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INCOME SUPPORT DIVISION INTRADEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM

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DATE:

August 3, 2012

TO:

All ISD Staff

FROM: Ted Roth, Director Income Support Division

SUBJECT: Changes to EBT Card Procedures

Effective August 11, 2012, there will be a change to the R Morgan EBT system that allows automatic issuance of an EBT card only if the following condition exist:

- 1) A client reapplies for services after two SNAP/TANF debit activity.
- 2) An Applicant that is new to the FPT system and does not have any SNAP/TANF history.

It is important for field staff to ask the individual who is reapplying if they have an EBT card. Clients that have used their EPT and eithin the last two years of reapplication will not be automatically sent an EBT card. The client must call JP Morgan's 24 hour service at 1-800-843-8303 or the EBT Help Desk 11.00-2 3-4465, Monday through Friday, to order a replacement EBT card, activate and or to re-pin the card.

Continue to follow the ever the counter process and procedures if needed, for issuing EBT cards in emergency attactions. Use, do not enter an "H" in APPL-EBT-SEND-CARD on the registration screen (Function A) as this could still cause a delay in mailing a card based on the nightly batch.

If you have any questions regarding this change please contact Diane Valdez at the EBT Help desk at (505)222-6705.

Attachment:

