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State Demonstrations Group

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Carmen Heredia
Director
Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System
801 E. Jefferson Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85034

Dear Director Heredia:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Arizona's request to amend the state's section 1115(a) demonstration entitled "Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System" (Project Numbers 11-W-00275/9 and 21-W-00074/9), on March 31, 2025.

We have completed a preliminary review of your amendment request in accordance with the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) and have determined that the state's amendment request has met the requirements for a complete amendment as specified under STC 7. The amendment application will be posted on Medicaid.gov for a 30-day federal comment period at: <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/index.html>.

If you have questions regarding the section 1115 demonstration application process, please contact your CMS project officer, Kate Friedman at Katherine.Friedman@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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cc: Brian Zolynas, State Monitoring Lead, Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group