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Mr. Vincent D. Gordon  
Deputy Secretary for Medical Assistance Programs  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Public Welfare  
PO Box 2675  
Harrisburg, PA 17105

Dear Mr. Gordon:

Thank you for the State's communication regarding an extension of Pennsylvania's Medicaid section 1115 Family Planning Demonstration. 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 (CMS) is granting a temporary extension of Pennsylvania's Family Planning Demonstration until October 31, 2012. The Demonstration is currently operating under the authority of section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. Additionally, the current lists of waiver and expenditure authorities and Special Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to this Demonstration until October 31, 2012.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff to finalize Pennsylvania's Family Planning Demonstration renewal.

Sincerely,

/Jennifer Ryan/

Jennifer Ryan  
Deputy Director

cc:

Ted Gallagher, Associate Regional Administrator, Philadelphia Regional Office  
Rosemary Feild, State Representative