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Ms. Julie Hamos, Director
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RE: Illinois 09-09

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Dear Ms. Hamos:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-A of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 09-09. Effective for services on or after December 10, 2009, this amendment increases certain supplemental payment rates for inpatient hospital services as well as establishes a new stimulus payment for hospital inpatient services based on the sum of components for obstetrical care, trauma center, acute care, and high volume.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), 1903(a), and 1923 of the Social Security Act and the implementing Federal regulations at 42 CFR 447 Subpart C. We are pleased to inform you that Medicaid State plan amendment 09-09 is approved effective December 10, 2009. We are enclosing the HCFA-179 and the amended plan pages.

If you have any questions, please call Todd McMillion at (608) 441-5344.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cindy Mann". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C".

Cindy Mann
Director

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