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**State Demonstrations Group**

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Nate Checketts  
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Dear Mr. Checketts:

Thank you for your request for a five-year extension of Utah's section 1115 demonstration, entitled "Primary Care Network" (Project Nos. 11-W-00145/8 and 21-W-00054/8). The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received your extension request on August 18, 2016. We have completed a preliminary review of the application and have determined that the state's extension request has met the requirements for a complete extension request as specified under section 42 CFR 431.412(c).

In accordance with section 42 CFR 431.416(a), CMS acknowledges receipt of the state's extension request. The documents will be posted on Medicaid.gov and the comment period will last 30 days, as required by 42 CFR 431.416(b). The state's extension request will be available at <http://medicaid.gov/Medicaid-CHIP-Program-Information/By-Topics/Waivers/Waivers.html>.

We look forward to working with you and your staff to extend the state's demonstration. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your assigned project officer Shanna Janu, Division of Medicaid Expansion Demonstrations, at (410) 786-1370, or at shanna.janu@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

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