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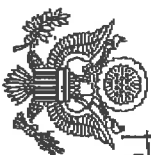
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TO: Emma Forkner

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FROM: Sophie Martin

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Department of Health & Human Services
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Ms. Emma Forkner
Director
SC Department of Health and Human Services
PO Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

Dear Emma:

The attached letter concerns an issue outside of my official jurisdiction. Therefore, as a courtesy to my constituent, I am sending this correspondence to you.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I ask that you please respond directly to the individual.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L. Graham".

Lindsey O. Graham
United States Senator

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Enclosure

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February 18, 2010

Ms. Catharine G. Moye
9473 Alex Harving Highway
Summerton, South Carolina 29148

Dear Ms. Moye:

Senator Lindsey Graham contacted this agency regarding your Medicaid eligibility and healthcare needs.

The Department of Health and Human Services administers Medicaid, a health insurance program for low-income individuals and families. Applicants must meet financial and categorical requirements that are based on state and federal regulations. The categorical requirements to be eligible for full coverage Medicaid in SC are listed below.

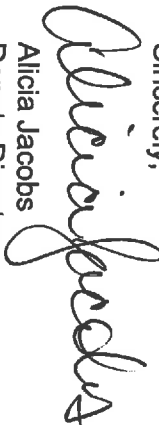
- *Receives governmental cash assistance such as Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or Optional State Supplementation (OSS),*
- *Age 65+, or determined to be blind or disabled by the Social Security Administration,*
- *Child under age 19,*
- *Pregnant woman,*
- *A family with a dependent child(ren), or*
- *A woman diagnosed and found to be in need of treatment for either breast or cervical cancer or pre-cancerous lesions (CIN II/III or atypical hyperplasia).*

Currently, you are not eligible for full coverage Medicaid because you do not meet any of our categorical requirements. You may wish to apply for limited coverage through our Family Planning (FP) program which offers services such as birth control, pap smears, lab work and other services directly related to family planning. If you choose to apply, please complete the enclosed application and return it to: Central Eligibility Processing, PO Box 100101, Columbia, SC 29202.

Also enclosed is information on other programs and organizations that can assist residents in South Carolina with their healthcare services, prescriptions, inpatient hospitalization and daily living needs.

If you have other questions about the Medicaid program, please contact Ms. Jennifer Lynch at (803) 898-3965. We hope this information is helpful.

Sincerely,


Alicia Jacobs
Deputy Director

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