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March 16, 2010

Ms. Roberta Bradford Deputy Secretary for Medicaid Agency for Health Care Administration 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop #8 Tallahassee, FL 32308

Attn: Robin Ingram

RE: Florida Title XIX State Plan Amendment, Transmittal #09-026

Dear Ms. Bradford:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to the Florida State Plan, submitted under transmittal number FL-09-026, received in the Regional Office on December 15, 2009. This amendment implements the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act (MIPPA) provisions with regard to the Medicare Savings Program Resource Limits.

Based on the information provided, we are pleased to inform you that this amendment was approved on March 15, 2010. The effective date is January 1, 2010. We are enclosing the approved form IICFA-179 and plan pages. If you have any questions or need any assistance, please contact Elaine Elmore at 404-562-7408.

Sincerely,

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Acting Associate Regional Administrator Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

Enclosures