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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED CARE PROVIDERS

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SUBJECT: HIPAA Privacy and Security Requirements

All agencies that have a Medicaid contract with the Department of Social Services (DSS) to provide in-home and consumer-directed services are required to report any potential breach of HIPAA privacy and security requirements. These incidents should be reported to the **DSS Provider Hotline by calling 573-751-3285**. The DSS Missouri Medicaid Audit and Compliance (MMAC) Unit is now responsible for oversight of all such contracts.

Any questions regarding this memorandum should be directed to the Bureau of Program Integrity via e-mail at programintegrity@health.mo.gov or by phone at 573-526-8557.

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