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Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION (HCFA)

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CHANGE REQUEST 1242

SUBJECT: Provider Statistical and Reimbursement Report (PS&R)

The PS&R version 26.0 is ready for release on Monday, June 12, 2000. The changes incorporated in this release will allow you to process the converted paid claim file as input instead of the unibill file as in the past. With the release of the latest claims processing software by FISS and APASS, the unibill records are no longer being produced. The memorandum documenting this release and the software that comprises the PS&R system is on the HCFA mainframe and available for retrieval. The file is available via ConnectDirect under the file name XL64.@BGS5420.PSRV260.COBOL.

The effective date for this Program Memorandum (PM) is June 12, 2000.

The implementation date for this PM is August 1, 2000.

The instructions contained in this PM should be implemented within your current operating budget.

This PM may be discarded after June 12, 2001.

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