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Ms. Theresa Eagleson  
Administrator  
Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services  
Bureau of Maternal and Child Health Promotion  
607 East Adams Street  
Springfield, IL 62701

Dear Ms. Eagleson:

Thank you for the state's communication regarding the extension of Illinois' Medicaid section 1115 family planning demonstration, entitled "Illinois Healthy Women." The state requested that the current program, which is due to expire on October 31, 2012, be extended to December 31, 2012.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is granting a temporary extension of your program until December 31, 2012. The demonstration is currently operating under the authority of section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. Additionally, the current lists of waiver and expenditure authorities and Special Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to Illinois Healthy Women until December 31, 2012.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff to finalize the Illinois Healthy Women renewal.

Sincerely,

/Jennifer Ryan/

Jennifer Ryan  
Deputy Director

cc:

Verlon Johnson, ARA, Region V  
Catherine Song, State Representative