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RE: Ohio 09-031

Dear Ms. Plouck:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-A of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 09-031. Effective for services on or after November 30, 2009, this amendment proposes new supplemental inpatient hospital upper limit payments for private hospitals.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), 1903(a), and 1923 of the Social Security Act and the implementing Federal regulations at 42 CFR 447 Subpart C. We are pleased to inform you that Medicaid State plan amendment 09-031 is approved effective November 30, 2009. We are enclosing the HCFA-179 and the amended plan pages.

If you have any questions, please call Todd McMillion at (608) 441-5344.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bill Farnsworth". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "B".

2 Cindy Mann
Director

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