

Region VIII

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David N. Sundwall, MD Utah Department of Health 288 North 1460 West PO Box 143102 Salt Lake City, UT 84114

RE: Utah #10-009

Dear Dr. Sundwall:

We are pleased to inform you that CMS has approved Montana State Plan Amendment (SPA) 10-009, "Update mandatory eligibility provisions and estate recovery limitations as required by MIPPA" with an effective date of January 1, 2010.

We appreciate the cooperation extended by your staff in the review and approval of this state plan amendment.

If you have any questions concerning this amendment, please contact Betty Strecker at (303) 844-7028.

Sincerely,

Richard C. Allen Associate Regional Administrator Division for Medicaid and Children's Health

CC: Michael Hales, Medicaid Director, UT Craig Devashrayee, UT