WHP Certification Form Deadline Extension

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This is an update to an article that was published on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com on June 29, 2009 and in the September/October 2009 Texas Medicaid Bulletin, No. 225 titled "Women's Health Program (WHP) Providers and Performance of Elective Abortion."

On June 22, 2009, a WHP Certification Form was mailed to billing providers who delivered family planning services to WHP clients in 2008 and 2009. Providers were given until September 18, 2009 to respond. The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) has extended the deadline for submission of the certification form until November 30, 2009. TMHP may place a payment hold on all Medicaid fee-for-service claims filed by, or on behalf of, any billing provider who fails to respond by this date.

For more information, call the TMHP Contact Center at 1-800-925-9126.