



**DELAWARE HEALTH
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Division of Medicaid & Medical Assistance

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Ms. Wanda Boone-Massey
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services
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Dear Ms. Boone-Massey:

This letter is in response to the letter received from CMS on September 5, 2023, issuing technical corrections to the Delaware section 1115 demonstration Delaware Diamond State Health Plan, Project Number 11-W-00036/4) COVID-19 amendment, originally approved on November 24, 2020.

Delaware accepts the two technical corrections outlined in the letter, specifically:

- Updates to page three, paragraph two pertaining to the expenditure authority for the state to make retainer payments as per the approved language in the Attachment K.
- Updates to page five, paragraph one pertaining to the expenditure authority for the state to make retainer payments to maintain capacity during the emergency.

If you require additional information or assistance, please contact Kimberly Xavier, Chief, Policy and Planning in the Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance (DMMA) at (302) 255-9576 or Kimberly.Xavier@delaware.gov.

Sincerely,

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