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## MEMORANDUM

TO:New York State Health Benefits AdministratorsFROM:Employee Benefits DivisionSUBJECT:New Reporting On Network BenefitsDATE:July 22, 2009

We are pleased to announce that the new version of the publication *Reporting On Network Benefits* is at the printer and will be shipped to agencies soon.

The July 2009 version replaces the June 2005 version and includes valuable information about covered services within The Empire Plan's provider networks, finding a participating provider and also non-network benefits. Please recycle any copies you may have of the June 2005 version. The July 2009 version is <u>only</u> for settled groups. If you have any questions about settled or unsettled groups, please contact Communications or check the group-specific page on NYSHIP Online.

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