

## Medicaid Resource Assessment Notice

Facility Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
County:		

- Federal regulations provide that, at the request of an institutionalized spouse or a community spouse, the State shall promptly assess and document the total value of the couple's resources that exist as of the beginning of the first continuous period of institutionalization.
- A resource assessment is a determination of the amount of countable resources a married couple owns as of the date of institutionalization of one of the spouses. This assessment allocates a portion of the resources to each spouse.
- All married persons who enter a medical institution and intend to remain for 30 days or longer are entitled to have a resource assessment completed by their local Department of Job and Family Services (CDJFS).
- If you request a resource assessment and you do not apply for Medicaid, you will be charged \$50. If you request a resource assessment at the same time you apply for Medicaid, you will not be charged for the assessment. There is no charge to apply for Medicaid at any time.
- If you want a resource assessment, or if you want to apply for Medicaid, you may request that someone in your facility's social service department contact your local Department of Job and Family Services (CDJFS) on your behalf. You may also apply by contacting the CDJFS yourself or have someone else, such as a relative, friend, or attorney, apply for you. A resource assessment may be requested by you, your spouse, or a representative acting on behalf of you or your spouse.

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*Yes, I want the county Department of Job and Family Services (CDJFS) to complete a resource assessment.*

*No, I am not requesting a resource assessment at this time.*

Resident Name (please print):	
Signature (resident or authorized representative):	Date: