
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE
MEMORANDUM

TO: BRENT ALEXANDER
MISSISSIPPI HOSPITAL ASSN.

FROM: MICHAEL BOYD

SUBJECT: MISSISSIPPI HEALTH BENEFITS (CHIP & MEDICAID)

DATE: 5/11/2000

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Thanks for offering to assist in raising the awareness of the Mississippi Health Benefits Program, Children's health insurance coverage through Medicaid and commercial insurance. The Governor's Office would like to see a commitment for MHA's members to provide enrollment services through their emergency rooms, clinics, and offices.

The outreach and enrollment of children and young adults for health benefits coverage has been below expectations; however, Governor Musgrove's administration is determined and ready to capitalize on this opportunity with the assistance of Mississippi Hospital Association and the medical community.

To best accommodate schedules, I suggest that we schedule a press conference on May 31 or June 1. I would like to handle this press conference at the University Medical Center and include Dr. Connerly.

Please call me at 942-7667 or 359-2971 after you have review this. Thanks again