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DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH  
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Dear Medicaid Provider:

**RE: Hospice Medicaid Provider Liaison Meeting**

The Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) would like to inform you of a forthcoming Medicaid liaison meeting for Hospice providers enrolled with the Medicaid Program. The Michigan Hospice and Palliative Care Organization is also invited to attend.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide a forum to update providers on policy, discuss policy issues and concerns, as well as increase collaboration between our administration and providers. We also plan to provide updates and discuss operational issues as they relate to the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS) and level of care issues, as appropriate. Your participation is welcomed.

The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, October 29, 2009, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** in conference room E in the lower level of the Capitol Commons Center building located at 400 South Pine Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933. Registration is not required.

The format will include agenda items with time for questions and discussion. If there are topics you would like addressed, please contact Karen Darling by Friday, October 23, 2009, to have your items included on the agenda.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen Fitton".

Stephen Fitton, Acting Director  
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