

MICHOICE HOME AND COMMUNITY- BASED SERVICES WAIVER PROGRAM SCREENING PROCESS

(FY2007 Appropriation Bill - Public Act 330 of 2006)

Prior to Implementation

Section 1710: Any proposed changes by the department to the MIChoice home-and community-based services waiver program screening process shall be provided to the members of the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on community health prior to implementation of the proposed changes.

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**Notification of a Change in the Screening Process for the
MIChoice Home and Community Based Services Waiver
Program
Boilerplate Report – Section 1710**

The MIChoice screening process will implement provisions of P.A. 634 of 2006, which is the enabling legislation for the Michigan Single Point of Entry/Long Term Care Connection Demonstration project. Section 109i. (17) of that act requires the SPE's to conduct the level of care assessments for Medicaid eligibility to long term care programs.

Effective November 1, 2007, the Long Term Care Connection will conduct the level of care assessments that determine Medicaid eligibility for the long term care programs within their regions, encompassing thirty-six counties. Specific changes are outlined in the Medicaid policy bulletin, MSA 07-45, which is available on the MDCH web page at the following address:

http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdch/MSA-07-45-SPE_Bulletin_207318_7.pdf