SAMPLE GROUP NOTIFICATION LETTER

[Month Day & Year]

PROVIDER/SUPPLIER GROUP NAME ADDRESS 1, ADDRESS 2 CITY STATE ZIP CODE NPI: PTAN:

Dear Provider/Supplier Group Name:

THIS IS NOT A PROVIDER ENROLLMENT REVALIDATION REQUEST

This is to inform you that a number of physicians and/or non-physician practitioners reassigning all or some of their benefits to your group have been selected for revalidation. For your convenience, a list of those individuals is attached. A revalidation notice will be sent to the physician or non-physician practitioner within 60 days. They will have 60 days from the post mark date of the letter to revalidate their enrollment information. It is the responsibility of the physician and/or non-physician practitioner to revalidate all their Medicare enrollment information and not just that associated with the reassignment to your group practice.

In accordance with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Section 6401 (a), all new and existing providers must be reevaluated under the new screening guidelines. Medicare requires all enrolled providers and suppliers to revalidate enrollment information every five years (reference 42 CFR 424.515). To ensure compliance with these requirements, existing regulations at 42 CFR § 424.515(d) provide that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is permitted to conduct off-cycle revalidations for certain program integrity purposes.

The physicians or non-physician practitioners can revalidate by using either Internet-based PECOS or submitting a paper CMS-855 enrollment application. Failure to submit a complete revalidation application and all supporting documentation, within 60 calendar days, may result in the physician or non-physician practitioner's Medicare billing privileges being deactivated. As such, your group will no longer be reimbursed for services rendered by the physician or non-physician practitioner.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call [contractor telephone number will be inserted here] between the hours of [contractor telephone hours will be inserted here] or visit our Web site at [insert Web site] for additional information regarding the revalidation process.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]
[Title]