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State Demonstrations Group

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Stephen Smith
Director of TennCare
Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration
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Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Director Smith:

cc:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Tennessee's request to amend the state's section 1115(a) demonstration, entitled "TennCare III" (Project No. 11-W-00369/4), on October 29, 2024. We have completed a preliminary review of your request in accordance with the Special Terms and Conditions (STC) and have determined that the state's application meets the requirements for a complete amendment as specified under STC 7.

Tennessee's amendment application will be posted on Medicaid.gov for a 30-day federal comment period in accordance with 42 CFR 431.416(b) 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 the proposed demonstration amendment. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your CMS project officer, Kamia Rathore, at kamia.rathore@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,



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