

For: State and County Offices

**Margin Protection Program for Dairy (MPP-Dairy) Producers
Farm Transfers and Farm/Tract Reconstitutions**

Approved by: Acting Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Updated Information Required for New Farm and/or Tract Number

A Background

Notice MPP-22 instructed State and County Offices to:

- accept manual CCC-781's for farm transfers that occurred in 2015 after the production history for participating dairy operations was migrated to the MPP-Dairy automated system
- pen and ink change the CCC-782 with the new farm and tract number
- await software enhancements to record the data collected from the CCC-781 and CCC-782 pertaining to the transfer in the MPP-Dairy automated system.

Since transfer capabilities are now functional in the MPP-Dairy automated system, production history relocation transfers that were initiated from a farm transfer and/or a farm and/or tract reconstitution require County Offices to record the transfer in the MPP-Dairy automated system and obtain updated signatures from the producers in the dairy operation on a new CCC-781 and CCC-782. The effective date must be the date the actual farm transfer or farm/tract reconstitution was approved by COC.

Note: The date of signature on the new CCC-781 and CCC-782 must be a date that is on or after the effective date.

B Purpose

This notice provides State and County Offices with the requirement to obtain updated signatures on a new CCC-781 and CCC-782 when completed and approved farm transfers and/or farm/tract reconstitutions can be processed as transfer/relocations in the MPP-Dairy automated software.

Disposal Date	Distribution
June 1, 2016	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

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1 Updated Information Required for New Farm and/or Tract Number (Continued)

C Action

For production history relocation transfers that are initiated from a farm transfer and/or a farm and/or tract reconstitutions, **before** the availability to record transfers in the automated software, County Offices **must**:

- complete the transfer/relocation in the MPP-Dairy automated system indicating the new farm and/or tract number
- print the revised CCC-781 and CCC-782 and provide to the dairy operation to obtain updated signature(s) and date
- obtain a new COC determination and date on **both** the CCC-781 and CCC-782.

After the required CCC-781 and CCC-782 with updated signatures have been obtained, County Offices can obtain the COC determination to complete the relocation/transfer in the MPP-Dairy automated system according to 2-MPP.

Note: New farm transfer/reconstitutions completed since the option to record transfers in the MPP-Dairy automated system was made available must be recorded in the MPP-Dairy automated system, according to 2-MPP, to initiate the new CCC-781 and CCC-782 for the producers in the dairy operation to sign **immediately** following approval of the farm transfer/reconstitution. If this cannot be immediately performed in the MPP-Dairy automated system, County Offices **must** obtain a new manual CCC-781 and CCC-782 indicating the new farm and/or tract number signed and dated by the producers in the dairy operation. Pen and ink changes to the farm and/or tract are no longer acceptable.

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