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**State/Territory Name: MO**

**State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 18-0016**

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**Financial Management Group**

November 30, 2018

Dr. Steve Corsi, Director  
Missouri Department of Social Services  
Broadway State Office Building  
P.O. Box 1527  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

RE: Missouri Medicaid State Plan Amendment TN: 18-0016

Dear Dr. Corsi:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-D of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 18-0016. This amendment increases nursing facility (NF) and HIV NF per diem rates by \$7.76 effective for dates of service beginning July 1, 2018.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 1902(a)(2), 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30), and 1903(a) of the Social Security Act and the implementing Federal regulations at 42 CFR 447 Subpart C. This is to inform you that Medicaid State plan amendment 18-0016 is approved effective July 1, 2018. We are enclosing the CMS-179 and the amended plan pages.

If you have any questions, please call Tim Weidler at (816) 426-6429.

Sincerely,

Kristin Fan  
Director

Enclosures

<b>TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL</b> FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION	1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: <u>1 8 - 0 0 1 6</u>	2. STATE Missouri
	3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)	
TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE July 1, 2018	

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

- NEW STATE PLAN     
  AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN     
  AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION: 42 CFR 447 Subpart C	7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT: (in thousands) a. FFY 2018 \$ <u>11,700</u> b. FFY 2019 \$ <u>47,372</u>
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:  Attachment 4.19-D Pages 52 F and 165 G	9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDES PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):  Attachment 4.19-D Pages 52 F and 165 G

10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:

This amendment provides for a trend adjustment to nursing facility and HIV nursing facility per diem reimbursement rates of \$7.76 effective for dates of service beginning July 1, 2018.

11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)

- GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT     
  OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:  
 COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED  
 NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:  13. TYPE NAME: Steve Corsi, Psy. D. 14. TITLE: Director 15. DATE SUBMITTED:	16: RETURN TO:  MO HealthNet Division P.O. Box 6500 Jefferson City, MO 65102
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17. DATE RECEIVED:	18: DATE APPROVED: NOV 30 2018
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**PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED**

19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL: JUL 01 2018	20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:
21. TYPED NAME: Kristin Fan	22. TITLE: Director, FMG
23. REMARKS:	

21. FY-2018 per diem adjustment —

A. Facilities with either an interim rate or a prospective rate in effect on August 1, 2017, shall be subject to a decrease in their per diem rate effective for dates of services August 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, of five dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$5.37).

B. The per diem adjustment of five dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$5.37) shall be deducted from the facility's current rate as of July 31, 2017, and is effective for dates of service beginning August 1, 2017;

C. Effective for dates of service beginning July 1, 2018, the per diem decrease shall be reduced to four dollars and eighty-three cents (\$4.83). A per diem adjustment of fifty-four cents (\$0.54) shall be added to the facilities current rate as of June 30, 2018, which includes the five dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$5.37) decrease, and is effective for dates of service beginning July 1, 2018.

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