INFORMATION MEMORANDUM

TO:

Directors, Designated State Agencies
(Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas)
Executive Directors, State Planning Councils
(Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas)
Chairpersons, State Planning Councils
(Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas)

SUBJECT: Hurricane Andrew

LEGAL AND RELATED REFERENCES:


45 CFR Parts 1385 and 1386, Developmental Disabilities Program - Final Rule

CONTENT:

In view of the devastation caused by Hurricane Andrew, I want to inform you that ADD will be receptive to Councils who may wish to amend their State Plans in order to accommodate to the emergency needs of people with developmental disabilities who have been affected by this natural disaster. We would encourage you to consult with the P&As and UAPs in your States to the extent you believe it would be useful and helpful to the populations you serve.

This Information Memorandum will also serve to alert the appropriate Regional Offices to this development.

You have my best wishes for success in coping with this emergency.
EFFECTIVE DATE: Date of Issuance

INQUIRIES TO:
Regional Administrators, ACF
Regions IV and VI

Deborah L. McFadden
Commissioner
Administration on Developmental Disabilities

cc: Regional Administrators, ACF, Regions IV and VI
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