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RE: DE SPA 11-005

Dear Ms. Mahaney:

We have completed our review of State Plan Amendment (SPA) 11-005. This SPA modifies Attachments 4.19-A and 4.19-B of Delaware's Title XIX State Plan. Specifically, SPA 11-005 implements regulations for provider preventable conditions and related payment adjustments for Medicaid.

We conducted our review of this SPA according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(3), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), 1903(a) and 1923 of the Social Security Act (the Act) and the regulations at 42 CFR 447 Subpart C. We are approving Medicaid State plan amendment 11-005 with an effective date of July 21, 2011. Enclosed are the HCFA-179 and the amended plan pages.

If you have any questions, or require additional information, please call Gary Knight at (304) 347-5723.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cindy Mann".

Cindy Mann
Director,
Centers for Medicaid and CHIP Services

Enclosures