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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

October 15, 2012

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

Re: Mississippi Title XIX State Plan Amendment, Transmittal #12-004

Dear Dr. Dzielak:

We have reviewed Mississippi State Plan Amendment (SPA) 12-004, which was submitted to the Atlanta Regional Office on September 25, 2012. The purpose of this State Plan Amendment is to provide assurances that the State is in compliance with the screening and enrollment of providers pursuant to 42 CFR 455, Subpart E.

Based on the information provided, we are now ready to approve Mississippi SPA 12-004 as of October 12, 2012. The effective date is October 1, 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) 562-562-7421.

Sincerely,

/s/

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

Enclosures