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Dear CSHCN Families:

The Utah Department of Health Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Bureau is transitioning the delivery of direct clinical services to the University of Utah Department of Pediatrics, Developmental Assessment Center, starting July 1, 2015. The University has the ability to expand the services for your child as the University has many financial and medical resources.

We, the Department of Health and the University of Utah, are working very closely to make this transition as smooth as possible for you. The University physicians, nurses, allied health professionals and staff will continue to provide the same quality health care you received from CSHCN. If you wish to continue to receive your care as a patient of the University, you do not have to do anything; we will provide your care providers with access to your child's medical information as allowed under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

If, however, you would prefer to seek medical care elsewhere, you may pick up a copy of your medical records at our Salt Lake City office or you may ask us to transfer them directly to another office. For either of these options, we will need a signed authorization to transfer records (enclosed). You may return that to our office in person, electronically, or by mail.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the Department of Health Children with Special Health Care Needs Bureau at (801) 584-8284.

If you have questions about the Developmental Assessment Center services, insurance coverage and or providers please call 801-587-2255 and they will assist you.

Thank you for your support with this transition and we look forward to ensuring your child continues to receive quality services.

Sincerely,

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