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## Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services

**Children and Adults Health Programs Group** 

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Dear Dr. Mosier:

Thank you for your recent section 1115 demonstration application entitled, "KanCare." The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received your application on August 6, 2012. We have completed a preliminary review of the application, and have determined that the State's application has met the requirements for a complete application as specified under section 42 CFR 431.412(a).

In accordance with section 42 CFR 431.416(a), CMS acknowledges receipt of the State's application. The 30-day Federal comment period, as required under 42 CFR 431:416(b), begins on August 21, 2012, and ends on September 20, 2012. The State's application is available at http://medicaid.gov/Medicaid-CHIP-Program-Information/By-Topics/Waivers/Waivers.html.

We look forward to working with you and your staff on the proposed demonstration project. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your assigned project officer Ms. Jennifer Sheer, Division of State Demonstrations and Waivers, at (410) 786-1769, or at Jennifer.Sheer@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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