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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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January 27, 2023

Maureen M. Corcoran, Director Ohio Department of Medicaid P.O. Box 182709 50 West Town Street, Suite 400 Columbus, Ohio 43218

Re: Ohio State Plan Amendment (SPA) Transmittal Number 22-0035

Dear Ms. Corcoran:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to add section 7.5.A-7 Rescissions to the State's Disaster Relief Policies for the COVID-19 National Emergency to Ohio's Medicaid state plan, as submitted under transmittal number (TN) 22-0035. This amendment proposes to rescind temporary policies, in section 7.5 Medicaid Disaster Relief for the National Emergency.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to the statutory requirements at section 1902(a) of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations. Section 7.5 of the Medicaid state plan provides temporary authority for these provisions and is intended to be in effect only for the duration of the COVID-19 public health emergency. Due to the temporary nature of this provision, Medicaid SPA TN 22-0035 is approved effective October 1, 2022.

Enclosed is a copy of the CMS-179 summary form and the approved state plan page.

Please contact Christine Davidson at (312) 886-3642 or by email at christine.davidson@cms.hhs.gov if you have any questions about this approval.

Sincerely,

Alissa M. Deboy -S

Digitally signed by Alissa M. Deboy -S Date: 2023.01.27 07:33:30 -05'00'

Alissa Mooney DeBoy On Behalf of Anne Marie Costello, Deputy Director Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services

cc: Rebecca Jackson, ODM Gregory Niehoff, ODM Tiffany Williams, ODM Marlana Thieler, CMCS

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES TO: CENTER DIRECTOR CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES 5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION Title XIX of the Social Security Act 7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT Addendum 7.5.A-7 (new)	<u>2 2 — 0 3 5 — 0 H</u>
9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT	
Disaster Relief Rescissions: Resumption of Normal Limits on Home Health and Private-Duty Nursing	
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: The State Medicaid Director is the Governor's designee
11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL	15. RETURN TO
12. TYPED NAME MAUREEN M. CORCORAN	Tiffany Williams Ohio Department of Medicaid P.O. BOX 182709
13. TITLE STATE MEDICAID DIRECTOR	Columbus, Ohio 43218
14. DATE SUBMITTED November 14, 2022	
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16. DATE RECEIVED November 14, 2022	17. DATE APPROVED 01/27/2023
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED	
18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL October 1, 2022	19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL Alissa M. Deboy - Digitally signed by Alissa M. Deboy - Date: 2023.01.27 07:33:49 -05'00'
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL Alissa Mooney DeBoy On Behalf of Anne Marie Costello	21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL Deputy Director, Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services
22. REMARKS	

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7.5.A-7. Rescissions to the State's Disaster Relief Policies for the COVID-19 National Emergency

Effective October 1, 2022, the agency rescinds the election at D.2. of section 7.5 of the state plan (approved on May 22, 2020 in SPA OH-20-012) to suspend limits on private-duty nursing (PDN) post-hospital benefit as described in Attachment 3.1-A of the state plan, and on home health services per day and week as described in Attachment 3.1-A of the state plan, in order to provide alternatives to institutional settings. This rescission reinstates the process for individuals to request additional medically necessary services beyond the established soft limits identified in Attachment 3.1-A of the state plan.

TN: <u>22-035</u> Approval Date: <u>01/27/2023</u> Supersedes TN: NEW Effective Date: <u>10/01/2022</u>