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## MEDICAID BULLETIN

**TO: Nursing Facilities and Hospitals**

**SUBJECT: A. Nursing Facility Bed Locator  
B. Complex Care Program**

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) will sponsor four regional trainings to introduce two new initiatives, the Nursing Facility Bed Locator (NFBL) and the Complex Care Program (CCP).

- A. Nursing Facility Bed Locator  
SCDHHS recently entered into an agreement with the Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging (LGoA) for the purposes of designing, implementing and maintaining a web-based nursing facility bed registry. The registry will provide current information on available Medicaid nursing facility beds throughout South Carolina. This information will be available to hospitals, consumers and anyone interested in identifying available Medicaid nursing facility beds. Staff from the LGoA will provide an overview and demonstration of the NFBL.
- B. Complex Care Program  
The SCDHHS developed the CCP program to implement a patient assessment system providing financial incentives to nursing facilities for admission of beneficiaries with complex care needs. During the training sessions, SCDHHS staff will discuss level of care, reimbursement and nursing facility participation criteria.

It is very important that providers are familiar with the new initiatives. Training sessions are scheduled Monday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, Friday, June 29<sup>th</sup> and, Monday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>. Registration is mandatory for all attendees as space is limited. To register for a session, visit the South Carolina Medicaid Provider Outreach Website at [www.scm Medicaid provider.org](http://www.scm Medicaid provider.org), or call the South Carolina Medicaid Provider Service Center at 1-888-289-0709.

Training details including the logistics for each location are attached. If you have any questions, please direct them to the Division of Community and Facility Services at 803-898-2590. Thank you for your continued support in the South Carolina Healthy Connections program.

/s/  
Anthony E. Keck  
Director

## Nursing Facilities (Bed Locator) Training

Spartanburg, SC	Greenville, SC
Monday, June 25, 2012	Tuesday, June 26, 2012
Spartanburg Community College	Greenville Technical College
800 Brisack Road 29303	506 South Pleasantburg Drive 29607
Bldg.: Tracy Gaines Auditorium	Bldg.: Fred C. Fore Auditorium
10:00am – 1:00pm	10:00am – 1:00pm
<b>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:</b> No food or drink permitted. Parking is free.	<b>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:</b> No food or drink permitted. Parking is free.
Florence, SC	Columbia, SC
Friday, June 29, 2012	Monday, July 2, 2012
Florence/Darlington Technical College	BlueCross BlueShield of SC
2715 West Lucas Street 29501	8901 Farrow Road
Bldg.: Fred C. Fore Auditorium	Bldg.: Palmetto GBA
10:00am – 1:00pm	10:00am – 1:00pm
<b>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:</b> No food or drink permitted. Parking is free. Visitors may park in Lots A or B. Note: Please do not park in spaces designated for Technical College Staff.	<b>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:</b> Food and drink permitted. Parking is free.

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