



COMMISSIONER
Chris Traylor

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To Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Providers

Subject: Information Letter No. 11-52
Disenrollments and "End Dates"

The purpose of this letter is to clarify the date to be used as the "End Date" when completing the PACE SAS Registration Form used for data entry into the Service Authorization System (SAS).

40 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 60, Contracting to Provide Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE), §60.30 Enrollments and Disenrollments, states:

"The client may voluntarily disenroll from Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) at any time, but the effective date of disenrollment must be the last day of the month."

Therefore, participants who choose to voluntarily disenroll from PACE may do so at any time during the month, however, the "End Date", which is recorded on the PACE SAS Registration Form must be the last day of the month of the participant's disenrollment. If the disenrollment is due to the participant's death, the "End Date" recorded on the PACE SAS Registration Form must be the actual date of death.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Janet Barker at 512-438-2013 or email janet.barker@dads.state.tx.us.

Sincerely,

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