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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 24-0008

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
601 E. 12th St., Room 355
Kansas City, Missouri 64106



Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group

July 9, 2025

Dr. Judy Mohr Peterson
State of Hawaii Department of Human Services
Office of the Director
PO Box 339
Honolulu, HI 96809-0339

Re: Hawaii State Plan Amendment (SPA) – 24-0008

Dear Dr. Mohr Peterson:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) reviewed your Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) 24-0008. This amendment proposes to implement the new third-party liability requirements under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2022.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to statutory requirements in Title XIX of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations. This letter informs you that Hawaii's Medicaid SPA TN 24-0008 was approved on July 9, 2025, with an effective date of January 1, 2024.

Enclosed are copies of Form CMS-179 and approved SPA page to be incorporated into the Hawaii State Plan.

If you have any questions, please contact Brian Zolynas at (206) 615-2742 or via email at Brian.Zolynas@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Ruth A. Hughes, Acting Director
Division of Program Operations

Enclosures

cc: Jodeen Enesa
Edie Mayeshiro

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER

2 4 — 0 0 0 8

2. STATE

HI3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL
SECURITY ACT

XIX



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TO: CENTER DIRECTOR
CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE

01/01/2024

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION

Consolidated Appropriations Act 2022Title XIX of the Social Security Act

6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)

a. FFY 2024\$ 0b. FFY 2025\$ 0

7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT

Supplement to Attachment 4.22-A pg. 18. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION
OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)Supplement to Attachment 4.22-A pg. 1

9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT

New third-party liability requirements under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2022 and outcome of U.S. Supreme Court ruling in Gallardo v. Marsteller.

10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT



COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED



NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL



OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:

OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL

12. TYPED NAME

Judy Mohr Peterson, PhD

13. TITLE

Med-QUEST Division Administrator

14. DATE SUBMITTED

03/27/24

15. RETURN TO

State of HawaiiDepartment of Human ServicesOffice of the DirectorP.O. Box 339Honolulu, Hawaii 96809-0339**FOR CMS USE ONLY**

16. DATE RECEIVED

March 27, 2024

17. DATE APPROVED

July 9, 2025**PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED**

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL

January 1, 2024

19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

Ruth A. Hughes

21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

Acting Director, Division of Program Operations

22. REMARKS

State authorized pen and ink change to Box 5 on 7/7/2025.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: Hawaii

STATE LAWS REQUIRING THIRD PARTIES TO PROVIDE
COVERAGE ELIGIBILITY AND CLAIMS DATA

1902(a)(25)(I) The State has in effect laws that require third parties to comply with the provisions, including those which require third parties to provide the State with coverage, eligibility and claims data. These laws comply with the provisions of Section 202 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2022.