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State Demonstrations Group

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John Connolly
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Dear Assistant Commissioner Connolly:

Thank you for your recent request for a five-year extension of Minnesota's section 1115 demonstration entitled, "Reform 2020 Pathways to Independence" (Project No. 11-W-00286/5). The Centers for Medicare & Medicare Services (CMS) received Minnesota's extension application on August 2, 2024.

We have completed a preliminary review of your extension request in accordance with the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) and have determined that the state's extension request has met the requirements for a complete amendment as specified under STC 8. The extension 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

We look forward to working with you and your staff on this demonstration project. If you have questions regarding the section 1115 demonstration application process, please contact your CMS project officer, Amy Schlom, at Amy.Schlom@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,	8/16/2024
X Andrea J. Casart	
Signed by: PIV	

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