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Beneficiaries under age 21 will receive dental care through Medicaid Fee-for-Service until their enrollment in *Healthy Kids Dental* becomes effective. In most cases, a beneficiary will be enrolled in *Healthy Kids Dental* on the first day of the next available month following their Medicaid eligibility. It is essential that dental offices verify the beneficiary's eligibility and enrollment prior to each appointment since the determination occurs on a monthly basis.

This is a change to the enrollment process described in bulletin MSA 16-27, which indicated beneficiaries would be enrolled in *Healthy Kids Dental* as soon as they become Medicaid eligible. All other policies and procedures described in MSA 16-27 regarding the *Healthy Kids Dental* program remain unchanged.

Manual Maintenance

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

Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Health and Human Services, 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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