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State Demonstrations Group

September 17, 2021

Tom Wallace Deputy Secretary for Medicaid Agency for Health Care Administration 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 8 Tallahassee, FL 32308

Dear Mr. Wallace:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Florida's request to amend its section 1115(a) demonstration titled "Managed Medical Assistance" (MMA) (Project Number 11-W-00206/4) on September 3, 2021. Florida is requesting several changes with this amendment request, such as seeking to modify the Low-Income Pool to include non-profit licensed behavioral health providers, extend the postpartum coverage period from 60-days to 12-months, and other changes to the Special Terms and Conditions (STC).

After completing a preliminary review of your amendment application, CMS has determined that Florida's application meets the requirements of STC #7. The amendment application will be posted for public comment on Medicaid.gov for a period of 30 days and will be available at: https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/index.html.

We look forward to working with you and your staff on this amendment request. If you have addition questions or concerns, please contact your CMS project officer, Ms. Shelby Higgins, at Shelby.Higgins@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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cc: Tandra Hodges, State Monitoring Lead, Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group