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The National Association of Social Workers North Carolina Chapter thanks you for developing and allowing comments on the most recent Concept Paper, *Supporting Provider Transition to Medicaid Managed Care*, posted on May 18, 2018.

Our comments are as follows:

- Page 2: We recommended providers be recredentialed every five years. We appreciate all efforts to streamline the process of enrollment- making it particularly simple for licensed independent practitioners to encourage participation.
- Page 3: Will the new Provider Data Management solution and Credentials Verification Organization (PDM/CVO) replace NC Tracks and CAQH? If so, what measures will be put in place to ensure these are up and operational?
- Page 7: We greatly appreciate the penalty awarded to providers if a PHP does not pay within 30 days. This is a huge protection for licensed independent practitioners and agencies that take a hit if PHPs do not pay them in a timely manner.

Sincerely,

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