
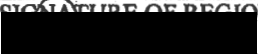


TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL		1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 12-019	2. STATE Pennsylvania
FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION		3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)	
TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE July 1, 2012	
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: 42 CFR 447.250		7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT: a. FFY 2012 \$0 b. FFY 2013 \$0	
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: 4.19D Part Ia, Page 1a		9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable): 4.19D Part Ia, Page 1a	
10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT: Budget Adjustment Factor for County Nursing Facilities for Rate Year 2012-2013.			
11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One):			
<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED <input type="checkbox"/> NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER, AS SPECIFIED: Review and approval authority has been delegated to the Secretary of Public Welfare	
12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL: 		16. RETURN TO: Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare/Department of Aging Office of Long-Term Living 555 Walnut Street Forum Place, 5 th Floor Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101-1919	
13. TYPED NAME: Gary D. Alexander			
14. TITLE: Secretary of Public Welfare			
15. DATE SUBMITTED: SEP 11 2012			
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17. DATE RECEIVED:		18. DATE APPROVED: NOV 23 2012	
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED			
19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL: JUL -1 2012		20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL: 	
21. TYPED NAME: Penny Thompson		22. TITLE: Deputy Director, CMCS	
23. REMARKS:			