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Mr. Julian Taylor
Project Officer
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State Demonstrations Group
Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services

RE: Acceptance of Approval Letter and Special Terms and Conditions – Ohio Substance Use Disorder Demonstration Project Number 11-W-00330/5

Dear Mr. Taylor:

After reviewing the approval package sent by CMS on July 21, 2022, the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM), Ohio's single State Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) agency, acknowledges and accepts CMS award and amended special terms and conditions (STCs) with the following conditions for the above-referenced demonstration waiver amendment pursuant to section 1115 of the Social Security Act, Project Number 11-W-00330/5.

- In the STCs, revise Table 6 to state the new number of demonstration years as reflected in Table 4.
- In the STCs, revise Table 7 to state that the submission deadline of the SUD Mid-Point Assessment is November 30, 2022.
- Also, ODM has recently discovered what appears to be a discrepancy between the PMPM for DY3 as stated in the STCs and the separate workbook received from CMS on July 14, 2022, and we would like to resolve this.

ODM appreciates CMS's partnership in the review of this demonstration, which will improve the health and well-being of people with substance use disorder. ODM look forward to continuing our work together to implement this demonstration.

Please contact Lynne Lyon, Deputy Director, Behavioral Health Policy, via email at lynne.lyon@medicaid.ohio.gov with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Maureen Corcoran, Director

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