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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Area Agency on Aging Executive Directors

FROM: Charles T. Corley, Secretary

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SUBJECT: **Notice of Instruction: New Services for Department of Elder Affairs Programs and Services Handbook (Appendix A)**

The purpose of this Notice is to notify the AAAs of recent changes made to the Department of Elder Affairs Programs and Services Handbook (Appendix A). Edits have been made to include two Highest-Level Evidence-Based Programs under the Older Americans Act Title IIID Program. These changes will take effect January 1, 2015.

The two Evidence-Based programs are the Chronic Pain Self-Management Program (CPSMP) and the Arthritis Foundation Tai Chi Program (also known as Tai Chi for Arthritis).

Thank you for your continued cooperation. Please contact your contract manager if you have questions.

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