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MEMORANDUM

TO: All Georgia Department of Human Services (DHS) Foster & Adoptive Parents

FROM: Keith Horton, Commissioner, DHS
Sharon Hill, Director, DFCS

DATE: January 24, 2014

SUBJECT: Amerigroup 360 Foster Care Transition/
Transition of Health Care Coverage to Managed Care

On March 3, 2014 the Georgia Department of Community Health (DCH) will transition the health care coverage of children and young adults in foster care and those who receive adoption assistance into the Medicaid managed care program.

The move, to a single statewide Care Maintenance Organization (CMO), Amerigroup, is intended to improve the coordination of medical care for Georgia's foster children and adoptive youth. Amerigroup is currently establishing care coordination teams to manage access to health services and enhance the continuity of care for the covered populations.

An Amerigroup representative will soon contact you to discuss the 360 Foster Care Transition Program. To learn more about the upcoming transition, please visit: <https://dch.georgia.gov/foster-care-adoption-assistance>

We value your commitment and support to Georgia's children as we work to provide resources tailored to your specific needs as a foster and adoptive parent.

Both Amerigroup and the Department welcome your input during this transition. If you have questions about how the transition will affect you, please contact fostercare@amerigroup.com.