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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

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Dorothy Frost Teeter, Director
MaryAnne Lindeblad, Medicaid Director
Health Care Authority
Post Office Box 45502
Olympia, Washington 98504-5502

RE: Washington State Plan Amendment (SPA) Transmittal Number 12-020

Dear Ms. Teeter and Ms. Lindeblad:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' (CMS) Seattle Regional Office has completed its review of State Plan Amendment (SPA) Transmittal Number 12-020. This transmittal was submitted in compliance with the federal requirements to use the National Provider Identifier (NPI) when submitting claims to the Medicaid program consistent with 1902(kk)(7). This change is reflected in the general administration section on Numbered Page, 45c of the Washington State Medicaid Plan.

This SPA is approved effective January 1, 2013.

If you have any additional questions or require any further assistance, please contact me, or have your staff contact Maria Garza at (206) 615-2542 or maria.garza@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Carol J.C. Peverly". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Carol" and last name "Peverly" clearly distinguishable.

Carol J.C. Peverly
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health
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cc:
Ann Myers, SPA Coordinator