

State Demonstrations Group

August 8, 2017

Mr. Thomas Betlach Director Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System 801 East Jefferson Street Phoenix, AZ 85034

Dear Mr. Betlach:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Arizona's request to amend the state's section 1115 demonstration entitled, "Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS)" (Project No. 11-W-00275/09) on July 25, 2017.

We have completed a preliminary review of your amendment request in accordance with the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) and have determined that the state's amendment request has met the requirements for a complete amendment as specified under STC 7. The amendment documents will be posted on the Medicaid.gov website: <u>http://medicaid.gov/Medicaid-CHIP-Program-Information/By-Topics/Waivers/Waivers.html</u>.

If you have questions regarding the section 1115 amendment process, please contact your project officer Jessica Woodard, at (410) 786-9249, or at Jessica.Woodard@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

Andrea J. Casart Director Division of Medicaid Expansion Demonstrations

cc: Henrietta Sam-Louie, Associate Regional Administrator, CMS San Francisco Regional Office