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**TO:** County Welfare Agency Directors  
New Jersey Care....Special Medicaid Programs Liaisons

**SUBJECT:** New Jersey Supplemental Prenatal Care Program (NJSPCP)

This is to advise you that the State Fiscal Year 2008 Appropriations Act included additional funding to both hospitals and clinics for the continuation of the New Jersey Supplemental Prenatal Care Program (NJSPCP).

Therefore, the Presumptive Eligibility Unit will begin to process Certifications of Presumptive Eligibility, dated on or after July 1, 2007, for those pregnant women who appear eligible for the NJSPCP except for their citizenship or immigrant status.

The hospitals and clinics have been reminded that the NJSPCP is not an entitlement program and, therefore, once the allocated funds have been exhausted, the program will close with no further prenatal services being paid for these pregnant women.

As always, we appreciate your continued assistance in assuring that every pregnant woman is afforded the opportunity to access quality prenatal care, which will ultimately improve her chances of delivering a healthy newborn.

If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact the Presumptive Eligibility Unit at (609) 588-2911.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'John R. Guhl'.

John R. Guhl  
Director

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