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Douglas A. Racine, Secretary  
Agency of Human Services  
208 Hurricane Lane, Suite 103  
Williston, VT 05495

Dear Secretary Racine:

We are pleased to enclose a copy of approved State plan amendment (SPA) No. 12-001 with an effective date of January 1, 2012, as requested by your Agency.

This SPA transmitted a proposed amendment to your approved Title XIX State plan to update the rates that use the Medicare Resource Based Relative Values Scale payment methodology and to implement criteria used to pay for anesthesia services.

If there are questions, please contact Lynn Wolfsfeld at (617) 682-9426.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard R. McGreal  
Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosure

cc: Mark Larson, Commissioner  
Ashley Berliner, DVHA Health Programs Administrator