DATE: November 20, 2017

TO: Holders of the AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual

FROM: Contracts and Policy Unit
Division of Health Care Management, AHCCCS

SUBJECT: AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM)

This memo describes revisions and/or additions to the AMPM.

Please direct questions regarding policy updates to the Contracts and Policy Unit at 602-417-4295 or 602-417-4055 or email at DHCMContractsandPolicy@azahcccs.gov.

PLEASE NOTE: We are currently converting the AMPM Headers and Footers to a new format, aligning Policy language for consistency, and changing Exhibits to Attachments. Changes will be done over the next several months. In addition, Arizona Law 2015, Chapter 19 Section 9 (SB 1480) enacts that from and after June 30, 2016 the provisions of behavioral health services under Arizona Department of Health Services/Division of Behavioral Health Services (ADHS/DBHS) is transferred to and shall be administered by AHCCCS. We are in the process of transferring all pertinent documents to AHCCCS.

UPDATES AND REVISIONS TO THE AHCCCS MEDICAL POLICY MANUAL (AMPM)

To view the policies and attachments, please access the following link:

AHCCCS MEDICAL POLICY MANUAL (AMPM)

AMPM APPENDIX A, EPSDT AND ADULT QUARTERLY MONITORING REPORT INSTRUCTIONS & TEMPLATES

CY17 Performance Measure Templates have been removed and replaced with Tempaltes for CY18

The effective date for Appendix A is 10/01/17.

AMPM APPENDIX K, SELECT ALTCS CASE MANAGEMENT FORMS IN SPANISH

Appendix A forms have been placed in reserved status. At this time, AHCCCS is not providing Appendix K forms in Spanish translation.

The effective date for Appendix K is 11-20-2017.

APPROVED NOT YET EFFECTIVE

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AMPM Approved Not Yet Effective

None at this time.