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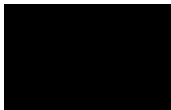
Direct Bowdoin,

Please find attached South Dakota's quarterly spending plan and narrative. As part of submitting the quarterly spending plan and narrative the State confirms the following:

- I. The State is using the federal funds attributable to the increased federal medical assistance percentage (FMAP) to supplement and not supplant existing State funds expended for Medicaid HCBS in effect as of April 1, 2021;
- II. The State is using the State funds equivalent to the amount of federal funds attributable to the increased FMAP to implement or supplement the implementation of one or more activities to enhance, expand, or strengthen HCBS under the Medicaid program;
- III. The State is not imposing stricter eligibility standards, methodologies, or procedures for HCBS programs and services than were in place on April 1, 2021;
- IV. The State is preserving covered HCBS, including the services themselves and the amount, duration, and scope of those services, in effect as of April 1, 2021; and
- V. The State is maintaining HCBS provider payments at a rate no less than those in place as of April 1, 2021.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at Matthew.Ballard@state.sd.us or 605-773-3495.

Sincerely,



Matthew Ballard
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