

Center for Medicaid, CHIP and Survey & Certification

May 5, 2011

Roberta K. Bradford Deputy Secretary for Medicaid 2727 Mahan Drive, MS #8 Tallahassee, FL 32308

Dear Ms. Bradford:

Your title XXI Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) State plan amendment (SPA) number 19, submitted on September 29, 2010, has been approved. Through this SPA, the State comes into compliance with the dental requirements in section 501 of the Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act (CHIPRA). The State has elected to meet CHIPRA's dental requirements through a State specific dental benefit package. Florida's CHIP SPA number 19 has a retroactive effective date of July 1, 2010.

Your title XXI project officer is Ms. Amy Lutzky. She is available to answer questions concerning this amendment and other CHIP-related issues. Ms. Lutzky's contact information is as follows:

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Official communications regarding program matters should be sent simultaneously to Ms. Lutzky and to Ms. Jackie Glaze, Associate Regional Administrator in our Atlanta Regional Office. Ms. Glaze's address is:

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If you have additional questions, please contact Ms. Victoria Wachino, Director, Children and Adults Health Programs Group at (410) 786-5647.

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We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff.

Sincerely,

/s/

Cindy Mann Director

cc: Jackie Glaze, ARA, CMS Region IV