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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 30, 2018

TO: Providers and Partners of the Division of Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS)

FROM: Department of Human Services

SUBJECT: Dakota at Home

In February 2018, the Department of Human Services' Division of Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) began a public awareness campaign for Dakota at Home, South Dakota's Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC). You may have seen Dakota at Home ads that appeared in newspapers, the internet and on television advertising the toll free 1-833-663-9673 number. Please begin using this new number immediately for all new referrals. When you call Dakota at Home, trained Resource Specialists provide information, referral, and assistance to individuals with disabilities, aging individuals and caregivers. Individuals regardless of age, disability, income or resources receive objective information on public or private services; including the type of service needed, and referral to agencies and organizations that provide the service.

A Dakota at Home website located at <http://dakotaathome.org/> offers additional information including frequently asked questions, how to make an on-line referral and access to various services and resources available across South Dakota through an on-line Resource Directory.

If you are an agency, organization, or provider who wants to be considered for inclusion in the Dakota at Home on-line Resource Directory, an Inclusion/Exclusion Policy located at: <http://dhs.sd.gov/ltss/providers.aspx> provides information on the 'entities' that can be included. For consideration of inclusion please complete a Request for Inclusion form located at: <https://dhs.sd.gov/requestForInclusion.aspx>. Questions about the Resource Directory should be directed to the following email: adrc@state.sd.us.

Please share this important information with your staff. Thank you for your continued collaboration with the Department of Human Services.