MEDICARE GEOGRAPHIC CLASSIFICATION REVIEW BOARD

08***** Cases MARCH 2007

A hospital may apply for reclassification for the purpose of using another area's wage index value in determining its Medicare prospective payment rate. Attached is a list of the decisions issued by the Medicare Geographic Classification Review Board effective Fiscal Year 20087.

On the attached list, the first column is the hospitals Medicare provider number, the second column is the case number, the third column is the name of the hospital, the fourth column is the decision code, the fifth column is the form code, the sixth column is the hospital's current area, and the seventh column is the requested area.

MEANING

The decision codes represent the following decisions:

CASE NUMBER LETTER

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08C****	Individual application
08G****	Group Application
SYMBOL	MEANING
DEC	Decision
WTHD	Withdrawal
CLSD	Closed Case
DISM	Dismissal

a*** Reflects Administrator Decision That Reversed.

Administrator.

Modified or Vacated Board Decision.

Remand of Case to MGCRB by HCFA

AOAA Reflects an Appeal of a Case to the Administrator.

F109 Case Dismissal - Miscellaneous

F110 Case Dismissal - Additional Information Not

Received

F112 Case Dismissal for Individual Hospital

F114	Case Dismissal for a Group	
F115	Case Dismissal of individual Hospital Application for a Group Member	
F120	Withdrawal - Case Closing Before Decision	
F170	Decision - 84% Wage Index Value Approved	
F170G	Decision – Group Application Approved	
F174	Decision - 84% Wage Index Value Denied	
F175G	Decision – Group Application Denied	
F184	Decision – 84% Wage Index Value Denied (Overlapping Reclassification Periods)	

The first two digits of the hospital's provider number identify the State in which the hospital is located. The codes are as follows:

01	Alabama	18 Kentucky	36 Ohio
02	Alaska	20 Maine	37 Oklahoma
03	Arizona	21 Maryland	38 Oregon
04	Arkansas	22 Massachusetts	39 Pennsylvania
05 & 5	5 California	23 Michigan	40 Puerto Rico
06	Colorado	24 Minnesota	41 Rhode Island
07	Connecticut	25 Mississippi	42 South Carolina
08	Delaware	26 Missouri	43 South Dakota
09	Dist. of Columbia	27 Montana	44 Tennessee
10	Florida	28 Nebraska	45 & 67 Texas
11	Georgia	29 Nevada	46 Utah
12	Hawaii	30 New Hampshire	47 Vermont
13	Idaho	31 New Jersey	49 Virginia
14	Illinois	32 New Mexico	50 Washington
15	Indiana	33 New York	51 West Virginia
16	Iowa	34 North Carolina	52 Wisconsin
17	Kansas	35 North Dakota	53 Wyoming