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## State Demonstrations Group

April 14, 2023

Gary Smith  
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Dear Mr. Smith:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received the U.S. Virgin Islands' application for a new section 1115 demonstration on March 30, 2023. We have completed a preliminary review of your request in accordance with the requirements of 42 CFR 431.412(a) and have determined that the application meets these requirements for a complete application.

The USVI's application will be posted on Medicaid.gov for a 30-day federal comment period as required by 42 CFR 431.416(b). The territory's application will be available at: <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/index.html>.

If you have questions regarding the section 1115 demonstration process, please contact your CMS project officer, Felicia Pailen, at [Felicia.Pailen@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:Felicia.Pailen@cms.hhs.gov).

Sincerely,

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X Andrea J. Casart

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