



**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Special Needs Transportation (SNT) Coordinators  
Chief Financial Officers (CFO)

**FROM:** Vanesha Perrin  
Director, Office of Medicaid Services

**DATE:** December 14, 2022

**RE:** 2022 Medicaid SNT Payments

The South Carolina Department of Education's Office of Medicaid Services (OMS) is in the process of installing a new SNT application. The installation of the SNT application is taking longer than anticipated, and due to the delay, SNT claims have not begun to be processed for academic year 2022 – 2023. As a result, there will be a significant decrease in revenue reflected in the December 2022 SNT payment to districts.

Once the new application is operational, districts will be reimbursed for SNT services that have been provided during this academic school year. The normal cycle of biannual payments to school districts is June and December; however, an additional payment may be made to districts prior to June 2023. The additional payment would be carried out to ensure that districts receive SNT payments/revenue as quickly as possible.

We thank you for your participation in the SNT program over the past 20 years, and we thank you for your patience while the new SNT application is installed. The OMS looks forward to your continued participation and collaboration in the SNT program.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this memo, please reach out to the OMS' Fiscal Managers, Ophelia McClary at [omcclary@ed.sc.gov](mailto:omcclary@ed.sc.gov) and Celina Fields at [cfields@ed.sc.gov](mailto:cfields@ed.sc.gov).