


**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR**

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1. LOG NUMBER	100173	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature	DATE DUE _____
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1.			<i>* Cleared 10/8/08; letter attached. Response letter signed by Kevin Rogers</i>
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FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

TO: Department of Health & Human Services
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Ms. Emma Forkner - Director

COMPANY:

South Carolina Department of Health and Human
Services

DATE:

September 24, 2008

FAX NUMBER:

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PHONE NUMBER:

SENDER'S PHONE NUMBER:

803-896-2500

(803) 771-6112

RE:

SENDER'S FAX NUMBER:

Dr. Bill Whitley - Tax Identification Number

(803) 771-6455

☐ LUKE BYARS

☐ KELLY LONG

☐ RYAN DAWKINS

☐ IAN HEADLEY

☐ JEAN MOORE

☐ KATI YOUMANS

☒ CANDICE BOATWRIGHT

☐ TIM LOULIS

☐

NOTES/COMMENTS:

Hello Ms. Forkner.

Mr. Bill Whitley has contacted our office regarding an issue he is having with his personal tax identification number being used for his practice tax identification number instead of his corporate tax identification number. The following information was provided to us by Dr. Whitley. Please let me know if I can be of additional assistance. I look forward to hearing back.

Thank you for your assistance.

Candice

Candice Boatwright

803-771-6112

Candice_Boatwright@demint.senate.gov

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South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services

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Dear Friend,

I am writing on behalf of my constituent, Mr. Bill Whitley, about his request for assistance with his tax identification number. Enclosed is a copy of his letter for your review.

I would greatly appreciate your addressing the questions and concerns mentioned in Mr. Whitley's correspondence, with respect to governing rules and regulations. I have assured Bill that I would write to emphasize my interest in his case and to help obtain a reply from your office.

Thank you for your help. Please feel free to call Candice of my staff at 803-771-6112 if you have any questions or need additional information. I look forward to your prompt reply to our Columbia office.

Sincerely,



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Senator Jim Demint and/or his staff to access the information necessary to assist me.

Signature

Jim Demint

Address

1168 Patter Farm

Telephone

Orangeburg SC 29118
Home 803-5310833 office 803 5316604

Social Security Number

458-72-1488

Date of Birth

4-4-43

Brief explanation of situation:

The SC Dept of Health & Human Services is using my personal
S.S # (458-72-1488) instead of my Corp Tax ID # (84-067-5282)
to assign taxes. I need an amended 1099 form to
get this corrected with HHS and the IRS -

Are you currently or have you previously received assistance in this situation from another
Senator or Member of Congress? Yes No

If Yes, which Member?

William H. Whitey, D.C.
1724 Highway 204
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If this information is correct, your tax increase is \$ 10,193 plus all applicable penalties, interest and payment adjustments such as federal tax withholding, excess social security tax withheld, etc. If you pay in full by October 15, 2008, you will owe \$ 13,345.

GROSS RECEIPTS MEDICAL			
Account Information	Amount Reported to IRS by Others	Amount Included on Your Return	Difference
#001 SSN: [REDACTED] Form 1099-MISC ACCT: 100616	\$ 36,506	\$ 0	\$ 36,506
SC DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE P.O BOX 8206 COLUMBIA SC 292028206			
GROSS RECEIPTS MEDICAL Total	\$ -36,506	\$ 0	\$ 36,506

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State of South Carolina
Department of Health and Human Services

Mark Sanford
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October 8, 2008

Emma Fortner
Director

William H. Whitley, D.O.
1168 Putter Path
Orangeburg, South Carolina 29118

Dear Dr. Whitley:

Through Senator DeMint's Office, the Department received your enclosed inquiry about income reported to your personal Social Security Number (SSN). The matter was referred to this Office for a response. This resulted from billing under your National Provider Identification (NPI) Number, which you provided us via the enclosed CMS letter. The letter ties the NPI Number to your individual Medicaid Provider number (T00816). Under your past instructions to us, T00816 is reportable by form 1099-MISC, not to your corporate number, but to your individual SSN. See your enclosed enrollment form.

Similar issues have come up in the past, and providers have asked the Department to "reverse" the information returns, 1099-MISC. Whenever we have inquired of the IRS about the propriety of doing that, we have been informed that it would not be appropriate for the Department to attempt to change the information we reported. As explained to us, this is because all that exists, as an accounting trail, are the documents showing that claims were made and payments sent to the payee shown on the 1099-MISC. We also imagine that the IRS might be concerned that an unscrupulous taxpayer could try to minimize income or avoid reporting one (1) of two (2) potentially taxable events.

Obviously, that is not what is going on in your case. Nevertheless, we have been informed that the proper way to correct this is for the payee to "nominee" the money to another entity's number by completing a 1099 and a 1096 (the transmittal). You will probably want to contact Provider Enrollment, at 1-888 549-0820 to prevent this from happening for the 2008 tax year.

You will certainly want to obtain the advice of your accountant about this matter. I would be happy to answer any questions regarding this letter. You may contact me at (803) 898-2812.

Sincerely,

Kevin L. Rogers
Kevin L. Rogers
Bureau Chief

Enclosures

cc: Candice Boatwright
Office of Senator DeMint

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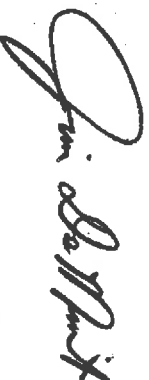
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Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services**FOX**
Systems, Inc.

NPI Enumerator

000467

William H Whitley DO
Attn: Debra L Clark
1724 Village Park Dr
Orangeburg, SC 29118-2426

Date: July 16, 2006

Subject: National Provider Identifier

A request for a National Provider Identifier for William H Whitley DO was recently submitted, and you were listed as the contact person. This is to inform you that the request was successfully processed and the following NPI has been assigned: 1093733719.

Please verify that the following information is correct:

Practice Location: 1724 Village Park Dr
Orangeburg, SC 29118-2426

Other Identification Numbers:
MEDICAID T00816 SC
MEDICARE A018380281 SC
UPIN A01838

Provider Taxonomies: 207000000X Family Practice 0371 SC

If you have any questions about this identifier you may:

- 1.) Refer to the NPI website (<https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov>), or
- 2.) Contact the NPI Enumerator at:

NPI Enumerator
PO Box 6059
RATON, ND 58108-6059
1-800-465-3203 (NPI Toll-Free)
1-800-692-2326 (NPI TTX)
customerservice@npienumerator.com

Please note: The information provided in the NPI application may be shared with and used by others only in accordance with the privacy notice to which you agreed at the time of application. In addition, you agreed to keep the NPPES updated with any changes to data listed on the provider's application form within 30 days of the effective date of the change. If you are not the provider, you are required to inform the provider of the information in this letter and furnish a copy of this notification to the provider.

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Medicaid Enrollment Data
Individual Physician or Osteopath

JUL 22 2008

AUG 04 2008

4203017

Medicaid Agency

Provider No.

Medicaid Agency

100816 210

5 PROVIDER'S NAME

WILLIAM H WILKINSON

Mailing Address

5 In Care of, Attention, Building Name, etc.

THE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

7 NUMBER AND STREET, P.O. BOX OR ROUTE NO.

3000 ST MATTHEWS RD

9 CITY

DHANBARGER

10 STATE

SC

11 ZIP

29115

Payment Address (if different from mailing address)

6 In Care of, Attention, Building Name, etc.

Items marked with an asterisk (*) should be completed based on the codes listed on the attachment to this form.

8 Number and Street, PO Box or Route No.

12 City

13 State

14 Zip

15 COUNTY* 16 TELEPHONE (INCL. AREA CODE)

35 (803) 533-2200

2000

Y

19 IRS EMP. ID NO. -OR- 20 SOC. SEC. NO.

453721455

21 Medicare ID No.

22 LICENSE NO.

7081

23 LICENSE ISSUE DATE

07-26-94

24 LICENSE STATE *

SC

25 DEBITED

Y

26 REQUIRED

Y

27 PRIMARY SPECIALTY *

12

28 Secondary Specialty

If a member of a PA, enter ID number assigned by Medicaid.

30 Group Numbers

400615

33 CUA

Numbers

Cert Type *

PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE
HCFA CERTIFICATION LETTER.

Effective Date

Expiration Date

ATTENTION: ALL PROVIDERS MUST SIGN THE PROVIDER AGREEMENT ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM.
SERVICES ARE PROVIDED TO CHILDREN UNDER 21 AND/OR PREGNANT WOMEN, SECTION B ON THE
REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED.

HHSC Form 218-P1 (December 1992)