



May 17, 2019

Mr. Jack Nocito
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Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
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Dear Mr. Nocito:

As required within the Waiver Authorities for Florida's 1115 Managed Medical Assistance Waiver (Project Number 11-W-00206/4) related to retroactive eligibility, the Agency for Health Care Administration has received state legislative authority to continue the waiver of retroactive eligibility through June 30, 2020. This language was included in Senate Bill 2502, and states:

- (12) Effective July 1, 2019, the agency shall make payments to Medicaid-covered services:
- (a) For eligible children and pregnant women, retroactive for a period of no more than 90 days before the month in which an application for Medicaid is submitted.
- (b) For eligible nonpregnant adults, retroactive to the first day of the month in which an application for Medicaid is submitted.

This subsection expires July 1, 2020.

Senate Bill 2502 is available for review at: http://www.flsenate.gov/Session/Bill/2019/2502/BillText/er/PDF.

We appreciate your efforts in working with our staff on Florida's 1115 Managed Medical Assistance Waiver. Should you have any questions, please contact Ann Dalton at (850) 412-4257 or at Ann.balton@ahca.myflorida.com. We look forward to continuing to work with you.

Sincerely,

Beth Kidder

Deputy Secretary for Medicaid

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