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Michael J. Willden, Director  
Department of Health and Human Services  
4126 Technology Way, Suite 100  
Carson City, Nevada 89706-2009

RE: Nevada State Plan Amendment TN: 11-010

Dear Mr. Willden:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-D of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 11-010. This amendment provides for a reduction to the adult ventilator-dependent nursing facility add-on per diem from \$500 to \$495, effective August 1, 2011.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at sections 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 11-010 is approved effective August 1, 2011. We are enclosing the HCFA-179 and the amended plan pages.

If you have any questions, please call Mark Wong at (415) 744-3561.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cindy Mann". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Cindy Mann  
Director, CMCS

Enclosures

cc: Charles Duarte, Administrator, DHCFP  
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