

7.3.3 Letter to Specialist Informing Him/Her of Transfer of Case to GDSP Staff

BABY:
DOB:
NBS Acc. #:
Mother:

Dear Dr.:

As we discussed, state staff from the Genetic Disease Screening Program, Department of Public Health, will now be monitoring and tracking this case via the Metabolic (or Cystic Fibrosis) Service Report [MSR, CFSR] and may periodically contact you or staff at the metabolic (or cystic fibrosis) center to inquire about case status and diagnosis.

It is imperative that there be a case resolution obtained on every baby with a positive screen. Additionally, physicians who diagnose a disorder for which the state screens are required by the California Code of Regulations (Title 17, Division 1, Chapter 4, Subchapter 9, Group 3, Article 2, Section 6506.12) to report it to the Department. This can be done simply by entering a diagnosis in the MSR/CFSR.

As always, we appreciate your collaboration in assuring that babies with positive newborn screens receive timely and appropriate follow-up.

Sincerely

ASC Coordinator