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**Children and Adults Health Programs Group**

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NOV 15 2012

Michael Watson  
Director of Medical Assistance  
Department of Health and Human Services  
2501 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh, NC 27699-2501

Dear Mr. Watson:

Thank you for the state's communication regarding the extension of North Carolina's Medicaid section 1115 demonstration, entitled "Be Smart Family Planning Waiver." The State requested that the current program, which is due to expire on November 15, 2012, be extended until January 31, 2013.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is approving a temporary extension of the Be Smart Family Planning Waiver until January 31, 2013. This period of time will allow the state to work with CMS to implement its approved State Plan Amendment (SPA) to provide family planning services through Section 2303 of the Affordable Care Act (NC 11-040; approved September 21, 2012).

The demonstration is currently operating under the authority of section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. The current list of expenditure authorities and Special Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to the demonstration until January 31, 2013.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff.

Sincerely,

/Maria Reed/ for

Jennifer Ryan  
Deputy Director

cc:

Jackie Glaze, ARA, Region IV

Elaine Elmore, State Representative, Region IV

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OCT 31 2012

Dear Mr. Watson:

Thank you for the state's communication regarding the extension of North Carolina's Medicaid section 1115 demonstration, entitled "Be Smart Family Planning Waiver." The State requested that the current program, which is due to expire on October 31, 2012, be temporarily extended.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is approving a temporary extension of the Be Smart Family Planning Waiver until November 15, 2012. This period of time will allow the state to work with CMS to address its questions regarding the September 21, 2012, approval of its State Plan Amendment (SPA) to provide family planning services through Section 2303 of the Affordable Care Act (NC 11-040).

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**JUL 20 2012**

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Dear Mr. Watson:

Thank you for the State's communication regarding the extension of North Carolina's Medicaid section 1115 Demonstration, entitled "Be Smart Family Planning Waiver." The State requested that the current program, which is due to expire on July 31, 2012, be extended to October 31, 2012.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services is approving your request to temporarily extend the Be Smart Family Planning Waiver until October 31, 2012. This period of time will allow the State to pursue the new State plan eligibility option for family planning services created by section 2303 of the Affordable Care Act.

The Demonstration is currently operating under the authority of section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. The current list of expenditure authorities and Special Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to the Demonstration until October 31, 2012.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff in the coming months.

Sincerely,

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MAY 24 2012

Dear Dr. Gray:

Thank you for the State's communication regarding the extension of North Carolina's Medicaid section 1115 Demonstration, entitled "Be Smart Family Planning Waiver." The State requested that the current program, which is due to expire on May 31, 2012, be extended to July 31, 2012.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services is approving your request to temporarily extend the Be Smart Family Planning Waiver until July 31, 2012. This period of time will allow the State to pursue the new State plan eligibility option for family planning services created by section 2303 of the Affordable Care Act.

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**MAR 9 2012**

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Dear Dr. Gray:

Thank you for the State's communication regarding the extension of North Carolina's Medicaid section 1115 Demonstration, entitled "Be Smart Family Planning Waiver." The State requested that the current program, which is due to expire on March 31, 2012, be extended to May 31, 2012.

With this letter, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services is approving your request to temporarily extend the Be Smart Family Planning Waiver until May 31, 2012. This period of time will allow the State to pursue the new State plan eligibility option for family planning services created by section 2303 of the Affordable Care Act.

The Demonstration is currently operating under the authority of section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. The current list of expenditure authorities and Special Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to the Demonstration until May 31, 2012.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff in the coming months.

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