

CMS issues the revised Home Health Advance Beneficiary Notice (HHABN)  
CMS has published a new HHABN that significantly broadens when agencies will be required to issue beneficiaries an HHABN. Agencies are encouraged to begin using the revised HHABN now even though the effective date is not until June 1, 2006.

For copies of the new HHABN forms and instructions, click on the following link.

[http://new.cms.hhs.gov/BNI/03\\_HHABN.asp#TopOfPage](http://new.cms.hhs.gov/BNI/03_HHABN.asp#TopOfPage)

To learn more about how and when to use the new HHABN click on this link.

<http://www.nahc.org/NAHC/CaringComm/eNAHCReport-mbrs/06/060302.html#art2>