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To: All Medicaid Providers of Vision Services
From: Leslie M. Clement, Administrator 
Subject: House Bill 260 Budget Reductions –Vision Services

Effective for dates of service on and after July 1, 2011, in compliance with House Bill 260, Section 9, Idaho Medicaid will no longer cover vision services for adults unless they require evaluation and treatment for a chronic disease such as diabetes. There are no changes for vision services for participants who are under the age of 21.

If you have questions about the changes in limitations for vision services, please contact the policy subject matter expert for vision services in the Division of Medicaid at (208) 364-1897.

Thank you for participating in the Idaho Medicaid Program.

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