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CHANGE TITLE: AUTISM DEMONSTRATION

PAGE CHANGE(S): See page 2.

SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S): See page 3.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 15, 2008.

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: Upon direction of the Contracting Officer.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laura Sells".

Laura Sells  
Chief, Purchased Care Procurement Branch

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**CHAPTER 20**

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## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

1. Revises the requirements related to intelligence testing by removing the eligibility requirement of a non-verbal Intelligence Quotient (IQ) of greater than 35.
2. Provides for two additional 120-day time periods for provisional eligibility to allow for development of an Individualized Education Program (IEP) or Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP). The initial requirement only allowed for one 120-day time period.
3. Clarified tutor staffing patterns to address the use of single and multiple tutors. The initial requirement only addressed staffing patterns for multiple tutors.
4. Increased the allowable amount for services by the supervisor to \$85 per hour and adds locality rates.
5. Corrects the Participation Agreement to remove reference to the term "extramedical providers."

