Policy Clarifications

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Will permanent residents (Citizenship Code 02), temporary residents (Citizenship Code 03) and undocumented non-citizens (Citizenship Code 05) continue to be enrolled in Managed Care Organizations (MCOs)?

Response By: Division of Health Services

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No. Individuals with citizenship code 05 are no longer enrolled in MCOs. This system edit was implemented effective November 1, 2011 (December 15, 2011 in IV-B).

Individuals with citizenship codes 02 (under the five year bar) and 03 are no longer enrolled in MCOs with the following exceptions:

- 1. Under age 21
- 2. Pregnant through the postpartum period
- 3. Receiving MA benefits in a GA-related category

This system edit was implemented May 1, 2012

These individuals will continue to receive MA benefits through the Fee for Service program.