+4 code of the facility if the services were rendered in a facility other than the patient’s home or provider’s office.

33*  Billing Provider Info & PH #
Enter the provider of service/supplier’s billing name, address, ZIP+4 code and telephone number.
NOTE: Do not use commas, periods, or other punctuation in the address. When entering a nine-digit zip code (ZIP+4), include the hyphen. Do not use a hyphen or space as a separator within the telephone number. Claims will be paid to the provider number submitted in field 33 of the CMS-1500 form. This pay-to-provider number is indicated on the Remittance Advice and check.

33a* Billing Provider Info
Typical Providers:
Enter the NPI of the billing provider or group. If the provider rendering the services is a member of a group, the 10-character NPI group/organization number must be entered. If not billing as a member of a group, enter the 10-character individual NPI in the field.

33b* Billing Provider Info
Typical Providers:
Enter the two-byte qualifier ZZ followed by the taxonomy code (no spaces).
HOSPICE PROVIDER

Edit Correction Forms
**CLAIM EDITS**

**970**

**LINE EDITS**

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**RECIPIENT NAME:** JANE S. DOE

**DATE OF BIRTH:** 02/03/1968

**SEX:** F

**NPI:** 1234567899

**REASON:** 0001

**DATE:** 12/31/08

**SERVICE CODE:** T0246

**HDC:** HSP000

**AMOUNT:** 132.63

**PAYMENTS:** 1.000

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**MEDICAID CLAIMS RECEIPT**

P. O. BOX 1412
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29202-1412

**PROVIDER:**

ABC Hospice Provider
PO BOX 123
COLUMBIA, SC 29201-0123

"PLEASE NOTE: EDIT CORRECTION FORMS RETURNED TO DHHS WITH NO CORRECTIVE ACTION WILL BE DISREGARDED"

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**INSURANCE POLICY INFORMATION**

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* indicates a split claim
950 - NOT MEDICAID ELIGIBLE
HOSPICE
ADJUSTMENTS
Frequently Asked Questions
1. **What is the allotted time frame to submit Medicaid claims for payment?**

   One year from the date of service.

2. **For Swing Bed Hospitals - what is the allotted time frame to submit SNF Coinsurance for payment?**

   Two years from the date of services.

3. **When are TADs mailed to the provider?**

   On or about the 20th of each month

4. **What day of the month is the TAD due to DHHS for claims processing?**

   Facilities must mail the TAD along with a copy of the DHHS Form 181 reflecting changes to the contractor's office by the 1st working day of the month.

5. **Are Level of Care Certification Letters for new patients (DHHS Form185) submitted with the TAD for new patients/conversion/re-admissions?**

   Yes.

6. **What address should providers send the TAD to:**

   Medicaid Claims Receipt - NF Claims Section
   Post Office Box 100122
   Columbia, SC  29202-3122

   or

   For UPS, FedEx, and etc.

   Medicaid Claims Receipt - NF Claims Section
   8901 Farrow Road
   Columbia, SC  29223
7. **Should claims returned on pre-payment review Form 071 or 017CI without processing, be re-filed?**

Yes. Once corrections are made, Medicaid claims should be added to next month's TAD. Coinsurance claims can be submitted at any time of the month once corrections are made.

8. **How can I order DHHS Forms (181's, etc.)?**

You can order the Forms at no charge by calling (1-800-506-7254) or Fax a request by dialing (1-803-898-4528). (Form 181 comes in packs of 50 count) or email forms@scdhhs.gov

9. **Who is responsible for collecting recurring income?**

The Provider is responsible for collecting recurring income. There is no prohibition on collecting in advance income amounts due.

10. **What is an authorized Medicaid Bed Hold?**

Medicaid will pay for up to ten (10) days to a facility for a resident while hospitalized. (A patient may be in the hospital 10 full days, returning on the 11th day. Medicaid resident is expected to return to the facility. Medicaid will sponsor the 10-day bed reservation for patients with dual Medicare/Medicaid eligibility.)

11. **Is the day of discharge Medicaid reimbursable?**

No.

12. **If a patient is admitted and discharged on the same day, will Medicaid pay?**

Yes.

13. **Are private rooms covered under Medicaid?**

The difference between the private and semi-private room rates may not be billed to Medicaid. There is no regulation that prohibits the patient or responsible party from paying the difference when a private room is requested by the family.
14. **Can Providers reserve beds for Therapeutic Care/Leave?**

Reservations of beds for therapeutic deinstitutionalization is eighteen (18) days each fiscal year. (July 1 - June 30) Each period of leave is for nine (9) days maximum, and this period may not be consecutive. Chart entries should include: the length of time leave was approved, goals for leave, and on the residents' return; the results of therapeutic leave in relation to the goal for this leave.

15. **Will Medicaid reserve a bed for approved rehabilitation?**

Medicaid will approve a thirty (30) day bed reservation of leave for the purpose of a Medicaid patient's participation in an approved training program sponsored through the South Carolina Department of Vocational Rehabilitation. In order for the leave to be granted, approval must be requested in writing to DHHS.
1. **Must the NF or ICF/MR wait for an Edit Correction Form (ECF)/denial from SCDHHS before submitting an invoice to the hospice agency?**

   **YES.**

2. **Will hospice days be counted as permit days?**

   Yes. Please remember when completing your invoice to include appropriate Level of Care.

3. **How will SCDHHS know if a NF or ICF/MR resident has elected or has been discharged from hospice?**

   SCDHHS receives the Hospice Election Form (SCDHHS Form 149) on any resident who elects the benefit and the Hospice Discharge Form (SCDHHS Form 154) when the resident is discharged or revokes hospice services. If a resident revokes or is discharged from hospice, the NF or ICF/MR will resume normal billing for the individual. It is very important that the hospice notifies the NF or ICF/MR in a timely manner if the resident decides to revoke the hospice benefit or is discharged to avoid payment disruption for the NF or ICF/MR. A NF of ICF/MR may want to include in the agreement that election and discharges forms are provided.

4. **Is there a different daily rate for Skilled Level of Care vs Intermediate Level of Care?**

   No.

5. **Will the patient daily rate change from month to month?**

   It depends on the number of days the resident is in the NF or ICF/MR.

6. **Will every NF or ICF/MR have the same rate?**

   No, rates are based on cost reporting.
7. Should the hospice agency receive a copy of the SCDHHS Form 181, when the recurring income changes?

YES. Recurring Income is noted in Section III of the SCDHHS Form 181. Medicaid Eligibility is responsible for determining Recurring Income.

8. Is the date of discharge for NFs or ICFs/MR room and board Medicaid Reimbursable?

NFs and ICFs/MR are NOT reimbursed for the date of discharge. NFs on ICFs/MR should not invoice hospice agencies for the date of discharge.

9. Who is responsible for pharmaceutical costs as it relates to the terminal illness?

The hospice agency is responsible for pharmaceutical costs related to pain management and symptom control of the terminal illness.

10. What happens if the NF or ICF/MR accepts a hospice resident while Medicaid eligibility is pending and it is later determined that the resident is not eligible? Who is responsible for room and board payment to the NF or ICF/MR?

The hospice is responsible for the room and board amount. It is imperative that the hospice social worker continues to pursue eligibility for the resident to decrease the financial risk in the event the resident is ultimately not eligible for nursing facility benefits.

11. What happens if a hospice resident goes out to the hospital?

If a hospice resident goes into a hospital that the hospice does not have a contract with a non-contracted hospital for a related condition to the terminal condition, the hospice agency offers the resident two options: A) They can revoke the hospice coverage; or B) They may pay the hospital bill themselves. Usually the hospice resident/patient revokes the benefit. If they revoke the benefit, then they revert back to regular Medicaid and a bedhold would apply, then the facility would bill on the TAD, and then the hospital stay would be paid by either Medicare or Medicaid.

If a resident goes in to a contracted hospital for a related condition, there is no change and a bedhold would be paid by the hospice while the resident is in the hospital.

There should not be a situation where a hospital uses their own hospice (and expected to be paid) while a person is under the care of another hospice agency. The resolution to this would be that the resident/patient would have to revoke the benefit with one hospice and then elect with the hospital's hospice. If that happens, the newly elected hospice would have to have a contract with the nursing home to provide a payment for the bed hold time. Just because a hospice resident is in the
hospital using another hospice agency, it does not relieve that hospice agency (the hospital's) from paying for the nursing facility bed hold. The resident is still considered a resident of the nursing home and this does not relieve a hospice agency from the responsibility of paying for the bedhold.

Remember if the hospice provider number does not coincide with the Medicaid number in the RSP program, it won't pay, so a facility shouldn't just change the hospice agency since the elections and discharges would not have been done.

12. What happens if the NF or ICF/MR is paid in error through the TAD for hospice dates of service?

If you have been paid through your TAD in error, you MUST send in a request for an adjustment. The hospice provider can not bill until DOS have been recouped. If you do not submit an adjustment timely, SCDHHS may initiate a debit request on your behalf.

SCDHHS Form 181 Tips:

- Please be sure to include the resident’s most current SCDHHS Form 181 when invoicing the Hospice.
- For all new hospice residents, please be sure to write “Hospice” in the top margin of the SCDHHS Form 181.