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To: OCDD Direct Service Provider Agencies

OCDD Support Coordination Agencies

Intermediate Care Facilities for Developmental Disabilities (ICF/DD's)

LGE Regional Office Staff

From: Paul Risorer, OCDD Waiver Director

Subject: Revised Form 90-L

The Request for Medical Eligibility Determination Form 90-L issued in October 2017 has been revised as well as the Letter to Physician, which now directs the physician to the LGE for any questions. Please use this form starting immediately.

As stated before, the Form 90-L is to be used for all OCDD waivers (NOW, Supports Waiver, Children's Choice, ROW) and for ICF/DD placement. This is a state form whose format is <u>not to be modified</u> by any party other than OCDD Central Office.

One minor language change has been made to the Form 90-L. A nurse practitioner or physician's assistant can now sign off on the 90-L for all OCDD Home and Community Based waiver services (Children's Choice Waiver, Supports Waiver, Residential Options Waiver, and New Opportunities Waiver participants).

If the 10/2017 version of the 90-L form is in the process of being completed, you are not required to restart the process with the new 90-L. However, you are allowed to accept the nurse practitioner or physician's assistant signature on the 90-L for all OCDD waivers, effective immediately.

Please discard all copies of the old form and replace with the attached. Instructions for completing the form and all associated documents are still available on the OCDD website at the following link: http://dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/newsroom/detail/1564.

As a reminder to agencies, Section I. Recipient Information should be completed by the agency/family prior to presenting it to the physician for completion.

If you have any questions regarding use of the form, please contact Teresa Frank at (225) 342-0095 or Teresa.Frank@la.gov.

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