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Region VIII

September 4, 2013

Susan E. Birch, MBA, BSN, RN-Executive Director Department of Health Care Policy & Financing 1570 Grant Street Denver, CO 80303-1818 RE: Colorado #13-007 Dear Ms. Birch:

We have reviewed the proposed State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) 13-007. This amendment would add specified non-physician practitioner professional services to a list of such services eligible for reimbursement to Denver Health Medical Center for their uncompensated costs of providing the services to Medicaid beneficiaries under the current State Plan.

Please be informed that this State Plan Amendment was approved September 4, 2013 with an effective date of April 1, 2013. We are enclosing the CMS-179 and the amended plan page(s).

If you have any questions concerning this amendment, please contact Curtis Volesky at (303) 844-7033.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard C. Allen Associate Regional Administrator Divisions of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

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