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To: Aged & Disabled (A&D) Waiver Providers

From: Paul J. Leary, Administrator
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Subject: State Plan Personal Care Services (PCS) for A&D Waiver Participants

Beginning October 1, 2012, A&D Waiver participants can receive up to 16 hours a week of PCS (code T1019) without incurring a share of cost if medical eligibility for PCS is identified on the participant's Uniform Assessment Instrument (UAI).

Based on the UAI assessment, A&D Waiver participants may continue to receive attendant care (code S5125) as a waiver service after the PCS is exhausted. Participants may incur a share of cost for attendant care services. There will be no changes to how the share of cost is calculated.

If you have questions about this information, please contact the Alternative Care Coordinator in the Division of Medicaid's Bureau of Long Term Care at (208) 287-1156.

Thank you for participating in the Idaho Medicaid Program.

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