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**TO:** Providers of Transportation Services - For Action  
Health Maintenance Organizations - For Information Only

**SUBJECT:** Prior Authorization (PA) of Mobility Assistance Vehicle (MAV)  
Service

**EFFECTIVE:** October 15, 2001, for Burlington, Mercer, Morris, Somerset,  
Sussex, Warren, and Hunterdon Counties.

**PURPOSE:** To notify transportation providers that Unisys is assuming PA  
functions for MAV service in additional counties.

**BACKGROUND:** PA functions for MAV and livery services (Essex and Hudson  
Counties) have traditionally been the responsibility of the Medical Assistance Customer  
Centers (MACCs). On August 24, 2001, Unisys assumed PA functions for MAV service  
for beneficiaries residing in Camden, Gloucester, Salem, Middlesex and Union  
Counties.

**ACTION:** Unisys will accept PA requests for MAV service, beginning on  
October 15, 2001, for beneficiaries residing in the following additional counties:

**Burlington, Mercer, Morris, Somerset, Sussex, Warren, and Hunterdon**

PA forms, MC-12(A), and required documentation for MAV service for these 12  
counties only must be forwarded to the following address:

Unisys Corporation, Transportation PA Unit, P.O. Box 4813, Trenton, NJ 08650.  
FAX: (609) 588-0816

**NOTE:** There are no changes in the Division's rules or reimbursement rates for  
these services, as indicated in N.J.A.C. 10:50.

If you have questions concerning this Newsletter, please contact Peter K. Rosswaag at  
(609) 631-4636, Unisys' Transportation PA Unit at (609) 631-6670, or your local MACC.

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