

MEMORANDUM

Texas Department of Human Services * Long Term Care/Policy

TO: LTC-R Regional Directors
Section/Unit Managers

FROM: Marc Gold
Section Manager
Long Term Care-Policy
State Office MC: W-519

SUBJECT: Regional Survey & Certification Letter #99-26

DATE: August 19, 1999

The attached RS&C Letter is being provided to you for information purposes and should be shared with all professional staff.

- RS&C Letter No. 99-26 -- Form HCFA-802 Roster/Sample Matrix; Call Elva Longoria, NF Program Specialist, Professional Services, at (512) 438-2345.

If you have any questions, please direct inquiries to the individual(s) or section(s) listed above.

~Original Signature on File~

Marc Gold

Attachment

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Health Care Financing Administration

Region VI
1301 Young Street, Room 833
Dallas, Texas 75202

August 6, 1999

REGIONAL SURVEY AND CERTIFICATION LETTER NO: 99-26

To: All State Survey Agencies (Action)
All Title XIX Single State Agencies (Information)

Subject: Form HCFA-82 Roster/Sample Matrix

Our Central office has advised us that they are receiving inquiries from the States about the Form HCFA-802. They have requested the usual print run of the HCFA 802 and its Surveyor Instructions. However, the Provider Instructions have not been ordered yet, because we are still working on the automated crosswalk, and that will actually change the instructions. After a draft final of the Provider Instructions is submitted to our issuances staff, we will post the draft final on the website, so that all vendors can have the same chance to begin programming.

In the meantime, State survey agencies should continue to copy and use the Form HCFA-802 that is available on the web sites (both MDS and Survey and Certification).

Please call Karen Herbelin at (214) 767-6301 if you have questions about the instructions.

Sincerely,

~Signature on File~

Molly Crawshaw, Chief
Professional Health Advocacy & Analysis Branch

c: Bryna Webber, CMSO, CO
Brenda Nimmons, Atlanta RO