DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 601 East 12th Street, Suite 355 Kansas City, Missouri 64106



Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

January 3, 2013

Brian Kinkade, Interim Director Missouri Department of Social Services Broadway State Office Building P.O. Box 1527 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-1527

Dear Mr. Kinkade:

On October 16, 2012 the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Missouri's State Plan Amendment (SPA), transmittal #12-06 through which the state is assuring compliance with provider screening and enrollment under Section 6401 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (Affordable Care Act), P.L. 111-148.

This SPA is approved December 28, 2012, with an effective date of October 1, 2012 as requested by the State.

Enclosed is a copy of the CMS 179 form and the approved pages for incorporation into the Missouri Medicaid State Plan. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Sandra Levels at Sandra.Levels@cms.hhs.gov or (816) 426-5925.

Sincerely,

/s/

James G. Scott Associate Regional Administrator for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

cc: Mark Cicka

Ian McCaslin