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Rosanne Mahaney, Director Division of Medicaid & Medical Assistance Delaware Health and Social Services 1901 N. DuPont Highway New Castle, Delaware 19720-0906

Dear Ms. Mahaney:

We have reviewed Delaware State Plan Amendment (SPA) 11-011, in which you propose to implement Asset Verification System, a system for verifying the assets of aged, blind or disabled applicants for and recipients of Medicaid. This SPA is acceptable. We are approving SPA 11-011 with an effective date of October 1, 2011. Enclosed are the approved SPA pages and signed CMS-179 form.

If you have further questions about this SPA, please contact Melanie Benning at 215-861-4267.

Sincerely.

Francis McCallough

Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosures

Do you know someone who has been denied medical insurance because of a pre-existing condition? If so, they may be eligible for the new Pre-Existing Condition Insurance Plan. Call toll free 1-866-717-5826 (TTY 1-866-561-1604) or visit www.pcip.gov and click on "Find Your State" to learn more