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**NOTICE**

**Fairbanks System Modifications**  
Medicaid Administrative Claiming (MAC) Financials

In an effort to improve the collection and review of the quarterly MAC financial data, the Fairbanks system will be modified to display the variances between quarters. Similar to the SHARS cost report, districts will be asked to provide an explanation for the financial variances prior to certifying the financial data.

**IMPORTANT:** In the July-September 2010 quarter, explanations will be *optional* for the school districts; however, explanations will be required beginning Federal fiscal year 2011 (October-December 2010 quarter).

If you have any questions, please contact the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) MAC Unit at [MAC@hhsc.state.tx.us](mailto:MAC@hhsc.state.tx.us) or at 512-491-1802.