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Dear Ryan White Program Subrecipients and Stakeholders:

At its meeting on May 15, 2023, the Miami-Dade HIV/AIDS Partnership approved to discontinue the use of several Letters of Medical Necessity for the Miami-Dade County Ryan White Program. This action was approved based on 1) a review of data indicating very low utilization of the corresponding medications or lab tests; and 2) to reduce paperwork burden.

**Effective immediately, the following Letters of Medical Necessity shall no longer be used in our local Ryan White Program:**

- Roxycodone and Percocet
- Neupogen
- Procrit or Epogen
- Highly Sensitive Tropism Assay required to prescribe Maraviroc (lab test)

Our office will notify Groupware Technologies LLC to remove the related requirements and forms from the Provide® Enterprise data management system.

If you have questions, please let me know. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Carla Valle-Schwenk".

Carla Valle-Schwenk  
Program Administrator

c: Daniel T. Wall, Assistant Director, OMB