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Medicaid Service Coordination Vendor Manual

OPWDD has issued an updated MSC Vendor Manual. The Vendor Manual has been revised to reflect programmatic changes implemented with MSC restructuring that took effect October 1, 2010. The manual, dated May 23, 2011, is now available on the OPWDD website via the following link:

http://www.opwdd.ny.gov/hp_msc_redesign.jsp

MSC Forms Updated

Several MSC forms have been updated to reflect OPWDD's name change and are available on the OPWDD website in a fillable pdf version. To access the forms, go to:

http://www.opwdd.ny.gov/wt/forms/wt_msc_forms.jsp

Updated forms include:

- MSC 1: Individual Application for Participation in Medicaid Service Coordination
- MSC 2: Individual Request for Change of Medicaid Service Coordination Vendor
- MSC 3: Individual Withdrawal from Medicaid Service Coordination
- MSC 4: MSC – Individual Withdrawal Verification Form
- MSC 6: MSC Service Coordinator's Training Record
- MSC 7: Service Coordination Observation Report: for Willowbrook Class Members Living in OPWDD Certified Residences
- MSC 9: Medicaid Service Coordination Activity Plan

Benefit Development Resource Guide

OPWDD has issued the 2011 edition of The Benefit Development Resource Guide. This guide is a comprehensive manual designed to assist those involved in developing and maintaining the various benefits and entitlements available to individuals with developmental disabilities. Topics include Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Food Stamps and others. The resource guide can be accessed on the OPWDD website at:

http://www.opwdd.ny.gov/wt/publications/msc/images/wt_benefit_resourceguide.pdf.