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State Demonstrations Group

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Dr. Joseph Parks Director Missouri HealthNet Division Missouri Department of Social Services 615 Howerton Court, PO Box 6500 Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dear Dr. Parks:

Thank you for your recent request to extend the Missouri Gateway to Better Health section 1115 Medicaid demonstration (Project Number 11-W-00250/7). The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received your extension request on November 10, 2016 and has completed its preliminary review to find the state's application complete in accordance with section 42 CFR 431.416(a).

Missouri's application will be posted on Medicaid.gov and the comment period will last 30 days as required by 42 CFR 431.416(b). The state's extension request will be available at https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/waivers_faceted.html.

We look forward to working with you and your staff to extend the state's demonstration. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your CMS project officer, Mr. Felix Milburn, at (410) 786-1315, or at Felix.Milburn@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

Kim Howell Director Division of State Demonstrations and Waivers

cc: James Scott, CMS Region VII Associate Regional Administrator Deborah Read, CMS Region VII State Lead