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Michael J. Willden, Director
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RE: Nevada State Plan Amendment TN: 11-012

Dear Mr. Willden:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-D of your Medicaid State plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 11-012. This amendment, effective October 1, 2011, provides for a nursing facility supplemental payment for private freestanding nursing facilities, funded by a nursing facility provider tax.

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 11-012 is approved effective October 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, DHCFF
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