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**Access to Recovery II (ATR 2)**  
**and**  
**General Assistance Recovery Supports Program (GA RSP)**

**SOBER HOUSE VENDOR ALERT**

July 31, 2008

**SUBJECT: SOBER HOUSE RESIDENT DEPARTURES**

**EFFECTIVE DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2008**

**EARLY DEPARTURE, NO SHOW AND CHANGE OF LOCATION FORM**

Effective September 1, 2008, the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) and Advanced Behavioral Health (ABH) will require submission of the attached form by all certified and contracted sober house sites that receive reimbursement via ATR 2 and/or the GA RSP. As authorization and payment for sober housing services under ATR 2 and GA RSP are made prospectively, this form is intended to track when individuals who have been authorized for a specified timeframe of housing assistance depart early, never move in, or move from one location/unit to another.

Please note that DMHAS funds from ATR 2 and GA RSP are meant to provide payment for housing services during timeframes when program recipients maintain residence at the designated sober house address/unit. As detailed in Section 16 of the GA RSP Sober Housing Contractor Agreement, the Department intends to conduct audits of housing documentation beginning in State Fiscal Year 2009.

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