PACE PROVIDER BULLETIN

July 13, 2001

Cardholders with July 15, 2001 Ending Eligibility Dates.

PACE Cardholders whose current eligibility ends on July 15, 2001 have been notified by the Department of Aging that their eligibility has been extended to August 21, 2001.

Cardholders eligible for this "grace" period have been sent a letter informing them of this extension and requesting them to return the documents necessary to re-enroll.

Providers may have this letter presented to them by affected cardholders. Providers are assured that Cardholders whose eligibility has been extended will process through POCAS normally. No special procedures are necessary.

Cardholders will not receive a new card until they re-enroll in the Program. These cardholders are being advised that if they fail to re-enroll, and use their PACE Card during this "grace period", they may be required to repay the Program for any prescriptions received.

Questions should be directed to Provider Services at 1-800-835-4080.