

December 11, 2019

Mr. Calder Lynch  
Acting Deputy Administrator and Director  
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
7500 Security Boulevard, Mail Stop S2-26-12  
Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

Re: Iowa Wellness Plan §1115 Demonstration Extension (Project Number 11-W-00289/5)

Dear Mr. Lynch:

The Iowa Department of Human Services (DHS) is pleased to learn that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has approved the Iowa Wellness Plan (11-W-00289/5) extension request effective from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

DHS understands that technical corrections to the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) may be requested following approval of the extension. Therefore, DHS would like to take the opportunity in this acceptance letter to request one technical correction to the STCs accompanying your correspondence dated November 15, 2019. In Table 1: Dental Wellness Plan Eligible Populations, DHS believes the row with the eligibility group "Reasonable Classifications of" should be updated to "Reasonable Classifications of Children."

We look forward to continuing to work with our federal partners at CMS on this important initiative. Thank you for the opportunity to submit this acceptance letter, and we look forward to working with your staff to finalize the STCs. Please let us know if you have any questions on the proposed technical correction.

Sincerely,



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