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**Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) Policy Transmittal: 2021-19**

Applicable to the **2018-2023 SMMC contract benefits** for:

- Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) and MMA Specialty
- Long-Term Care (LTC)
- Dental

**Re: Hospital Terminations**

The managed care plan must notify the Agency within seven (7) business days of any adverse changes to its regional provider network: (1) Any change that would cause more than five percent (5%) of enrollees in the region to change the location where services are received or rendered; (2) As defined in the Exhibits. (Attachment II, Section VIII.B.3.c.) The purpose of this policy transmittal is to notify the managed care plan of new requirements related to hospital terminations.

Effective June 11, 2021, the managed care plan must notify the Agency at least ninety (90) days prior to the termination effective date of a participating hospital agreement or within seven (7) days of notification from the participating hospital, whichever occurs first. The notification must include the Agency-prescribed hospital termination checklist attached to this policy transmittal.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your contract manager.

Sincerely,

Tom Wallace  
Deputy Secretary for Medicaid

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Attachment: Hospital Termination Checklist

