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Chris Traylor
Deputy Executive Commissioner, Office of Health Services
Texas Health and Human Services Commission
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Austin, TX 78758

Dear Mr. Traylor:

This letter is to inform you that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is approving your request to make an additional technical corrections to attachment J of Texas's section 1115 demonstration project, entitled Texas Healthcare Transformation and Quality Improvement Program (Project Number 11-W-00278/6). This change clarifies the DY 1 Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment (DSRIP) for anchor entities. This technical correction is effective as of the date of this letter.

These approvals are conditioned upon written acceptance from the state that it agrees with these technical corrections. This written acceptance is needed for our records within 30 days of the date of this letter.

Your project officer is Mr. Robert Nelb. He is available to answer any questions concerning your section 1115 demonstration. Mr. Nelb's contact information is as follows:

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Official communications regarding program matters should be sent simultaneously to Mr. Nelb and to Mr. Bill Brooks, Associate Regional Administrator in our Dallas Regional Office. Mr. Brook's address is:

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If you have questions regarding this approval, please contact Ms. Jennifer Ryan, Acting Director, Children and Adults Health Programs Group, Center for Medicaid, and CHIP Services, at (410) 786-5647.

Sincerely,

/s/

Angela D. Garner
Deputy Director
Division of State Demonstrations and Waivers

Enclosures

cc: Bill Brooks, Associate Regional Administrator, Region VI