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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

January 7, 2013

David J. Dzielak, Ph.D. Executive Director Division of Medicaid, Office of the Governor 550 High Street, Suite 1000 Jackson, Mississippi 39201

Re: Mississippi State Plan Amendment (SPA), Transmittal # 12-003

Dear Dr. Dzielak:

We have reviewed Mississippi State Plan Amendment (SPA) 12-003, which was submitted to the Atlanta Regional Office on July 11, 2012. This SPA was submitted to allow the Mississippi Division of Medicaid to make revisions to the rehabilitation option of the state plan. This SPA provides more evidenced based practices in service delivery in the community, and removes disease management which is no longer being provided.

The Mississippi Division of Medicaid removed Treatment Foster Care Services (TFCS) from the state plan pages on December 5, 2012 and will resubmit these SPA pages at a later date.

Based on the information provided, we are now ready to approve Mississippi SPA 12-003 as of January 4, 2013. The effective date is July 01, 2012. The signed CMS-179 and the approved plan pages are enclosed. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Carolyn Brown at (404) 565-7421.

Sincerely,

/s/

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

Enclosures