FOR OFFICE USE ONLY North Dakota Department of Human Services Date Received: SFN 407 (Rev. 01-2018) Date Interviewed: ☐ HEALTH CARE COVERAGE REVIEW (HCC) Person Interviewed: ☐ SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) IMPORTANT: DO NOT COMPLETE, DATE, OR SIGN BEFORE THE 1ST OF THE MONTH CASE NUMBER: RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO: **CASE NAME:** Telephone: You may fill out and submit this review online. Go to <a href="https://apply.dhs.nd.gov">https://apply.dhs.nd.gov</a> to start your review. • Log in with your State of ND Login account to see your available reviews. If it is your first time using the system to complete a review, you will have to enter your authorization code. You may also choose to fill out the review using a one-time guest user login. Your authorization code is also required. Authorization Code: **HEALTH CARE COVERAGE REVIEW:** This form is used to determine continued eligibility for Health Care Coverage. Read and answer all questions carefully. You may have a friend, relative, or the county social service agency help you complete TO THE OFFICE ABOVE BY

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. Failure to return the form and required proof on time may result in your . IT MUST BE COMPLETED, SIGNED, AND RETURNED Health Insurance Marketplace for an eligibility determination for help paying for private health insurance. SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) REVIEW: Your SNAP review period ends on . This form is used to determine if you will continue to receive benefits and be assigned another review period. You have the right to file this application IMMEDIATELY as long as it contains your name, address, and signature of a responsible household member **OR** authorized representative. Signature \_\_\_\_\_City\_\_\_\_\_\_State\_\_\_\_Zip\_\_\_ Address AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: You can give a trusted person permission to talk with us about this review and allow this person to see your information. This individual can act on your behalf on matters related to this review, including giving and getting information, signing your review and acting for you on all future matters with this agency. This person is called an "authorized representative." If you ever need to change your authorized representative, contact your county social service office. For HCC, if the person you give this permission is a legally appointed representative for someone on this application, submit proof with the application. If this review is for SNAP, this person can also give information at your interview and buy your food with an EBT card. Would you like someone to be your authorized representative? 

— Yes — No — If yes, please complete the following: First Name \_\_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Suffix \_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apartment/Unit Number \_\_\_\_\_ 
 City \_\_\_\_\_\_
 State \_\_\_\_\_
 Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_
 Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
 By signing, you authorize this person to serve as your "authorized representative".

If you file your review form after your review period expires, your benefits will be prorated from the date you file it. You may get your prorated benefit within seven (7) days of the date you file ONLY if any of the following exists: 1) Monthly rent/mortgage and utilities are more than your household's gross monthly income; 2) Gross monthly income is less than \$150; 3) You are a migrant or seasonal farm worker.

Signature

\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_.

NOTIFICATIONS – by opting to receive text message or e-mail notifications, you agree to the following:							
A text message or e-mail notification will be sent to the cell phone number or e-mail address you entered when a review or full application is needed to determine eligibility or continued eligibility for the program(s) you are enrolled in. Cell phone carrier text message rates may apply and DHS will not be liable for any text message charges. You are responsible for notifying your case worker of any changes to your e-mail address, cell phone carrier or cell phone number, or if your cell phone is lost or stolen.							
Please note that unencrypted e-mail a Information (PHI) and other confidentia intercepted by, unauthorized third part e-mail or text messaging.	al information that may	y be containe	ed in such e-mail	I or text messages m	nay be misdirected, disclo	osed to, or	
Would you like to receive text message notifications? □Yes □No If yes, list cell phone number:							
Cell Phone Provider: ☐ AT&T ☐	T-Mobile ☐ Cricke	et 🗆 Sprint	☐ Verizon W	rireless □ Other (	please specify):		
Would you like to receive e-mail no	otifications? □Yes	□No If y	es, list e-mail a	address:			
CHANGE OF ADDRESS - PROOF	OF RESIDENCE	AND UTILIT	Y BILLS ARE	REQUIRED FOR	SNAP HOUSEHOLDS	ONLY	
Have you moved since your last report? □Yes □No If yes, new address:							
Mailing address if different:			Date moved:				
HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS - List al				•	` `	•	
children), other adults and children	<u> </u>						
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)	RELATIONSHIP	AGE	NAME (Last, Fir	st, Middle Initial)	RELATIONSHIP	AGE	
	SELF						
	<u> </u>						
Has anyone moved into your household or do you expect anyone to move in? □Yes □No If yes, complete the following:							
Name:		urity Numbe	er:		th date:		
Date person moved in:	Relationship				ge (optional):		
U.S. Citizen or U.S. National ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Have they lived in the U.S. since 1996? ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, date they entered the U.S.:							
Did this person reside in foster care at age 18 or older? ☐ Yes ☐ No. If yes, list when and what state:							
Are they active-duty in the U.S. military? ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, are they a veteran, spouse or parent of a veteran? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Do household members purchase	· ·	•		-			
Has anyone moved out of your household or do you expect anyone to move out? □Yes □No If yes, complete the following:							
lame: Date person left: Is the member expected to return? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, date expected to return:							
Are you a migrant or seasonal farm worker? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Have household members received commodities from the Tribal Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, who?							
Have you or any household member had a disqualification from the Tribal Food Distribution Program? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, list members:							
ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES AND DISQUALIFICATION – SNAP HOUSEHOLDS ONLY							
Have you or any member of your h					P or TANF benefits in	any	
State after September 22, 1996? [	□ Yes □ No						
Are you or any member of your hou jail, for a felony crime or attempted	felony crime, or viol	lating a con	dition of parole	or probation?	Yes □ No		
Have you or any member of your household been convicted of buying or selling SNAP benefits of \$500 or more after September 22, 1996? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Have you or any member of your household been convicted of trading SNAP benefits for guns, ammunitions or explosives after September 22, 1996? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Have you or any household members been convicted of trading SNAP benefits for drugs after September 22, 1996? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
Are you or any household members participating in SNAP or TANF in another location? ☐ Yes ☐ No							

SCHOOL STATUS													
Is anyone currently attending school, boarding school, college or training?   Yes   No If yes, complete this section for all household members age 14 or older.													
Name					t Grade mpleted	Naı	me of S	chool or	Traini	ng Site	PT – Part Time FT – Full Time		
Has any household member's school or training status changed or is expected to change? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, explain:													
Has any household member	er drop	ped	out of	school?	□ Yes □	No If	yes, exp	olain <u>:</u>					
ASSETS													
CHECKING/SAVINGS/OT accounts certificates of de													
current proof of all account													
NAME(S) ON ACCOU	JNT		NAME	OF FINA	NCIAL IN	ISTIT	UTION	TYPE	OF A	CCOUNT	TODAY'S BALANCE		
Has anyone made arrang funeral expenses for any h					ses or giv □ No		oney, p	roperty, c	r insu	rance to so	meone else to pay for		
If yes, explain:													
OTHER ASSETS: Does anyone in the household own farm equipment, a home/mobile home, income producing tools/equipment, life estate/life lease, mineral rights, notes or contract for deed, real property, retirement funds, savings bonds,													
trusts, etc.   Yes No If yes, complete the following and provide current proof of the value of these assets.  TYPE OF ASSET  LOCATION/  TOTAL AMOUNT  OWNERS						assets. OWNERS							
				DESCRIP			ALUE	OWI					
VEHICLES: Do any house	ehold n	nemb	bers ov	vn a vehic				f yes, cor <b>TATE</b>	nplete	this section.			
OWNER'S NAME		YE	EAR	MODE				NSED IN		VALUE	AMOUNT OWED		
									\$		\$		
LIFE INSURANCE: (Not required for SNAP only cases) Does anyone have life insurance?   Yes  No If yes, complete the following:													
NAME OF INSURED	NAM	IE AN	ND AD	DRESS	POLIC	1			C	ASH	OWNERS		
PERSON	(	OF C	OMPA	NY	NUMBER FACE VALUE				RENDER ALUE				
ASSET CHANGES: Did													
assets such as cash, land, buildings, mobile home, contract for deed, mineral acres, life insurance proceeds, stocks, bonds, burial account, trust account, IRA or KEOGH plan, livestock, vehicles, machinery, tools, etc. in the last 3 months for SNAP and 12 months for Health Care Coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No													
If yes, explain and provide					<u> </u>					Date	e:		
Are any of these assets su	Are any of these assets subject to a "transfer at death"?   Yes   No If yes, describe property and approximate value:												

TAX FILER INFORMATION: (Not required for SNAP only cases)											
Have any household members filed federal income taxes?   Yes No If yes, did they claim any of the following deductions:  Alimony Student Loan Interest Tax Deductible Tuition and Fees Other Deductions  Reporting these could make the cost of health insurance lower. Provide a copy of your most recent Federal Income Tax Form.											
Do any household memb									nt Fed	eral Income	Tax Form.
								NO			
	If yes, will they file jointly with a Spouse? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, list name of spouse:  Will they claim any dependents? ☐ Yes ☐ No										
Will any household members be claimed as a dependent on someone's tax return? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, complete the following:											
Name of tax filer: Tax filer's address:											
Do any household members age 19 or older claim primary responsibility for a child under age 19?											
UNEARNED INCOME:	This section must	be co	npleted	for e	ach hous	ehold me	ember in	cluding	all ch	ildren and	stepparents.
<b>UNEARNED INCOME:</b> This section must be completed for each household member including all children and stepparents. Check each item "yes" or "no." If "yes," show the amount received, who received it, date received, and attach proof. The amount must be shown for both <b>LAST MONTH</b> and <b>NEXT MONTH</b> .											
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		Yes	No	Red	ceived By	An	nount	Date	(s)	Amount	Date(s)
BIA General Assistance											
Bingo/Gambling Winning											
Child Support/Spousal St	upport										
Individual Indian Monies	(IIM)*										
Interest/Dividend Income	!										
Money from Friends, Rela	atives or Others										
Retirement (Type):											
Rental Income/Contract f	or Deed										
Social Security											
Supplemental Security In	come (SSI)										
TANF											
Unemployment Benefits											
Veterans Benefits/Military Allotment											
Worker's Compensation											
Other (List Type)											
* IIM information is not required	d for Health Care Cover	age.									
Has anyone applied for benefits not yet received? (For example: Social Security, SSI, Workers Compensation, Unemployment Benefits) ☐ Yes ☐ No											
<b>EARNED INCOME (Wages or Salary):</b> Is any household member (including children) working? ☐ Yes ☐ No											
If yes, complete this section. List information about full-time, part-time, seasonal, or temporary employment for all household members. If space is needed to list more jobs, enter them on a separate sheet of paper. The amount must be shown for both LAST MONTH and NEXT MONTH. PROOF OF ALL INCOME MUST BE PROVIDED.											
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			Amoun	ıt \	Worked	Salary/	Amour	nt of	How	of	of
Household			for		Per	Hourly	Tips/	inninn	Ofte		Next
Member's Name	Employer			'	Week	Wage	Comm	ISSION	Paid	Month Paid	Paycheck
NEXT MONTH:										_	
Has any household mem								include	ed abo	ve in the las	t twelve
months?  Yes  No								-10 [7]	Vac. '	□ No. 16	avalai
Does anyone outside the household deposit money into a household member's bank account? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, explain:											

Has anyone's employment stopped or have work hours been reduced within the last 30 days?   Yes  No  If Yes, Who							
Last day of work?	t day of work? Was the person:   Laid Off   Fired   Quit   Other   Why?						
When did this person receive their	When did this person receive their last paycheck? Proof Must be Provided						ovided
Has anyone started employment s	Has anyone started employment since last report? □ Yes □ No						
yes, WhoWhenWhere							
When will the first check be received? How often paid?							
SELF EMPLOYMENT:							
Is any household member self-em	nployed? ☐ Yes ☐ No						
If yes, name of business: Type of business:							
A complete copy of the most curre includes the self employment bus				do not	have a	a current tax	return that
Does anyone in your household en If yes, explain	xpect a change in self employ	ment inco	ome <b>NEXT MONT</b>	<b>H</b> ?		l Yes □ No	
EXPENSES - SNAP HOUSEHOL	DS ONLY						
Does your household have any of the following expenses? Check <u>yes or no for each item</u> and list amounts. <b>Proof of current expenses must be provided.</b> You will not receive a deduction for any allowable expense you fail to report and verify.							
•		TOT CITY C	mowable expense	you iu	1010	Total	Amount
	CURRENT EXPENSES			YES	NO	Amount	You Pay
Rent/Mortgage (circle one)							
Lot Rent							
Do you pay separately for the use of a garage?							
Is anyone working off any part of the rent?							
Does any government agency pay any part of your rent?							
Property taxes (not included in mortgage)							
Homeowners Insurance (not included in the mortgage)							
Electricity							
Heating costs (gas/propane/electric, etc.)							
Water/Well installation or maintenance							
Sewer/Septic tank installation or maintenance							
Garbage							
Telephone/Cell Phone							
Are you responsible for air conditioning costs anytime during the year?							
Do you receive heating assistance (LIHEAP)?							
AGENCY USE  Household is entitled to one of the following mandatory utility standards:    HL SU (Heating/Cooling/LIHEAP)   MU (water, sewer, garbage, electricity)   LU SA (Water, sewer, garbage, electricity, telephone)   TL (Telephone only)							

report and verify.  Does any household member pay court ordered child or spousal support, health insurance premiums, or other support payments?  □ Yes □ No If yes, who is making the payment?  Who are the payments for:  □ Court ordered amount:  □ Amount you pay:  Amount you pay:  Are you receiving Child Care Assistance? □ Yes □ No  □ Yes □ No								
□ Yes       □ No If yes, who is making the payment?         Who are the payments for:       Court ordered amount:       Amount you pay:         Does your household have child care expenses?       □ Yes       □ No       Billed amount:       Amount you pay:         Are you receiving Child Care Assistance?       □ Yes       □ No       Have you applied for Child Care Assistance?       □ Yes       □ No         Do you expect any changes in these expenses next month?       □ Yes, please explain:         □ Yes       □ No         Does anyone help you pay any of these expenses?       If yes, please list what expenses, who is paying, and how much								
Does your household have child care expenses? ☐ Yes ☐ No  Are you receiving Child Care Assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No  Do you expect any changes in these expenses next month? ☐ Yes ☐ No  Does anyone help you pay any of these expenses?  Billed amount:  Have you applied for Child Care Assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No  If yes, please explain:  If yes, please list what expenses, who is paying, and how much								
Are you receiving Child Care Assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No  Do you expect any changes in these expenses next month? ☐ Yes ☐ No  Does anyone help you pay any of these expenses?  Have you applied for Child Care Assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No  If yes, please explain:  If yes, please list what expenses, who is paying, and how much								
Do you expect any changes in these expenses next month?  ☐ Yes ☐ No  ☐ No  ☐ If yes, please explain:  ☐ Yes ☐ you pay any of these expenses?  ☐ If yes, please list what expenses, who is paying, and how much								
□ Yes □ No  Does anyone help you pay any of these expenses?  If yes, please list what expenses, who is paying, and how much								
☐ Yes ☐ No they are paying:								
MEDICAL EXPENSES  Total Amount You Pay								
Do household members who are age 60 or older or disabled pay health insurance premiums? If yes, who:								
Do household members who are age 60 or older or disabled pay medical expenses?								
*Medical expenses include doctor, dental and eye care visits, hospital bills, in-home								
care, nursing home care, prescriptions, medical supplies, hearing aids, eyeglasses and contacts, and the cost of transportation and lodging to obtain medical treatment. If yes,								
who:								
Do household members pay adult dependent care? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
Do you expect any changes in expenses next month? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
If yes, please explain:								
Does anyone help you pay these expenses?   Yes  No If yes, please list expense, who pays and how much paid:								
Does anyone in the household pay representative payee fees? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
If yes, who:  Amount paid:								
Does anyone in the household pay guardianship fees? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
If yes, who:  Amount paid:								
HEALTH INSURANCE – NOT REQUIRED FOR SNAP ONLY HOUSEHOLDS								
Is any household member enrolled in health coverage from one of the following:								
Medicaid □ Yes □ No If yes, who:    Healthy Steps □ Yes □ No If yes, who:								
Peace Corp ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, who:								
Does anyone have health insurance coverage from another source?   Yes   No If yes, complete the following:								
Person(s) Name and Name, Address & Phone Covered Address								
* Types of Coverage: (Circle all that apply)  A - Hospital E - Vision I - HMO Insurance M - Medicare Supplement V - Veteran's  B - Doctor F - Nursing Home J - Court Ordered N - Drug Insurance W - Medicare  C - Major Medical/Lab/Xray G - Cancer K - Medicare part A P - Worker's Comp/Accident Part D								
D - Dental H - Champ VA/TriCare L - Medicare part B  Does anyone outside of the household pay the premium? □ Yes □ No If yes, who:								
Does anyone expect changes in health insurance coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ If ves. explain:								
Does anyone expect changes in health insurance coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, explain:  Is this policy a COBRA coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, date COBRA ☐ Date or expected date COBRA coverage will end:								
Is this policy a COBRA coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, date COBRA Date or expected date COBRA coverage will end:								
Is this policy a COBRA coverage?   Yes  No If yes, date COBRA  Coverage began:  Date or expected date COBRA coverage will end:								

#### INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

If my household is eligible for TANF Information & Referral Services, my household has been notified and authorized to receive TANF Information and Referral Services.

#### **PLEASE READ**

- In addition to completing this form, You must report changes that could affect eligibility. For SNAP, changes must be reported by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the month the change occurs. For Medicaid, changes must be reported within 10 days from the time you learn of the change.
- Household benefits may increase, reduce, stay the same, or end as a result of the answers you give on this report. You will be notified in writing of changes and the reason for such change.
- This report will be incomplete if not signed and dated, required questions are not answered, and necessary proof are not attached.
- You will be asked to provide Social Security Numbers (SSNs) for all persons whom you want assistance. Providing your SSN can be helpful if you don't want health coverage too since it can speed up the review process. If someone wants help getting an SSN, call 1-800-772-1213 or visit socialsecurity.gov. TTY users should call 1-800-325-0778. Providing or applying for an SSN is voluntary; however, any person who wants assistance but who doesn't want to give information about their SSN will not be eligible for benefits. Other household members may still get benefits if they are otherwise eligible.

SSNs are used to check income and other information to see who's eligible for help. The social security number is also used to check the identity of the household members, to prevent duplicate participation, to monitor compliance with program regulations, for claim collection, for official examination by Federal or State agencies, and to help make mass changes. The social security number is also used to check information in our records against other Federal, State or local governments computer matching systems participating in the Income and Eligibility Verification System, including but not limited to the Internal Revenue Service, Social Security Administration, and the Department of Labor, which may affect eligibility and the level of benefits.

Use of social security numbers provided for SNAP and TANF benefits may be disclosed to law enforcement for purposes of apprehending fleeing felons.

For SNAP, the collection of information on the application, including the SSN of each household member, is authorized under the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, as amended, 7 U.S.C. 2011-2036. Information requested may also be used and verified through collateral contacts when discrepancies are found.

We will not share your SSN with the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS).

- State and Federal Laws provide for a fine and/or imprisonment for any person who fraudulently receives or attempts to receive assistance to which they are not entitled.
- The alien status of any household member may be subject to verification by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) through the submission of information from the application to INS, and that the information received from USCIS may affect the household's eligibility and level of benefits.
- This institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, age, sex and in some cases religion and political beliefs.

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The U.S Department of Agriculture also prohibits discrimination against its customers, on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender, identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited basis will apply to all programs.)

If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination with USDA, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint\_filing\_cust.html, or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter by mail to U.S. Department of Agriculture, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at program\_intake@usda.gov.

Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339; or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish).

For any other information dealing with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) issues, persons should either contact the USDA SNAP Hotline Number at (800) 221-5689, which is also in Spanish or call the State Information/Hotline Numbers; found online at http://www.fns.usda.gov/snap/contact\_info/hotlines.htm.

To file a complaint of discrimination regarding a program receiving Federal financial assistance through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), write: HHS Director, Office for Civil Rights, Room 509-F, 200 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201 or call (202) 619-0403 (voice) or (800) 537-7697 (TTY).

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#### PENALTY WARNING FOR SNAP RECIPIENTS

- Do not give false, inaccurate, or incomplete information.
- Do not buy ineligible items such as alcohol or tobacco with SNAP benefits
- Do not trade or sell your EBT card.
- Do not use or have in your possession another person's EBT card or SNAP benefits.

## Any member of your household may be removed from SNAP for:

- One year for violating a SNAP rule;
- Two years for a second violation; or first conviction for buying, selling, or trading SNAP for a controlled substance.
- Ten years for a conviction for making a fraudulent statement with respect to identity or representation with respect to identity or place of residence in order to receive multiple benefits at the same time.
- Lifetime for violating a SNAP rule a third time; or a second conviction for buying, selling, or trading SNAP for a controlled substance; convicted of buying or selling SNAP benefits of \$500 or more. If a court of law finds a household member guilty of trading SNAP for firearms, ammunition, or explosives, the individual is permanently barred from the program.
- In addition, any household member may be removed by a court for an additional 18 months; or prosecuted and fined up to \$250,000 or imprisoned up to 20 years or both.
- A SNAP recipient who is subject to the work requirements and fails to comply with the requirements may lose SNAP benefits.

Receiving SNAP or HCC benefits has no bearing on any other programs time limits that may apply to your household. If you are applying for or already receiving TANF benefits, the time limits and other requirements that apply to receipt of TANF do not apply to receipt of SNAP or HCC benefits. If you no longer receive TANF or if your case is closed for TANF because of the lifetime limit, because you started work, or for some other reason, you may still qualify for SNAP and HCC benefits.

## **ESTATE RECOVERY**

State and Federal law requires the Department of Human Services to make claims against the estate of some Medicaid recipients. A claim will be made against the estate of: (1) any recipient who was age 55 or older when the Medicaid benefits were provided: (2) any recipient who has been permanently institutionalized and received services regardless of age: or (3) against the estate of a spouse of any Medicaid recipient who was age 55 or older or permanently institutionalized when the Medicaid benefits were paid. The claim is for the amount of Medicaid benefits issued to a person age 55 or older or if permanently institutionalized. Effective August 1, 2015, the department CANNOT file a claim against the estate to recover payments made on behalf of recipients who received coverage through a private carrier. Individuals eligible under the Medicaid Expansion coverage receive their coverage through a private carrier.

### **AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION**

I/We authorize any person having custody or knowledge of the information relating to me or other household members to disclose any requested information, including confidential information other than protected health information, to any authorized agent of the North Dakota Department of Human Services and carrier providing Healthy Steps insurance to release to each other information regarding any services or benefits I received under Healthy Steps. This authorization will remain valid until assistance ends or until revoked in writing. I/we authorize Child Support to release any records of child support payments that I/we have made or received. A copy of this authorization is as valid as the original.

# **SIGNATURE**

I certify under penalty of perjury, that the information contained on this report is true, including the information concerning citizenship and alien status of members applying for benefits.

You or your authorized representative may				
request a fair hearing orally or in writing if you				
disagree with any action taken on your case.				
Your case may be presented at the hearing by				
any person you choose. We will consider this				
report without regard to race, color, sex,				
handicap, religion, national origin or political				
belief.				

SIGNATURE	DATE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

WITNESS IF YOU SIGNED WITH AN X