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October 29, 2013

To: Agency Personal Care Providers in the Waiver for Older Adults

From: John S. Wilson, Project Manager

In-home Supports Assurance System (ISAS)

Re: (URGENT) Removal of Paper Billing and eMedicaid for the

Waiver for Older Adults

The following changes will be effective as of Thursday, November 7, 2013 for agency personal care (procedure codes **W0202** and **W0203**) claims in the Waiver for Older Adults Program:

<u>Claims (procedure codes W0202 and W0203)</u> with dates of service of November 7, 2013 and after:

The Department will process these claims only via the In-home Supports Assurance System (ISAS). This means that ISAS will be the **ONLY** method of billing for W0202 AND W0203 codes for any of those claims with a date of service **on or after** November 7th.

<u>Claims</u> (procedure codes **W0202** and **W0203**) with dates of service prior to November 7, 2013: The Department will continue to accept eMedicaid or paper claims for dates of service prior to November 7th. (In accordance with Department regulations.)

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact John Wilson at <u>john.wilson@maryland.gov</u> or 410-767-1719.