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## **Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services**

## **State Demonstrations Group**

June 17, 2016

Mari Cantwell Chief Deputy Director Department of Health Care Services Director's Office, MS 0000 P.O. Box 997413 Sacramento, CA 95899-7413

Dear Ms. Cantwell:

This letter is to inform you that the following attachment to the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) for California's section 1115(a) demonstration, entitled "California Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration" (11-W-00193/9), is approved as submitted by the state and as modified through our discussions.

• Drug Medi-Cal Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS) Certified Public Expenditure Protocol (Attachment AA)

CMS finds this protocol to be in accordance with the STCs for the demonstration, and has no further questions or comments at this time.

A copy of the approved attachment is enclosed and will replace the corresponding attachment in the STCs.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff on the California Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration. If you have any questions, please contact your project officers, Ms. Mehreen Hossain, at either 410-786-0938 or by email at <a href="Mehreen.Hossain@cms.hhs.gov">Mehreen.Hossain@cms.hhs.gov</a>, and Ms. Heather Ross, at either 410-786-3666 or by email at <a href="Heather.Ross@cms.hhs.gov">Heather.Ross@cms.hhs.gov</a>.

We appreciate your cooperation throughout the review process.

Sincerely,

/s/

Angela D. Garner Director Division of System Reform Demonstrations

Enclosure

cc: Henrietta Sam-Louie, Acting ARA Region IX