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SUBJECT: Affordable Care Act Questions and Answers

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is pleased to announce the release of important information for states on the implementation of the Affordable Care Act.

Today we issued the next in a series of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) to address Affordable Care Act implementation questions. These FAQs address three main topics: availability of the 75 percent federal match for maintenance and operations, systems issues regarding communication between the Federally-Facilitated Marketplace and Medicaid, and further policy guidance regarding the use of section 1115 demonstrations.

The FAQs may be accessed at: http://www.medicaid.gov/State-Resource-Center/FAQ-Medicaid-and-CHIP-Affordable-Act-ACA-Implementation.html

If you have additional questions, please send them to CMCSPPACAQuestions@cms.hhs.gov