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Ms. Heather Hostetler
Project Officer
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
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Dear Ms. Hostetler:

Thank you for sending the temporary extension of Florida MEDS-AD section 1115 Demonstration (Project No. 11-W-00205/4), effective January 1, 2014 until December 31, 2014. Florida accepts the temporary extension of the waiver with the understanding that the current lists of waiver and expenditure authorities and special terms and conditions will continue to apply through December 31, 2014.

Florida recognizes this extension includes continued expenditure authority for Medicaid Fraud Control Unit data mining activities in compliance with the Department of Health and Human Services final rule issued May, 17, 2013 (78 FR 29055-29061), and the state will ensure no duplicate claiming will occur.

We appreciate your continued efforts in working with our staff on the waiver extension request. Should you have any questions, please contact Linda Macdonald of my staff by phone at (850) 412-4031 or by email at Linda.Macdonald@ahca.myflorida.com.

Sincerely,



Justin M. Senior
Deputy Secretary for Medicaid

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