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TO: Executive Directors, ADAMHS/ADAS/CMH Boards
Chief Financial Officers, ADAMHS/ADAS/CMH Boards

Sent by e-mail.

FROM: Angie Bergefurd, Assistant Deputy Director, ODMH
Douglas L. Day, Medicaid Administrator, ODADAS

RE: Implementation Update and Invitation to Assist in Creating an Electronic Data Interface (EDI) for the ODADAS and ODMH Web-Based Modified Certified Public Expenditure (CPE) Application

ODADAS and ODMH are issuing this update regarding the continuing implementation of the jointly developed web-based modified CPE application. Boards will be using this application to report all Medicaid covered behavioral health service payments processed on or after July 1, 2008 and documented in HIPAA required electronic 835s.

Five of the six the regional trainings have been conducted by ODADAS and ODMH and there have been questions related to different aspects of the modified CPE application. We are tracking all of the questions and will provide a comprehensive written response upon completion of the trainings. This document will include responses to questions submitted by the Ohio Association of County Behavioral Health Authorities (OACBHA).

As of today, we have 26 “items of improvement” to the modified CPE application specifically suggested by Board members. Of these 26 items, 17 have been completed; 4 are started; and 5 are still under consideration.

One of these improvements has been a request for an Electronic Data Interface (EDI) function. To facilitate completion of this added functionality, ODADAS and ODMH are convening an Electronic Data Interface (EDI) work group on August 27, 2008 beginning at 10:00 am in the ODADAS 15th floor training room. Please see the second page of this notice for further meeting description and location details

ODADAS and ODMH Modified CPE Application EDI Workgroup

Who should attend?

- A fiscal representative and an IT representative (preferably one that works with your internal accounting system)

What will be discussed?

- We will do a quick review of the modified CPE application.
- We will work on a crosswalk of data fields
- Discuss the roles and needed items from Board IT as well as ODADAS IT
- Develop a timeline needed in order to have the EDI completed before the October 16th Deadline
- Schedule a next meeting

Date: Wednesday, August 27, 2008

Time: 10:00 AM

Location: Ohio Department of Alcohol And Drug Addiction Services (ODADAS)

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You will need to sign in at the receptionist's desk on the 12th floor prior to coming to the 15th floor training room.