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Robert D. Hofmann, Secretary
Agency of Human Services
103 South Main Street
Waterbury, Vermont 05671-0204

Dear Mr. Hoffmann:

We are pleased to enclose a copy of approved State plan amendment (SPA) No. 09-011 with an effective date of July 15, 2009 as requested. The SPA transmitted a proposed amendment to your approved Title XIX State plan to reinstate chiropractors' services.

Please note that we are approving this SPA as revised. You revised Attachment 3.1-A, page 3c to indicate that chiropractic services are limited to treatment by means of manual manipulation of the spine for the correction of a misalignment of the spine. We also added the statutory and regulatory citations pertaining to chiropractors' services in box 6 of the Transmittal and Approval of State Plan Materials (CMS-179).

Please contact Chong Tieng if there are questions. He can be reached at (617) 565-9157

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard R. McGreal
Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosure

cc: Susan Besio