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Dear Mr. Fitton:

We are writing to inform you that your title XXI Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) State plan amendment (SPA) #11, submitted March 30, 2010, has been approved.

This amendment adds dental services to come into compliance with the section 501 oral health requirements in the Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2009. The State has chosen to provide a State-defined dental benefit package. The State has identified the services in the dental benefit package and has specified the periodicity schedule for these services. The package includes services in all of the required categories. While there is no limit to the number of medically necessary services, prior approval is required for additional services when the total annual cost exceeds \$1500. This SPA has a retroactive effective date of January 1, 2010.

Your title XXI project officer is Ms. Susan Gratzer. She is available to answer questions concerning this amendment. Ms. Gratzer's contact information is as follows:

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Official communications regarding program matters should be sent simultaneously to Ms. Gratzer and to Ms. Verlon Johnson, Associate Regional Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Region V, Division of Medicaid and State Operations. Ms. Johnson's address is:

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If you have additional questions, please contact Ms. Victoria Wachino, Director, Family and Children's Health Programs Group, Center for Medicaid, CHIP and Survey & Certification at (410) 786-5647.

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

Sincerely,

/s/

Cindy Mann
Director

cc: CMS Region V Office