

Medicaid supplemental for FY78 signed

Governor Hammond has signed HB 143 granting a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Health and Social Services for the payment of past due FY 78 medical billings under the Medicaid and General Relief Medical programs.

Checks to pay Medicaid and General Relief Medical providers will be printed daily until all payments have been made. It was anticipated that the printing and mailing procedures will be completed by April 15th.

The Division of Public Assistance in DHSS requested that all inquiries about payments should be postponed until after that date, to allow sufficient uninterrupted time for the processing of the \$1.7 million in claims.