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## **Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations**

June 22, 2010

Kerry Winterer Chief Executive Officer Nebraska Dept of Health & Human Services 301 Centennial Mall South, 3rd Floor PO Box 95026 Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-5026

Dear Mr. Winterer:

On May 10, 2010, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Nebraska's state plan amendment (SPA) transmittal #10-11. This SPA replaces the State's primary care case management (PCCM) program with a program utilizing two managed care organizations (MCO).

Based on the information provided, we are pleased to inform you that SPA 10-11 is approved as of June 21, 2010 with an effective date of August 1, 2010. Enclosed is a copy of the CMS 179 form as well as the approved pages for incorporation into the Nebraska State Plan. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Michelle Opheim or Gail Brown Stevenson at (816) 426-5925.

Sincerely,

/s/

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

## Enclosure

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