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State Name: Virginia

State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 18-003

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
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Region III/Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

SWIFT #032720184015

March 29, 2018

Jennifer S. Lee, M.D., Director
Department of Medical Assistance Services
600 East Broad Street, Suite 1300
Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Dr. Lee:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has reviewed Virginia's State Plan Amendment (SPA) 18-003, Dental Fee Schedule Update – March 2018. The purpose of this SPA is to add text into the State Plan regarding the reimbursement of dental services to reflect the inclusion of updated dental procedure codes in the agency fee schedule.

This SPA is acceptable. Therefore, we are approving SPA 18-003 with an effective date of March 30, 2018. Enclosed are the approved SPA page and signed CMS-179 form.

If you have further questions about this SPA, please contact Margaret Kosherzenko of my staff at 215-861-4288.

Sincerely,

/S/

Francis McCullough
Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosures

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER
1 8 - 0 0 3

2. STATE
Virginia

3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
March 30, 2018

TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One)

- NEW STATE PLAN AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
42 CFR Part 447

7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT
a. FFY 2018 \$ -0-
b. FFY \$ -0-

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT
Attachment 4.19-B, Page 5

9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
Same Page

10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT
Dental Fee Schedule Update — March, 2018

11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)

- GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT²⁰¹⁸
 COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
 NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

OTHER, AS SPECIFIED
Secretary of Health and Human Resources

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL
[Redacted] /S/

13. TYPED NAME
Jennifer S. Lee, M.D.

14. TITLE
Director

15. DATE SUBMITTED
3/20/18

16. RETURN TO
Dept. of Medical Assistance Services
600 East Broad Street, #1300
Richmond VA 23219
Attn: Regulatory Coordinator

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17. DATE RECEIVED
March 23, 2018

18. DATE APPROVED
March 29, 2018

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL
March 30, 2018

20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL
/S/

21. TYPED NAME
Francis McCullough

22. TITLE
Associate Regional Administrator

23. REMARKS

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State of VIRGINIA

**METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATE-
OTHER TYPES OF CARE**

6.A. 2. Dentists' services: Dental services, dental provider qualifications and dental service limits are identified in Attachment 3.1A&B, Supplement 1, page 16.1 and 16.1.1. Dental services are paid based on procedure codes which are listed in the Agency' fee schedule rate, effective March 30, 2018. The state agency fee schedule is published on the DMAS website at http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/Content-pgs/rcp-ada_agrmt2.aspx Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private individual practitioners.

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Supersedes
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