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**MEDICAID COMMUNICATION NO:** 92-26

**DATE:** October 20, 1992

**TO:** County Welfare Agency Directors

**SUBJECT:** New Jersey Care...Special Medicaid Programs; Expansion Reminder

Legislation signed by Governor Florio in December of 1991 provided for an expansion of the New Jersey Care program to include children born after September 30, 1983, who have not attained the age of 19 and whose family's income is less than 100 percent of the federal poverty level. The effect of this legislation is a phase-in of the eligibility for older children.

Effective October 1, 1992, in accordance with this legislation, coverage is available for all eligible children who are aged six, seven or eight and for those nine-year-old children who became age nine subsequent to September 30, 1992.

Questions concerning this communication should be referred to the field service staff assigned to your county.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Saul M. Kilstein".

Saul M. Kilstein  
Director

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