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Distribution: All Providers, Bridges Eligibility Manual (BEM) Holders

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Subject: Extension of the *Plan First!* Family Planning Waiver

Effective: As Indicated

Programs Affected: *Plan First!* Waiver

On February 28, 2014, the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) distributed bulletin MSA 14-12, which announced the ending of *Plan First!*, Michigan's Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver for family planning services, effective June 30, 2014. **Effective immediately, the *Plan First!* waiver has been extended for coverage from July 1, 2014 until further notice for beneficiaries who:**

- **Were enrolled in *Plan First!* on April 1, 2014, or may have been enrolled in *Plan First!* after April 1, 2014, and**
- **Have not been determined eligible for full medical coverage.**

MDCH and the Department of Human Services are working to restore the *Plan First!* eligibility information within the MI Bridges eligibility system and the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS) eligibility inquiry. Until this information is restored, eligibility verifications for *Plan First!* should be made by requesting a copy of beneficiary letter B-14-54 from the beneficiary. A copy of B-14-54 is attached for your reference.

Per MSA 14-12, new enrollments into *Plan First!* are no longer accepted. Current information about *Plan First!*, including how to confirm an individual's eligibility and continuation of the program for the enrollees described above, will be posted to the *Plan First!* website as it becomes available: www.michigan.gov/planfirst.

Manual Maintenance

Retain this bulletin until the information has been incorporated into the Michigan Medicaid Provider Manual.

Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Community Health, P.O. Box 30731, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8231, or e-mail at ProviderSupport@michigan.gov. When you submit an e-mail be sure to include your name, affiliation, and phone number so you may be contacted if necessary. Providers may phone toll-free 1-800-292-2550.

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