

Region VIII

December 7, 2011

W. David Patton, Ph.D. Utah Department of Health 288 North 1460 West PO Box 143102 Salt Lake City, UT 84114

RE: Utah #11-011

Dear Dr. Patton:

We have reviewed the proposed State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) 11-011. The purpose of this SPA is to provide comprehensive tobacco cessation services to pregnant women, including counseling services and pharmacotherapy.

Please be informed that this State Plan Amendment is approved effective July 1, 2011. We are enclosing the CMS-179 and the amended plan page(s).

If you have any questions concerning this amendment, please contact Betty Strecker at (701) 540-4118.

Sincerely,

/s/

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

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