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## MEMORANDUM

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**TO: DFR Field Staff**

**FROM: Janet Sanford DFR Training and OMPP Policy**

**RE: TMA HIP Reminders**

**DATE: September 28, 2015**

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### **Section 3800.00 in IHCPPM provides policy regarding the Transitional Medicaid Assistance (TMA)**

Up to 12 months of full medical coverage under the Transitional Medical Assistance (TMA) category is available to families when a caretaker relative was discontinued from or denied MAGF because of the earnings. To qualify for TMA, the caretaker relative must be ineligible for MAGF due to new or increased earnings. Eligibility is guaranteed for the first 6 months, but in the second 6 months reporting of earning and other information is required via submission of a Periodic Report.

#### **3805.40.00 Discontinuance as the Result of a Periodic Report**

When the Periodic Report is not returned, is incomplete or does not indicate good cause, TMA HIP can be closed. If the client failed to also verify additional information such as earnings from a new hire hit the worker should run AEABC and the system will determine if the individuals on TMA qualify for any other category or assistance.

#### **2235.00.00 Changes in Category of Assistance**

If the eligibility status for a recipient under a new category is pending because of missing verification(s), the worker must send the Medicaid Category Change Form, FI0017 to the client along with a 2032 with a 13 day deadline to provide the information.

