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MEMORANDUM FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED CARE PROVIDERS

FROM: Brenda F. Campbell, Director *Brenda F. Campbell*
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SUBJECT: Information Regarding Swine Flu

Recent media coverage of swine flu cases identified in Mexico as well as several states may have prompted questions from your clients and consumers. The Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) is monitoring this issue very closely and provides updated information at the DHSS website: <http://www.dhss.mo.gov/>. Click on the "LATEST Swine Flu Information" link to review the most recent information regarding confirmed cases and tips for preventing spread of the flu virus in any form.

You may also review the press release issued by Governor Nixon on Monday, April 27, regarding the swine flu outbreak at http://governor.mo.gov/newsroom/2009/Preparation_for_Swine_Flu. DHSS and the Governor's Office will continue to monitor the situation and keep websites updated as appropriate.

Please check the DHSS website frequently for additional updates and new information.

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