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DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH LANSING

JANET OLSZEWSKI DIRECTOR

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Dear Medicaid Provider:

RE: Conference Call with CMS - Medicare Part D

The Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) would like to inform you of a forthcoming conference call with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) regarding Medicare Part D.

The purpose of this call is to assist nursing facilities with questions they may have surrounding Medicare Part D. This call is open to all nursing facility providers enrolled with the Michigan Medicaid Program. Your participation is welcomed. Mr. Todd Stankewicz, RPh, Pharmacy Officer, CMS Region V, will be available to answer Medicare Part D questions.

The conference call is scheduled for *Tuesday, October 13, 2009, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard time.*

Phone Number: 877-336-1828 **Password:** 8975970

Prior to the conference call:

- R.S.V.P. by Friday, October 9, 2009, to MDCH at darlingk@michigan.gov or fax to (517) 241-8995.
- Forward specific questions/concerns relating to Medicare Part D to the e-mail address or fax number listed above. These questions will be compiled and distributed prior to the call to all who R.S.V.P.
- Reference MDCH policy bulletin MSA 09-45 issued August 1, 2009, which addresses Medicaid policy on the coordination of benefits with pharmacy insurance. This bulletin can be accessed on the MDCH website at www.michigan.gov/medicaidproviders >> Policy and Forms >> Michigan Medicaid Approved Policy Bulletins 2009.

Contact the Medicaid Program Policy Division at (517) 241-4293 with other inquiries.

Sincerely,

Edmund P. Kemp, Director Program Policy Division

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