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From: Tracy Cloud Thomas, Assistant Deputy Director, Medicaid Development and Administration

Subject: DRA Site Maintenance Update

The purpose of this memo is to provide an update on the Daily Rate Application site deletion process. Considerable feedback from the field indicated that duplicate or inaccurate sites created in the DRA were causing problems.

During the transition to the DRA some sites were created by mistake, or it was determined that a site intended for the DRA was exempted. Recently ODMRDD staff verified the list of sites to be removed with assistance from county boards; those deletions took place the week of March 2nd. There were a few sites that were erroneously deleted, but we believe those have since been restored. We do apologize for any confusion this has caused.

If you find sites within your County that should have been deleted or sites that were deleted in error, please send an e-mail to DRA-support@ODMRDD.state.oh.us or call Gil Kerns at (614) 752-7199. Until which time, we provide site deletion capability to county boards (we're working on it) you may contact Gil Kerns or use the DRA list-serve if you find the need to delete a DRA site in the future.

Thank you for your on-going patience and cooperation.