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MEMORANDUM

TO: Local Health Departments

FROM: Beth Rowe-West, R.N., B.S.N., Head *BRW*
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RE: Resources Relating to the North Carolina Immunization Program Changes

The purpose of this memo is to alert you to resources on the North Carolina Immunization Program (NCIP) changes. Enclosed you will find several documents including frequently asked questions on the changes in the NCIP. These documents include FAQs for:

- Local Health Departments
- Private Providers
- Patients

Information included on these FAQs can be found online at: <http://www.immunizenc.com/programchanges.htm>.

Feel free to share these documents with anyone who has questions about the changes.

As always, Regional Immunization Nursing Consultants and Program Consultants are available to help. A copy of the RIC/RIN contact information chart is also enclosed in this memo, for your reference.

Also, please be advised that additional changes to the NCIP are possible in the coming months.

Enclosures

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