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Attention: Teresa Smith

RE: North Carolina Title XIX State Plan Amendment, Transmittal # NC 11-043

Dear Dr. Gray:

We reviewed the proposed amendment to the North Carolina Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) NC 11-043 that was received in the Regional Office on August 18, 2011. The amendment eliminates low dose subcutaneous tocolytic therapy.

Based on the information provided, we are now ready to approve the Medicaid State Plan Amendment NC 11-043. This SPA was approved on November 10, 2011. The effective date of this amendment is August 31, 2011. We are enclosing the approved form HCFA-179 and plan pages.

If you have any questions or need any further assistance, please contact Elaine Elmore at (404) 562-7408.

Sincerely,

Jackie Glaze
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

Enclosures