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RE: Ohio State Plan Amendment (SPA) 11-005

Dear Mr. McCarthy:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-D of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 11-005. Effective for services on or after April 1, 2011, this amendment proposes to remove Medicaid provider agreement sections for nursing facilities (NF) from Attachments 4.19-D and 4.13-B of the State plan and for intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded (ICFs-MR) from Attachments 4.19-D and 4.13-C of the State plan.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), and 1903(a) of the Social Security Act and the regulations at 42 CFR 447 Subpart C. We hereby inform you that Medicaid State plan amendment 11-005 is approved effective April 1, 2011. 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,



Cindy Mann,
Director (CMCS)

Enclosure