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SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Dear Ryan White Part A and/or MAI-funded Service Provider:

Enclosed for your information and immediate distribution is a revised Ryan White Program Minimum Primary Medical Care Standards for Chart Review. Please note that this new version will also be available on the Office of Grants Coordination's Ryan White Program website (www.miamidade.gov/RyanWhite/) by Friday, July 15, 2011.

At its meeting on Monday, May 9, 2011, the Miami-Dade HIV/AIDS Partnership approved the following change to the Minimum Primary Medical Care Standards:

- Strike "Living Will" from Item #9(h) on page 3 of these Standards and replace with "Advance Directives".

In addition, at its meeting on Monday, July 11, 2011, the Partnership also approved for use the attached "Components of Advance Directives", sample "Living Will" form including definitions, and sample "Designation of Health Care Surrogate" form.

Please be sure to inform staff and clients of this change to the Standards and about the Components of Advance Directives, as appropriate. If further clarification is needed, please contact Carla Valle-Schwenk, Ryan White Program Administrator, at (305) 375-4742, or Beth Hayden, Senior Administrator of Behavioral Science Research Corporation, at 305-443-2000. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

c: Carla Valle-Schwenk, Program Administrator, OGC
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