State Demonstrations Group



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Jason Helgerson Director, Office of Health Insurance Programs New York State Department of Health Empire State Plaza Corning Tower (OCP – 1211) Albany, NY 12237

Dear Mr. Helgerson:

Thank you for your September 30, 2016 request to amend New York's section 1115 Partnership Plan (Project No. 11-W-00114/2) to provide limited coverage for Medicaid services for the 30 days prior to release to incarcerated individuals who are enrolled in Medicaid.

After completing a preliminary review of your amendment application, we have determined that the state's application is complete. We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff on this amendment request. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your project officer, Deborah Steinbach at (410) 786-7404, or by e-mail at <u>Deborah.Steinbach@cms.hhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

/s/

Angela D. Garner Director, Division of System Reform Demonstrations

cc: Michael Melendez, Associate Regional Administrator, CMS New York Region