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Financial Management Group

SEP 20 2017

Jason A. Helgeson
State Medicaid Director
Deputy Commissioner
Office of Health Insurance Programs
NYS Department of Health
Corning Tower (OCP - 1211)
Albany, NY 12237

RE: State Plan Amendment (SPA) 17-0043

Dear Commissioner Helgeson:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to Attachment 4.19-A of your Medicaid State Plan submitted under transmittal number (TN) 17-0043. Effective April 1, 2017 this amendment proposes additional supplemental payments to New York City's Health and Hospitals for inpatient services through March 31, 2018.

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 Part 447. This letter is to inform you SPA 17-0043 is approved effective April 1, 2017. We are enclosing the CMS-179 and the amended approved plan page.



If you have any questions, please contact Charlene Holzbaur at 609-882-4103 Ext. 104.

Sincerely,

Kristin Fan
Director

Enclosures

c: M. Melendez
R. Holligan
R. Weaver
T. Brady
C. Holzbaur

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION		1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 17-0043	2. STATE New York
		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 April 1, 2017	
5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> NEW STATE PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT			
COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)			
6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION: § 1902(a) of the Social Security Act, and 42 CFR 447		7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT: (in thousands) a. FFY 04/01/17-09/30/17 \$ 105,344.19 b. FFY 10/01/17-09/30/18 \$ 105,344.19	
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: Attachment 4.19-A: Page 161		9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable): Attachment 4.19-A: Page 161	
10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT: 2017 Inpatient UPL (FMAP = 50%)			
11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER, AS SPECIFIED: <input type="checkbox"/> COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED <input type="checkbox"/> NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL			
12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL: 		16. RETURN TO: New York State Department of Health Division of Finance and Rate Setting 99 Washington Ave - One Commerce Plaza Suite 1432 Albany, NY 12210	
13. TYPED NAME: Jason A. Helgerson			
14. TITLE: Medicaid Director Department of Health			
15. DATE SUBMITTED: JUN 28 2017			
FOR REGIONAL OFFICE USE ONLY			
17. DATE RECEIVED:		18. DATE APPROVED: SEP 20 2017	
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED			
19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL:		20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL: 	
21. TYPED NAME:		22. TITLE: Director, FM Co	
23. REMARKS:			

**New York
161****Additional Inpatient Governmental Hospital Payments**

For the period beginning state fiscal year April 1, [2016] 2017 and ending [December 31, 2016] March 31, 2018, the State will provide a supplemental payment for all inpatient services provided by eligible government general hospitals located in a city with a population over one million and not operated by the State of New York or the State University of New York. The amount of the supplemental payment will be (\$337,471,812) \$421,376,757 and paid semi-annually in September and March. [Which] It will be distributed to hospitals proportionately using each hospital's proportionate share of total Medicaid days reported for the base year two years prior to the rate year. Such payments, aggregated with other medical assistance payments will not exceed 100% of a reasonable estimate of the amount that would be paid for such services under Medicare payment principles for non-state government owned or operated government general hospitals for the respective periods.

TN #17-0043

Approval Date

SEP 20 2017

Supersedes TN #16-0035

Effective Date

4/1/2017