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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

October 12, 2016

Beth Kidder
Interim Deputy Secretary for Medicaid
Agency for Health Care Administration
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Tallahassee, FL 32308

ATTN: April Cook

RE: Title XIX State Plan Amendment 16-0022

Dear Ms. Kidder:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to the Florida State Plan, submitted under transmittal number FL 16-0022. This amendment makes technical corrections to the state plan pages, updates the fee schedule and removes outdated language.

Based on the information provided, this amendment was approved on October 12, 2016. The effective date is August 15, 2016. We are enclosing the approved form HCFA 179 and plan pages. If you have any questions, please contact Cheryl L. Brimage at 404-562-7116 or by email at cheryl.brimage@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

//s//

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

Enclosure

METHODS USED IN ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES

OTHER PRACTITIONER SERVICES

Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner, Licensed Midwife, Physician Assistant, and Registered Nurse First Assistant Services:

Except at otherwise noted in the plan, payment for these services is based on state-developed fee schedule rates which are the same for both governmental and private providers of advanced registered nurse practitioner, licensed midwife, physician assistant and registered nurse first assistant services. The fee schedule rate is in effect for Licensed Midwife services provided on or after January 1, 2016. The fee schedule rate for Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner, Physician Assistant, and Registered Nurse First Assistant services is included in the Practitioner fee schedule and is in effect on or after January 1, 2016. All rates, including current and prior rates, are published and maintained on the agency's website. Specifically, the fee schedule is published at http://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/review/fee_schedules.shtml

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ADVANCED REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONER SERVICES

(6d) Description

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Who Can Receive

An eligible recipient enrolled on the date of service, and requiring a medically necessary medical service.

Who Can Provide

Advanced registered nurse practitioners licensed within their scope of practice to perform this service.

Allowable Benefits

- Health screenings for recipients under the age of 21 years in accordance with the American Academy of Pediatrics periodicity schedule.
- Primary care visits as medically necessary for recipients under the age of 21 years and pregnant recipients age 21 years and older.
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- Up to one adult health screening every 365 days for recipients age 21 years and older.

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