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From: Patrick Stephan, Deputy Director, Medicaid Development and Administration, ODMRDD

Subject: Martin Settlement Redirection Status Report

We are preparing a general communication to County Boards on Martin IO waivers and the remaining timelines and expectations with enrollment; the communication will be distributed shortly. In the meantime, it was brought to our attention that an update regarding the Martin DC Re-Direction project was needed. As such, please review the information contained below.

Although some individuals are still in the process of moving out of Development Centers and either enrolling onto Martin IO Waivers or moving into ICFMR's, the waiver allocations needed to complete this process have been fulfilled. This is great news. We are now in position to return many of the previously re-directed allocation. Thanks go to Counties who were willing suppliers toward this effort.

The information below is the number of Martin IO Allocation being returned to your County:

[REDACTED]			

In keeping with the Settlement Agreement, we ask that the Martin "type" remain as noted above unless you wish to change either a base or ICF/DC to a Nursing Facility.

Should a County Board wish not to utilize their returned allocation, please email that information to martin-settlement@odmrdd.state.oh.us no later than November 19, 2008. If you have any questions regarding this communication, email us at martin-settlement@odmrdd.state.oh.us

The 'general' communication referenced above will go out early next week and outline timeline and PICT expectations for the remainder of all Martin allocations. We ask that you read through that communication before requesting additional Martin allocation through the PICT process. Please remember that any allocation supplied by a County Board for the re-direction project was a part of the *original allocation* given to each county board in July, 2007.

Thank you very much for your on-going patience and cooperation.