

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

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Refer to:
DMCH: BC
IA SPA 09-003

Charles Krogmeier, Director
Department of Human Services
Hoover State Office Building
1305 East Walnut, 5th Floor
Des Moines, Iowa 50319 – 0119

Dear Mr. Krogmeier:

On March 24, 2009, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Iowa's state plan amendment (SPA), transmittal #09-003, which requests the addition of the eligibility group for children with disabilities authorized under the Family Opportunity Act as described in Section 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIX) and 1902(cc)(1) of the Social Security Act.

Based on the revisions provided, we are pleased to inform you that SPA 09-003 is approved effective January 1, 2009. Enclosed is a copy of the CMS 179 form as well as the approved pages for incorporation into the Iowa State plan. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please call Barbara Cotterman at (816) 426-5925.

Sincerely,

/s/

James G. Scott
Associate Regional Administrator
for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

cc: Jennifer Vermeer
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