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MEMORANDUM

Date: April 7, 2014

To: Chief Executive Officer
Chief Financial Officer

From: John Upchurch
Director, Reimbursement Services

Subject: FY 2014 Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) Payments

BY FACSIMILE

The Department is ready to proceed with the various steps that will be necessary to make final FY 2014 DSH payments. Please see the following action items that will be necessary for your hospital to complete in order to receive a final FY 2014 DSH payment. Data for both action items can be found at www.dch.georgia.gov by selecting "Provider," "Provider Types," "Hospital Providers," then "Indigent Care Trust Fund."

Action Item 1: Letter of Agreement

A hospital's signed Letter of Agreement will be a condition of receiving a FY 2014 DSH payment. If you have not submitted the required agreement, please complete and fax signed agreement to Annetta Smith's attention at (404) 657-4199.

Action Item 2: DSH Eligibility and Data Elements

Each hospital should review their hospital-specific information under SFY2014 Payments to ensure no errors have been made in hospital classification or transpositions in financial data. Please note this is not an opportunity for hospitals to restate uncompensated care that has already been reviewed and audited by Myers & Stauffer, rather, the department is only interested in technical corrections. Any requests for correction should be submitted to Myers & Stauffer at GADSH@MSLC.com **no later than Friday, April 11, 2014.**

Once final corrections are made to the data elements, detailed information about the time schedule, facility payment amounts and intergovernmental transfers will be provided on the Department's website the week of April 14, 2014. The Department will send out separate correspondence notifying you of the availability of that information.

If you have any questions about this notice, please contact Annetta Smith, Program Director for Supplemental Reimbursement, at (404) 463-6669.