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## State Demonstrations Group

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Henry D. Lipman  
Medicaid Director  
New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services  
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Concord, New Hampshire 03301-3857

Dear Mr. Lipman:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has received New Hampshire's request to extend the state's section 1115 demonstration, titled "New Hampshire Health Protection Program (NHPPP) Premium Assistance Demonstration" (Project Number 11-W-00298/1), on July 23, 2018, and has completed its preliminary review to find the state's application complete in accordance with section 42 CFR 431.412(c).

New Hampshire'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: <http://medicaid.gov/Medicaid-CHIP-Program-Information/By-Topics/Waivers/Waivers.html>.

We look forward to working with you and your staff to extend the state's demonstration. If you have any questions regarding the section 1115 extension review process, please contact your CMS project officer, Megan Lepore at [Megan.Lepore@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:Megan.Lepore@cms.hhs.gov).

Sincerely,

/s/

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Director  
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cc: Richard McGreal, Associate Regional Administrator, CMS Boston Regional Office